



## NEWSLETTER

MAY 2019

With the 2018/19 swim season now at an end, it's a great time to reflect on your achievements during the season. Every swimmers achievement will be different – it may be that you finally had the confidence to enter a 200m swim and complete it, to qualifying for a swim meet you have been striving for. This year we have some new trophies kindly donated for the prize giving. These are stroke awards for Juniors (under 12's).

It's also a time to acknowledge all the volunteers who have helped run meets during the season and in particular the TSC committee who have put in many hours of work behind the scenes to ensure our voice is heard at a local, provincial and national level.



### **AGM and 2018/19 SWIM SEASON PRIZEGIVING**

The TSC AGM is going to be held on Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> May 2019 at the Saxton Netball Pavilion. 1-4pm. This is held in conjunction with the 2018/19 Swim season Prize giving.

Please bring a plate of food for a shared afternoon tea.

A guest speaker will talk to the swimmers whilst the AGM is on.

Mark Smale has indicated that due to work commitments, he will be stepping down as President of the club and travel co-ordinator and Jenny Taylor is also stepping down due to work commitments as minute's secretary. The club would like to take this opportunity to thank them for their contribution to the club over the past few years.

If you have sufficient time to devote to being on the committee, are a team player and want to work toward common goals to ensure our club's ongoing success, please come forward at the AGM.



## SWIMMER FEES – DISCOUNT FROM CLM

In an email from Vaughan Hope on the 22<sup>nd</sup> March *“There will not be a discount applied for this quarter however we will be applying a 10% discount for the entire following quarter – this discount will be applied to the entire period even though the sessions are only effected for the first few weeks.”*

It was brought to the committee’s attention that this discount had yet to be applied this term. To save multiple members enquiries, the club’s CLM Liaison officer enquired on our behalf when the discount would be applied. Lisa Stove responded 9<sup>th</sup> May:

*“As this offer was posted after the roll over the old fees were applied.*

*Week 2/3 of the quarter I will meet with Daniel to apply any changes to squads before I send out a fees notice. Those paid or paying by Direct Debit will be altered with a credit and those who haven’t paid (majority) will be adjusted by 10%.”*

## LEARN TO SWIM POOL TEMPERATURE

The temperature of the learn to swim pool being too high for swimmers was raised at our recent meeting. At least one swimmer has been feeling faint with the heat and had asked if the pool temperature could be reduced. Unfortunately, this is easier said than done as the pool takes days to reduce the temperature by just 1degree and again days to raise it back up. The learn to swim pool is also utilised by young babies who need to have the temperature at this higher level.

## CODE OF CONDUCT

ALL Tasman Swim Club Members should be aware of the club’s code of conduct. When you enter Richmond Aquatic Centre, you are also representing the club.

Please **DO NOT** leave your gear lying around poolside in a messy state, crowd the entrance so other patrons find it difficult to get past, and speak to CLM staff in an inappropriate manner. These all bring the club into disrepute and will not be tolerated. The COC can be found on the TSC website.

## UNIFORMS

Nicky has hoodies and Tineli jackets available for purchase as well as Tasman swimwear in a limited number of sizes. (see her contact details at the end of the newsletter). She will have a display table at our upcoming AGM for members to try on sizes.

## JOLYN SWIMWEAR

Some of the TSC girls have organised the Tasman Swim Club logo to be screen printed onto Jolyn Swimwear. They can be ordered directly through the Jolyn website but **must be purchased in black only and be of a style with a full coverage bottom**. In the notes when ordering you need to write Tasman Swim Club logo and you can also have your initials screen printed on the front of the togs for an additional fee. These togs are not compulsory and are an optional extra.

## SNM WINTER MEET 2-4<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST 2019

Reminder that this is a compulsory meet and is held in Blenheim. Now is the time to start to look at booking your accommodation for this meet as there can be many other sporting events around this time in Blenheim. In past years many swimmers have chosen to stay at the Admirals Motor Lodge.

## CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to Abbey Smale, Alec Swan and Josh Amyes who are all attending the SNZ second stage selection camp for the Australian State Championships. This is an outstanding achievement to have three swimmers from our club being selected for this camp.

Coach Daniel has also been selected by SNZ to be one of the coaches for the SNZ team at the Australian State Championships!

## NATIONAL AGE GROUP CHAMPIONSHIP

Many of the morning squad swimmers recently competed at NAGS in Wellington with some excellent results.

50 top 10 finishes, 10 medals, 84 PB's, 1 Open SNM record and 12 SNM records.

SNM Records: Sam Wilson 50 fly, Izzy 50, 100 + 200 free, Abbey 1500 free, Piper 100 + 200 fly, Maddy 100 Back, Jaxon 400 IM, Moab 100 + 200 Back, Bendi 200 Fly. Open 200 fly SNM record Piper.



Tasman NAGS swimmers 2019

Top 10 finishes for: Josh, Fergus, Emma, Sam H, Moab, Bendi, Jaxon, Piper, Maddie, Abbey Alec, Sierra, Izzy and Sam W.

Medals:

1 x Gold: Alec

4 x Silver: Josh, Piper, Abbey, Alec

5 x Bronze: Josh x 2, Bendi, Abbey, Izzy

## **CHANGES TO THE SWIM MEET CALENDAR**

With the recent email coming through from CLM regarding the pool retiling delays, are changes to the swim meet calendar. Please check the meet calendar on the TSC website. The club will endeavour to keep you informed with these changes that are out of our control.

15 June BSC - XLR8 Meet #1, now in Blenheim

20 July Tasman SC XLR8 Meet #2, RAC

## **UPCOMING SWIM MEETS/IMPORTANT DATES**

**\*\*Tasman Magic Academy website (run by CLM not TSC) will no longer have information regarding meet calendars\*\* You will find them on Tasman Swim Club website**

<https://tasman.swimming.org.nz>

Enter online by going to the swimming nz website or click here [swim nz calendar](#)

Click on "events"

Click on "events calendar"

Click on "all New Zealand meets"

Scroll down to the meet you wish to enter

Please note: some national meets have qualifying events/times in order for you to enter. Check these prior to booking any accommodation/flights

**The upcoming 2019/20 Tasman Swim Club season can be found here: TSC WEBSITE**

<https://tasman.swimming.org.nz>

You can find swim meet fliers, contacts, upcoming meets here too!

Follow us on Facebook Tasman Swim Club



## **CONTACTS**

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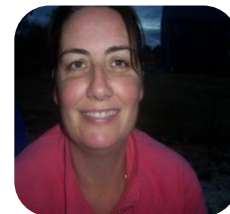
Alternatively, Patsy Berryman and Melinda Baigent are often poolside during junior training sessions and are more than happy to answer any queries as well.



Kelly



Melinda



Patsy