

# Coast & Valley Swimming Association Inc. Minutes-Management Committee Meeting

## Edgeworth Sport & Recreation Club Tuesday, 17 May, 2016

Meeting opened at 6.58 pm with David Hinds in the Chair.

### 1. ATTENDANCE

David Hinds	David Richards	Jenny Schwetz	Suzy Scaron	Russell Waugh
Ian Johnson	Norm Roberts	Phillip Hawke	Michelle Gross	

**Visitors:** Anthony Watson

2. **APOLOGIES:** Michele Burley-Jones, Jarrod Anthony (SNSW Development Officer).  
Moved Ian Johnson 2<sup>nd</sup> Phillip Hawke that apologies be accepted. Carried

Moved David Richards, 2<sup>nd</sup> Russell Waugh that Standing Orders be suspended to allow Anthony Watson to address the meeting re Golf Fundraiser-11 September, 2016.  
Carried.

Anthony provided the meeting with an overview of the format for the day, and tabled a draft copy of the flyer and sponsorship proposals.

Moved Norm Roberts 2<sup>nd</sup> Russell Waugh that Flyer and sponsorship proposals be accepted with a few minor changes. Carried.

Anthony also offered to print 500 copies for distribution at upcoming club meets and CVSA championships.

The President thanked Anthony and his staff for their work.

Moved David Richards 2<sup>nd</sup> Russell Waugh that Standing Orders be resumed. Carried

3. **CONFIRMATION** - Minutes of previous meeting: Moved David Richards 2<sup>nd</sup> Norm Roberts that the minutes of the previous meeting are a true and correct copy Carried

4. **BUSINESS ARISING** from the minutes

- 4.1. Recorder training- Date set for Saturday 25 June at the Newcastle Uni, in conjunction with the Development squad being run on the day.
- 4.2. Debit/Credit card – Suzy Scaron to look into available options and report to June Meeting.
- 4.3. Books are at the accountants for preparation of Financial Statements

## **5. CORRESPONDENCE:**

### **5.1. INWARDS**

- 5.1.1. Email-Newcastle Embroidery: Outstanding Invoice-fwd: Treasurer
- 5.1.2. Email- Sarah Koen: TO Development Program nominations-fwd: ATSC/Management
- 5.1.3. Email-PLC: Confirmation of pool booking-summer championships
- 5.1.4. Email-Michelle Chandler: Novo SC meet entries-fwd: Novo SC
- 5.1.5. Email-Sue Westwood: Availability Novos swim meet
- 5.1.6. Email-Coalfields United SC: swim meet appln-fwd: Competition Committee
- 5.1.7. Email-Debby Tatoli: request for TO for KPD meet
- 5.1.8. Email-David Parsons: Demi Parsons now a member of Novos SC-fwd: Registrar & WWI Secretary
- 5.1.9. Email-Valley Aquatic SC: withdrawal of appln to host winter championships-fwd-Competition Committee.
- 5.1.10. Email- Michelle Boon: ETE hire for summer championships-TBC
- 5.1.11. Email- CVSA Clubs: Development squads to be announced shortly
- 5.1.12. Email-Cherry Smith: Winter sprint series
- 5.1.13. Email-KPD SC: Host for winter championships
- 5.1.14. Email-Mark Heathcote: SNSW AGM Voting information
- 5.1.15. Email-NuSwim: Swim meet appln-fwd: Competition Committee
- 5.1.16. Email-Woy Woy SC: training Refs attending/list of Club officials
- 5.1.17. Email-Maitland SC: Club AGM to be held on 23 May
- 5.1.18. Email- Michelle Johnson: Working With Children Check Update
- 5.1.19. Email- CVSA Clubs: Development squads announced.
- 5.1.20. Email-Macquarie Shores SC: Development squad list not received
- 5.1.21. Email-Michelle Boon: ETE Hire-summer champs confirmed-Norm Roberts to attend
- 5.1.22. Email (Jarrod Anthony)-John Hamson: consideration for Joseph Hamson re Development Squads.
- 5.1.23. Email-Carole Sanderson: query re coach appointment for CVSA MC Squad
- 5.1.24. Cr Nuatali Nelmes: Acceptance as Patron
- 5.1.25. Email-Raymond Terrace SC: Swim meet appln-fwd: Competition Committee
- 5.1.26. Email-Gunyah Hotel: Deposit to be refunded
- 5.1.27. Email-Mark Heathcote: 2017 Country Regional

