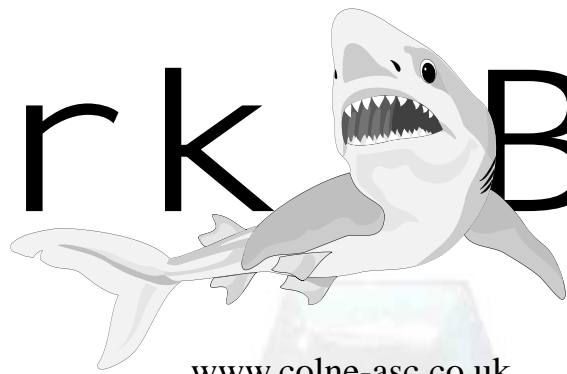


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Starts and Turns

Gallica, Daisyfield Pool, Blackburn

Sunday, 4th September

For all those who are going to attend and require a lift see Andrew or Cherry

Other News

Bethan Roberts (11yrs) had a very exciting summer. First she took part in a CBBC programme called "Raven", which is to be broadcast near Christmas. Then after winning a competition organised by the Times Educational Supplement, she went to Edinburgh on 15th July to interview J. K. Rowling about her new book "Harry Potter and the Half Blood Prince".

Chris Domoney took part in back to back 'Iron Men' triathlon competitions in Austria and Switzerland (not recommended) and managed to once again qualify for the finals in Hawaii in October.

Rachel Ingham and Chris Wood also competed in triathlon events.

William Harrison qualified for the 50m Freestyle at the National Youth Championships at Ponds Forge, Sheffield in August.

At the event he finished 32nd out of 60 in the 15/16 years age group and was 123rd overall in a time of 25.63.

The event was won by Simon Burnett in a new British Record time of 22.12. The fastest in Wills age group did 24.02.

Re-Organisation of Lanes

The re-organisation of the lanes on a Thursday will take place from the 1st September. A copy will be placed upon the notice board, please check to see where your name is. Any problems see Cherry, Andrew or Joan

No Swimming Club

Bank Holiday Monday 29th August Blues Festival

Personal Logbook

A personal logbook is available for all swimmers, if you have not yet got yours see Mrs Croxall.

Pendle Sports Awards

At the inaugural Pendle Sports Awards held at the Colne Municipal Hall on Friday, 29th July, the Club finished runner-up in the Community Club of the Year. Club Secretary Joan Croxall was runner-up in the Special Recognition category and club swimmer Oliver Beybut-Peyton won the Rising Star award for his exploits in the field of fencing.

Please Note

Swimmers are required to be on the poolside 5 minutes before the start of their lesson to do some gentle stretching exercises.

When attending galas we recommend you wear pool shoes (flip flops) not trainers on the poolside.

Club Sessions as Normal during September Holiday Period

Warburton Age Groups

The Warburton Age Groups take place at Broughton Pool Salford place on consecutive Sundays in October, they are the 16th, 23rd and 30th.

Closing date for entries is Monday, 22nd August. See Sheila Cott for details.

The entry free will be subsidised for prompt payment.

Birthdays - August

1st Thomas Pickles and Daniel McCullum; 2nd Chloe Pearce and Callum Riley; 3rd Lisa Patel; 8th Arthur Phillips; 9th Michael Rowan; 10th David Wilson; 11th Emily Cott; 24th Emma Hacking; 30th Libby Pickles; 31st Alistaire Nutter

Birthdays - September

4th Ashleigh Dibb and William Downey; 8th Sam Wildman; 9th Rebecca Hay and Francesca Harrison-Bradley; 12th Robyn Lee and Sally Gildea; 16th Aeneas Robinson and Stephen Baker; 19th Jordan Riley; 22nd Nathan Derbyshire; 26th Katie Shaw; 28th Billy Pinder and Zach Burns; 30th Bethan Roberts, Jade Smith and Daniele Santabarbara

NECASA Long Course Championships

On the weekend of 16th/17th July, three members of the Masters Team travelled to Leeds International Pool to compete in the North East Counties ASA Long Course Championships.

Karen Driver swimming in the 30 to 34 years age group finished 1st in 400m Freestyle and 800m Freestyle, and 2nd in 200m Freestyle and 100m Breaststroke.

Chris Wood swimming in the 19 to 24 years age group finished 1st in 200m Freestyle and 2nd in 400m Freestyle.

Philip Croxall swimming in the 35 to 39 years age group finished 1st in 200m Breaststroke and 2nd in 100m Breaststroke, 200m Freestyle and 200m Individual Medley.

Would parents please note that once your child's swimming lesson has finished and they are off the pool side. Colne Swimming Club is no longer responsible for their welfare.

If anybody has any stories, items of interest, or anything they think will be suitable for the newsletter, then you can email me at the following address: philip@croxall.demon.co.uk

Forthcoming Events:

22nd August: Warburton Age Groups Closing Date
29th August: No Club Session.
4th September: Starts & Turns Session. Daisyfield Pool, Blackburn
18th September: Swimming Officials & Coaches Seminar
24th September: NECASA Masters Championships. Scarborough

16th October: Warburton Age Group. Broughton Pool, Salford.
23rd October: Warburton Age Group. Broughton Pool, Salford.
28th October: National ASA Masters Championships. Sheffield.
30th October: Warburton Age Group. Broughton Pool, Salford.