



Swim Shop

Thanks to everyone who supported the Shop at our club gala. Due to popular demand we have ordered some new T-shirts. These will be black with the IASC logo in yellow on the front and should cost around £5.50. A notice will be posted on the board when they are available.

Several people have said they would be interested in having a Club tracksuit and we are looking into those supplied by a local company to several other Edinburgh clubs. There is a black and yellow jacket with matching black trousers that can be customised to have our swan emblem on the front and our name on the back. The individual item cost works out at about £32 for a full tracksuit but we can probably negotiate a discount of up to 25% if we get enough orders. It is also possible to buy the jacket only. Please let us know by e-mail or in person if you would like one so we know what the order size might be. The treasurer has agreed that we can sell these at cost price passing all the discount on to those who buy one.

Craig and Kirsty Watkins (443 4252 craig.watkins@surefish.co.uk)



Help needed!

Please remember that if you know of anyone interested in swimming who may like to become part of the club, please encourage them to get in touch with Kathy Pitcher on 554 0914 and come along for a trial ...AND ...

... the Social Committee is always looking for volunteers to help with the fund-raising events. So, if you would like to help or have some good fund-raising ideas, please contact Donald Scott on 0131 339 5432.



Keeping in Touch

Notice Board Please keep an eye on the notice board on a Sunday — all sorts of interesting things are there — competition results, future events, details of courses, volunteer requirements, etc, etc.

Web-site ..the Club website is at Swiminverleith.com. Please visit it and pass any suggestions or updates to Graeme Pitcher.

Email ..also, you may be aware that we are attempting to compile a list of email addresses to ease communications of both swimming and social events. Please, if you have not already done so, send your email address to Donald Scott using the reference IASC (along with your name) at donald@roofingandbuildingsupply.co.uk.



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Merry Christmas Everyone!

Christmas holiday arrangements:

- Monday 11.12.06 – No Trinity
- Thursday 14.12.06 – No Trinity
- Friday 15.12.06 – Last Gillespies
- Sunday 17.12.06 – Last Leith Victoria
- Tuesday 19.12.06 – Last Glenogle
- Thursday 21.12.06 – Last RCP
- Friday 22.12.06 – No Leith Victoria



Training restarts on Sunday 7 January 2007 at Leith Victoria. School pools start from Friday 12 January 2007.

Have a great holiday and we will see you in the New Year all set to go.

Fiona Anderson



***** STOP PRESS—JUMBLE SALE *****

Thank you to everyone who helped out at the Jumble sale held on 9 December at Portobello Town Hall. Unfortunately the public turn-out was very disappointing, but it looks as though we made around £300 after all costs, and we may get more as we kept some of the better items which were left to sell at a car boot sale.

Donald Scott



AGM

Thank you to all those who attended the AGM on Wednesday 29 November at Leith Victoria. For the year ahead Cameron Watson is President and Treasurer, Kathy Pitcher is Secretary and other committee members are Norma Wood, Karen McRoberts, Fiona Anderson, Peter Allen and a warm welcome to our two new members Keith Inglis and Janet Sylvester.

Kathy Pitcher



Update on Glenogle Swim Centre

At present there is to be no closure at Glenogle but there will be at some point in the future. The following is an extract from a letter from the manager of Glenogle:

“ Whilst Edinburgh Leisure have yet to receive formal notification of the outcome of the Council meeting we have been advised by our colleagues in the Council’s Department of Culture & Leisure of the following:- *The Council agreed that there will be no capital expenditure on Glenogle in the current financial year i.e 2006/07. The Council will explore alternative sources of funding for the project immediately. If these do not prove to be successful then the project will be reconsidered by the Council in February ’07, when it reviews its capital programme for 2007/08. The City Council remains committed to refurbishing Glenogle.*”

We now just have to wait and see what happens.

Fiona Anderson



Presentation Dance

At last it is nearly upon us! - Friday 23 February in the Carricknowe Bowling Club—make an entry in your new diaries when you get them!



New Swimmers

Welcome to new members Niall McRoberts and Scott Kerr. As always, new swimmers are still needed in the club. If you know of anyone who may be interested, Kathy Pitcher should be contacted to arrange a trial.. If you have any ideas of how to publicise the club to attract more swimmers please let Kathy know.



Competition Results

Lothian Region Graded Meet—11 November

This was a most enjoyable meet at Whitburn with some super swimming from Inverleith swimmers. We came away with 40 PB’s, 27 finalists and 10 medals. Probably our best performance at this event for a long time. This is usually a good gala and this year was no exception. There was a bigger than usual entry which meant stiffer competition which our swimmers took in their stride. Medal winners and finalists are detailed below:

1st Stuart Currie 100 Breast
Scott Inglis 50 Fly
Blair McDonald 50 Back
Ross Inglis 50 Breast
Ryan Scott 100 Free
2nd Ryan Scott 100 Back
Calum Watkins 50 Back

3rd Ryan Scott 100 Fly
Blair McDonald 50 Free
Matthew Lloyd 100 Free
4th Dennis Henderson 100 Breast
Hannah Little 50 Fly
Calum Watkins 50 Fly
Scott Inglis 50 Back

Andrew MacGregor 50 Breast
Andrew MacGregor 50 Free
Eilidh Garvey 100 Free
5th Andrew MacGregor 50 Fly
Matthew Lloyd 100 Back
Calum Watkins 50 Free
Stuart Currie 100 Free

6th Ryan Scott 100 Breast
Greg Tomney 100 Back
Andrew MacGregor 50 Back
Callum Garvey 50 Breast
Stuart Currie 100 Fly
Callum Garvey 50 Free



Well done everyone and thanks to David Little for helping on the poolside and to the parents who helped by timekeeping.

Fiona Anderson

Club Championships — 25 November

Well done to everyone who took part in this years championships, we had a great day. There has been lots of positive feedback from parents who had not been at this event before. I have just counted up the number of PB’s that my squad, intermediate, did at the championships and it was a staggering 67!!! (I am not sure about the other squads at present) - Fantastic swimming!

Many thanks to everyone who helped make the day so successful. Lets hope even more people attend next year. Full results are on the noticeboard, the age-group winners are shown below.

Fiona Anderson

BOYS

Novice Shields
10 & Under Trophies
11/12 Years
13/14 Years
15/16 Years
17 - 24 Years
Masters
Club Champions

Ben Brown
Ross Inglis
Scott Inglis
Matthew Lloyd
Ryan Scott
Jamie Wood
Chris Moncrieff
Jamie Wood

GIRLS

Louise Linklater
Zoe McGachie
Hannah Little
Lana Borwick
Elaine Moncrieff
Karen Bennett
Fiona Anderson
Karen Bennett



Haddington President’s Time Band Gala—1 December

Back at Haddington once again! We took part in the above gala against Haddington, Portobello and Musselburgh but as usual managed to finish 4th !! This is due to the number of swimmers who swam too fast! Overall there were 25 PBs and some amazing relay swimming. To do that number of PB’s after having done so many at the club championships and a couple of weeks before at the Graded Meet is fantastic—and for once everyone who was meant to appear did appear so we had no empty lanes which must be a first.

Many thanks to David Little and Chris Moncrieff who helped out on the poolside and let me time and watch the swimmers, I was even willing some of them to slow down their turns to stay in the timeband! Thanks also to Keith Inglis and Nicki McGachie for timekeeping.

Fiona Anderson