### **5.2. OUTWARDS**

- 5.2.1. Swimming NSW: ETE hire-summer championships
- 5.2.2. Email-PLC: Booking form-summer championships
- 5.2.3. Technical Official badges: Hunter SC, Central Newcastle SC, Titans SC, Mingara SC, Kincumber SC
- 5.2.4. Email- Sarah Koen- TO Nominations-Development Program
- 5.2.5. Email-Central Newcastle SC- David Richards to attend Presentation
- 5.2.6. Email-Cherry Smith: CVSA will not be holding a Winter Sprint Series meet
- 5.2.7. Email-Woy Woy SC: current list of club officials
- 5.2.8. Email-Macquarie Shores SC: Resend Development Squad list
- 5.2.9. Email-Carole Sanderson: CVSA MC coach TBC
- 5.2.10. Swimming NSW: Area Development Agreement

- 5.2.11. Invitation as Patron: Mayors Newcastle City Council, Lake Macquarie City Council, Gosford Council, Wyong Council, Singleton Council, Port Stephens Council, Cessnock City Council, Maitland City Council
- 5.2.12. Email-Gunyah Hotel: Refund of Deposit

Moved Ian Johnson 2<sup>nd</sup> Michelle Gross that correspondence inwards be dealt with as read and correspondence outwards be approved. Carried

5.3. Business Arising from Correspondence:

- 5.3.1. Newcastle Embroidery- payment of outstanding invoice (\$291.00) - Treasurer to look into why payment has not been received.
- 5.3.2. Moved David Richards 2<sup>nd</sup> Ian Johnson the KPD be ratified as host club for winter championships. Carried.
- 5.3.3. Office of Childrens' Guardian will commence audit of organisations later this year – clubs may be audited as part of this process. Moved Ian Johnson 2<sup>nd</sup> Norm Roberts that CVSA request a representative from Office of Childrens' Guardian to deliver an information session at CVSA Forum. Carried.
- 5.3.4. Gunyah Hotel-Deposit has been refunded.
- 5.3.5. Charlestown has been ratified as the venue for 2017 Country Regional- to be held on 28-29 January, 2017. SNSW to be advised that CVSA is hosting this event with the assistance of Charlestown SC and pool staff. Russell Waugh to look into hire of marquees for the meet.

**6. REPORTS:**

6.1. **Treasurer** – Suzy Scaron

Report tabled-copy attached.

6.1.1. Accounts approved for Payment

Swimming NSW	Deposit-ETE Hire-LC championships	\$50.00
Jenny Schwetz	Reimbursement-Flowers/card-Jade Frith	\$111.00
Lake Macquarie Yacht Club	Deposit-Technical dinner	\$100.00

Moved Suzy Scaron 2<sup>nd</sup> David Richards that report be accepted and accounts approved for payment. Carried.

## **6.2. Competition Committee/Registrar – Russell Waugh**

- 6.2.1. KPD Combination meet
  - 6.2.1.1. Meet went well and finished within the time frame. Sunday worked with rotation of officials for lunch break
  - 6.2.1.2. Some swimmers were entered in both Division 1 and Division 2 – entry times had been incorrectly set.
  - 6.2.1.3. Development meet (Division 2) entries were not as high as expected
  - 6.2.1.4. Distance events need to be restricted by age, not Qualifying Times
- 6.2.2. Winter Championships
  - 6.2.2.1. KPD considering option of providing 1-2 pre-made sandwiches – Dietary requirements will need to be taken into account
- 6.2.3. EOI to be called for Host for Speedo/Development meet-4 Feb, 2017
- 6.2.4. EOI for Technical Officials for SC Championships to be sent out this week.

Moved Russell Waugh 2<sup>nd</sup> Ian Johnson that report be accepted. Carried.

## **6.3. Selection & Development Committee – Phil Hawke**

- 6.3.1. Report tabled-copy attached
- 6.3.2. Jr Establishment Development report tabled-copy attached
- 6.3.3. Minutes- May meeting tabled-copy attached

Moved Phillip Hawke 2<sup>nd</sup> Norm Roberts that report and minutes be accepted. Carried.

