

Inverclyde ASC Club Championships - Swimmers Break New Records

Inverclyde Amateur Swimming Club has been holding its club championships over a number of weekends. This year the club received a record number of entries from its members with a total of 94 swimmers taking part. Some fantastic races and times were witnessed by the many supporters that turned out to cheer on the young swimmers. With 16 different events being contested there was a race for all abilities.

For some this was their first competitive swim and all swimmers showed great enthusiasm whilst taking part in their events. For others it was to challenge to achieve personal best times and hopefully win medals in their age group.

This year's event produced 52 new personal best times.

Open Champions in all events were as follows:

Boys 1st Andrew Hemphill 2nd David McGachy and 3rd Gerard Hennan.

Girls 1st Claire McGachy 2nd Emily Buchanan and 3rd Claire Hemphill.

Age Group Champions:

Boys

Age 8 Years and Under

Joint 1st Adam James and Martin Tegg - 3rd Jonathan Bradford

Age 9 Years and Under

1st Ross McMath - 2nd Euan Purdie - 3rd Luke Young

Age 10 and Under

1st Aidan Grant - 2nd Euan McDougall

Age 11 and Under

1st Enrico Mazzoni - 2nd Lee McMath - 3rd Max McFarlane

Age 12 and Under

1st Stuart Ramsay - 2nd Mark Meahan - 3rd John Reid

Age 13 and Under

1st Gerard Hennan - 2nd Jamie Purdie

Age 14 and Under

1st Andrew Hemphill - 2nd Nicholas Brown

Girls

Age 8 Years and Under

1st Iona Miller - 2nd Chloe McDonald - 3rd Catherine Martin

Age 9 Years and Under

1st Sarah Bradford - 2nd Carla Findlay - 3rd Natalie Peteson

Age 10 and Under

1st Laura Atkinson - 2nd Ellen Halliday - Joint 3rd Hayley Skimming and Jill Kelly

Age 11 and Under

1st Sophie Wilson - 2nd Lorna Robertson - 3rd Emma Johnson

Age 12 and Under

1st Clare McGachy - 2nd Emily Buchanan - 3rd Aimee Young

Age 13 and Under

1st Lesley Ann Docherty - 2nd Kyara Finlay - 3rd Jemma McLaren

Age 14 and Under

1st Shannon McKenna

Age 15 and Under

1st David McGachy - 2nd Jamie Anderson

Age 16

1st Jon Campbell

Age 15 and Under

1st Eilidh McIntyre

Age 16

1st Claire Hemphill - 2nd Alison Hemphill

A special well done has to go to the following Swimmers who achieved exceptional results in their age Groups:

Laura Atkinson Age 10 winning all her age group races, Aidan Grant Age 10 winning all his age group races, Enrico Mazzoni Age 11 winning all his age group races. Claire McGachy Age 12 who won all the girls open events. Andrew Hemphill Age 14 who won all his age group races and open events.

A special Thank you must be extended to all the Swimmers, Coaches and Committee members and Volunteers who have made this year events such a success. The awards ceremonies will take place at Port Glasgow Town Hall on the 26th January 2008 in the presence of Provost McCormick.