## **6.4. ATSC Convenor – Norm Roberts**

- 6.4.1. Jennifer Bell and Phil Johnson were successful in their accreditation for Judge of Strokes at KPD meet. Congratulations to both.
- 6.4.2. A tentative booking has been made at Lake Macquarie Yacht Club for Technical dinner – 22 April, 2017. \$100 Deposit to be paid.
- 6.4.3. EOI for Targeted Technical Officials has been sent out for Country Championships (winter)
- 6.4.4. Recorder training to be delivered on 25 June at Newcastle Uni – 9am (time TBC)

Moved Norm Roberts 2<sup>nd</sup> Michelle Gross that report be accepted. Carried.

6.5. **Development Officer** – Jarrod Anthony

Report tabled-copy attached.

Moved Norm Roberts 2<sup>nd</sup> David Richards that report be accepted. Carried,

6.6. **Property Officer**- Ian Johnson

No Report

6.7. **Publicity Officer** – Michele Burley-Jones

Report tabled-copy attached

Moved Ian Johnson 2<sup>nd</sup> Phillip Hawke that report be accepted. Carried.

6.8. **Web Administrator** –Michelle Gross

No Report

**7. GENERAL BUSINESS:**

- 7.1. Appointment of Meet Director – winter championships
  - 7.1.1. Saturday David Hinds
  - 7.1.2. Sunday David Richards.
- 7.2. Vale- Jade Frith
- 7.3. Medals for winter championships have been ordered from Purnells

7.4. Phillip Hawke to discuss requirements for Time Trials with West Wallsend Indoor SC this week

7.5. Recommendation to AGM that:

- 7.5.1. Registration fees for 2016/17 remain at \$4.00 per member(excluding Life Members)
- 7.5.2. Honorarium for Management committee for 2016/17 remain as
  - President \$250.00
  - Secretary \$250.00
  - Treasurer \$250.00

**8. MEETING CLOSED** 8.33 pm

**9. NEXT MEETING: Tuesday, 21 June, 2016- Edgeworth Sport and Recreation Club-7pm**

CHAIR: David Hinds

SECRETARY: Jenny Schwetz

# COAST AND VALLEY TREASURERS REPORT

APRIL 2016

<b>Forward</b>		\$27,452.64
Interest	8.63	
SAL	1,102.00	
	<u>\$1,110.63</u>	<u>\$1,110.63</u>
		<b>\$28,563.27</b>

## **Less Expenses**

300640	SNSW- Equipment Hire	\$200.00
300618	KPD	\$262.00
300657	Lake Macquarie Yacht Club - TO Dinner	\$696.00
300658	David Hinds - TO Training	\$250.00
300656	Salty Dog Bistro - TO Dinner	\$2,184.00
300662	Italk Travel - Sr Est NZL (fares/Ins)	\$6,147.00
300663	Italk Travel Sr Est NZL (car hire)	\$786.73
300664	Norm Roberts - Office Supplies	\$99.96
300659	Newcastle Embroidery	\$1,696.50

12,322.19

**\$16,241.08**

## **BALANCE AS PER STATEMENT NO 81**

### Unpresented Cheques

300543	KPD	298.00	
300596	Mark Hinchey	150.00	
300597	Belinda Boon	30.00	
300610	Ian Jeffery	\$60.00	
300614	Leslee Taylor	\$20.00	
300634	Joanne Leray	\$24.00	
300651	Sam Frame -Coaching Scholarship	\$895.00	
300653	Sonny Hinwood (refund TO dinner)	\$70.00	
300654	Newcastle Embroidery	\$291.00	
300655	Swansea Swim Club - Catering	\$279.43	
300660	KPD Catering championships 2015	\$1,600.00	
300661	SNSW Affiliation	\$200.00	
300665	SNSW - Deposit ETE hire championships	\$50.00	<b>(3,967.43)</b>

**Term Deposits**

Due 16/07/2016 for 12 months @2.4%	\$10,717.41
Due 13/07/2016 for 12 months @2.7%	\$25,220.61
Due 3/12/2016 for 12 months @ 2.7%	\$20,640.00

**Cash Reserve**

Interest 29/04/2016	-	\$18,440.82
Balance as per Statement 63		

**ACCOUNTS TO BE PAID**



## **Selection and Development Coordinator's Report**

May Minutes tabled-copy attached

1. Nominations for Team Manager positions for National A's and Snr Establishment Squad to be called for in June 2016

2. Senior Establishment Squad

Details of squad to be announced in May 2016

3. National A's

3.1 Invitation to participate in Squad emailed to eligible swimmers on the 9<sup>th</sup> May. Closing date for applications is 23<sup>rd</sup> May 2016

3.2 National A's Meet to held on the 24<sup>th</sup> & 25<sup>th</sup> September at Knox Grammar. Meet program attached for information

4. Senior Target Squad

4.1 Invitation to participate in Squad emailed to eligible swimmers on the 9<sup>th</sup> May. Closing date for applications is 23<sup>rd</sup> May 2016

4.2 Target Squad Meet meet will be on the 13<sup>th</sup> & 14<sup>th</sup> August at Ryde Aquatic Centre. Meet program attached for information, participation in this event by CVSA swimmers is by selection

5. Junior Target squad

5.1 Invitation to participate in Squad emailed to eligible swimmers on the 9<sup>th</sup> May. Closing date for applications is 23<sup>rd</sup> May 2016

5.2 Target Squad Meet meet will be on the 13<sup>th</sup> & 14<sup>th</sup> August at Ryde Aquatic Centre. Meet program attached for information, participation in this event by CVSA swimmers is by selection

6. Achievers Squad

6.1 Invitation to participate in Squad emailed to eligible swimmers on the 9<sup>th</sup> May. Closing date for applications is 23<sup>rd</sup> May 2016

7. Junior Establishment squad

7.1 JES activities are completed for the 2016 season, photos from the JES trip to NSW Open Championships on the 4<sup>th</sup> March are on the website Photo Gallery. Thank you to those who assisted.

8. The online application process for squads appears to be working well and the application form can be found on the CVSA website under the Development tab.

9. Apparel; Maroon shirts were worn by JES team trip and we have 6 Maroon shirt left in stock. Yellow shirts were worn by the 2016 Speedo Sprints team members we have 5 Yellow shirt left in stock.

# **Coast & Valley Swimming Association Inc. Minutes-Selection and Development Committee Meeting**

**Tuesday, 6<sup>th</sup> May, 2016**

## **Edgeworth Sport and Recreation Club**

Meeting opened at 6.15pm with Phillip Hawke elected as Chairman.

1. **ATTENDANCE**

Phillip Hawke	Peter Reinhard	Belinda Boon	Narelle Murphy (Telecon)
Visitors	Jenny Schwetz		
Jarrold Anthony	SNSW Development Officer		

2. **APOLOGIES:** Nil

3. **CONFIRMATION** - Minutes of previous meeting:  
Moved Narelle Murphy 2<sup>nd</sup> Jarrod Anthony that the minutes of the previous meeting are a true and correct copy. Carried.

4. **BUSINESS ARISING** from the minutes  
Transport / Accommodation arrangements -

**Senior Target Meet:**

- Parents to drop off and pick up swimmers from Ryde pool (times to be advised). Noted that draft timeline Sat finish is 7pm
- Lane Cove Tourist Park – 1 cabins have been booked – Cost \$1900 (this may increase by 10%)
- Transport to and from pool: TBC  
21 seater bus - \$235 each way  
Coach - \$425 each way
- Meals- BBQ dinner or take out.

**Junior Target Meet**

- Parents to drop off and pick up from pool – no overnight accommodation
- Different team members for Saturday and Sunday to be selected.

**Achievers Meet**

- Parents to transport swimmers to SOPAC by own transport
- One (1) coach to be available for swimmers whose parent/s are unable to transport them to SOPAC – these swimmers MUST travel to and from the venue by bus. Seats will be allocated on a first in basis until bus is full
- Narelle to organise tentative booking for 65 seater bus

**National A's**

- Knox Grammar – parents to transport swimmers by own transport
- Cost payable for
  - Accommodation - \$85 pp
  - Meals - \$83 pp
  - **Total-\$168 pp**

### **Senior Establishment**

- Accommodation booked
- Flights booked (10 seats) and paid

## **5. CORRESPONDENCE IN**

- 5.1. April Swimming NSW Area Development Convenor Minutes
- 5.2. National A's Accommodation / Meals Information
- 5.3. A Squad Meet Program
- 5.4. Draft 2016 SNSW Development Calendar
- 5.5. Target Meet Program

## **6. GENERAL BUSINESS**

- 6.1. Squad Selections. Draft list of eligible swimmers circulated to committee members. State and National team members not removed from list.
- 6.2. Alternative Development Pathway Letter for 2016
- 6.3. Invitation for last year's Alternative Development Pathway participants, (Benjamin Abolins, Emily Allanson, Alyssa Andrews and Patrick Ulan), to attend further TO training on development days.
- 6.4. Online Squad application Form-on website
- 6.5. Confirmed that Team Managers for Sr Establishment/Nat A's will be by application, and Target and Achievers squads will be by selection from interested parents.
- 6.6. Team Managers Induction Day- date to be confirmed at May meeting.
- 6.7. Noted that coaches have not been allocated to development squads to date.
- 6.8. List of athletes eligible for Development squads to be sent to clubs and coaches when finalised.

**Meeting Closed:** 7.55pm

**Next Meeting: Monday, 6<sup>th</sup> June 2016-Edgeworth Sport and Recreation Club-6pm**

**PHILIP HAWKE**  
Chairman

**JENNY SCHWETZ**  
Secretary

## **PUBLICITY May, 2016 MEETING**

### **EMAILS**

#### **TO:**

12/04/16	WWI	Requesting T O's list for 1/5/16 Meet
15/04/16	WWI	Information to contact other T O's who may assist
22/04/16	WWI	Requesting T O's list for 1/5/16 Meet
23/04/16	KPD	Requesting T O's list for 14 <sup>th</sup> & 15 <sup>th</sup> May Swim Meets
26/04/16	Management Committee	List of T O's for West Wallsend Meet
29/04/16	Management Committee	Further four names of T O's for WWI Meet
30/04/16	WWI	Further T O for meet
01/05/16	Macquarie Shores	Requesting information on T O's for Meet
02/05/16	Michelle Biddulph	Informing her no reply from Debby Tatoli
03/05/16	Management Committee	List of T O's for KPD two day meet
04/05/16	Woy Woy	Requesting information on T O's for Meet

#### **FROM:**

13/04/16	WWI	Available T O's so far for Meet
15/04/16	WWI	Further emails sent to T O's for WWI Meet
23/04/16	KPD	Acknowledged receipt of info and will reply with lists
ASAP		
25/04/16	WWI	Technical Officials List for meet
28/04/16	WWI	Four more officials thanks to Phil Johnson
29/04/16	Phil Hawke	Extra T O's for West Wallsend Meet
30/04/16	Norm Roberts	Extra T O's (same as Phil Hawke) for WWI Meet
01/05/16	Michelle Biddulph	Asking if received list of T O's from Debby Tatoli yet
02/05/16	Michelle Biddulph	List of T O's for both days of KPD Meet
02/05/16	Macquarie Shores	Acknowledging receiving letter & names of two T O's
	for meet	

#### **NEWSPAPER CLIPPINGS INTO PUBLICITY BOOK : -**

25/11/15	The Advertiser	Coalfields Swim Club Results Cessnock Swim Club Results
09/12/15	The Advertiser	Cessnock Amateur Swimming Club results Coalfields United Swimming Results
18/12/15	The Singleton Argus	Swimmers Champions at the Championships
20/12/15	Branxton Greta Vineyard News	Branxton Greta Swimming Club end of Season roundup
15/01/16	The Singleton Argus	Positive Benefits Singleton Swimmers target Age Championships
09/02/16	The Singleton Argus	Strong showing leaves Coach Smiling after NSW State
Age		Championships
17/02/16	Newcastle Herald	Maddi warms up for Paralympics
19/02/16	The Singleton Argus	Donation assists young swimmers
26/02/16	The Singleton Argus	Swimmers Make Mark
04/03/16	The Singleton Argus	Swimming duo smash long-standing records
23/03/16	The Singleton Argus	Swimmers Nationals bound
3/03/16	Newcastle Star	Lake Macquarie's super fish

Michele Burley-Jones  
Publicity Officer/Liaison Officer  
C&VSA  
10/05/16

### CVSA D/O Report – May 2016 - 13/5/16

I would like to take this opportunity to acknowledge all the swim clubs, swimmers, coaches and parents who came together and supported each other through the terrible loss of one of our swimmers earlier this month. It was very special to see many of our swimmers in their respective club uniforms come together and pay their respects to Jade and the Frith family.

#capsoutforjade

1. **Nominations for CVSA AGM** – 6th Annual General Meeting to be held on Sunday 26th June, 2016, commencing at 11:00am at Edgeworth Bowling Club. Nominations for committee positions and standing committee positions can be found on the CVSA website.

I encourage ALL members from ALL clubs who wish to be a part of the Coast and Valley Swimming Association management team, to please nominate for one of the positions available. Your contributions will help ensure that Coast and Valley remains one of the stronger areas in the state.

2. **CVSA Development Squad 2016** - This year, swimmers will be **SELECTED** by the *Selection & Development Committee* on swimmers performances throughout the year. Teams have been sent out now as per the Swimming NSW squad structure and swimmers have been advised by email of the squad they have successfully achieved and are required to advise their acceptance within two (2) weeks of receiving notification.
3. **Members email addresses** – Please ensure that any members wishing to obtain information in regards to any NSW or CVSA activities such as Development squads/ Competitions etc, that you have a current email address which is used often. Be aware if your swim club registers on your behalf, it is most likely that they have used the clubs email address and not your own. Swim clubs can you please advise your members if this is the case.
4. **Senior Establishment Squad** - Flights and van hire have been booked through italk travel Newcastle West. Payment has been made. Accommodation has been organised in Browns Bay approximately 10min from the pool the same as last year and will need to be paid shortly.
5. **Junior Dolphins** - KPD has their Junior Dolphin day on the 21st of this month. Junior Dolphins will be available to all CVSA clubs this year. It will be 'Free' membership for swimmers 7 years and under for those clubs wishing to participate.
6. **CVSA Golf Day - Sunday 11th September 2016** - A fundraiser will be held at Tilligerry Golf club. There will be a 4 man Ambrose that consists of 36 teams. There will be a players fee of \$35 per person which will include breakfast, with a shotgun start at 8am. CVSA will be seeking sponsors from businesses for each hole at \$500 where they can advertise with signing and have 1 month advertising on the CVSA website. Each business will be allowed to enter one team included in this amount. Anthony Watson will be the organiser of this event.

Jarrold Anthony  
SNSW Development Officer



## JUNIOR ESTABLISHMENT SQUAD



On Friday the 4<sup>th</sup> March the Coast & Valley Junior Establishment Squad travelled to Sydney Olympic Park for the finals of the NSW Open State Championships. The team had the privilege to be the basket carriers for the finals and all were very excited at the prospect of seeing their heroes swim.

When we arrived at the pool in the early afternoon, the kids had a chance to have a little training session under the watchful eyes of Jarrod Anthony. For many of them it was the first time they had a chance to swim in the Olympic pool and it may have seemed overwhelming for a few to begin with but they soon eased into it as though they had been doing it forever. As the kids were swimming we noticed a young man having his photo taken and to our surprise we discovered that it was World Champion and Record holder Mitch Larkin. Mitch was kind enough to have his photo taken with all the kids and even hung around to give the kids advice and tips on swimming. After our brush with fame we moved onto our next activity which was a tour around the Sydney Olympic Park by the very knowledgeable Sandra. As all the young ones were



just a twinkle in their parents eyes when the Sydney 2000 Olympic games was on, Sandra was able to give them a history of the development of the park for the games as well as show them some of the remarkable sculptures etc. that have been left there as a legacy to the games.

After our tour we had an early dinner then it was back to the pool for the main event – the finals. Many of Australia's finest were swimming tonight and the kids were treated with a visit from Coast & Valley's very own Maddison Elliott and Taylor Corry. The girls were very happy to talk to the kids and sign autographs for them and we thank them for the time they spent with

them. We then split our kids into 3 teams for basket duties and headed down to pool deck for the start of the evening.

As if our day wasn't full of enough excitement, being so close to action was more than we anticipated. Seeing the likes of Cameron McEvoy, James Magnusson, Thomas Fraser-Holmes, the McKeon and Campbell siblings and of course our new best friend Mitch Larkin was a dream come true. I was taken completely by surprise when one of the kids come over to me with a gold medal around his neck that had been given to him by Cate Campbell after winning the 100 Freestyle. She informed me that she appreciated the work that the basket carriers do and wanted to reward them somehow. Madison Wilson soon followed giving her gold medal from the 200m Backstroke. This was very generous of both girls and shows what wonderful and grounded people they are.



As we boarded the bus to make our way home I was sure that the kids would all be very tired after our big day but they were still buzzing with the excitement as were we. We had been given such a wonderful opportunity, more than we could have asked for and I was very proud of all the kids for their behaviour and the respect they showed our elite swimmers. Thank you to the parents who came on the day and to Jarrod Anthony and Narelle Murphy for their time and effort.

Melisa Geale

Manager

JES Squad