

Upcoming Fixtures

11 June 2016

Southern Junior League Round 1

1st July 2016

Graham Cutting Memorial Gala

2 July 2016

Bristol Central SC 12u Junior
Gala

9 July 2016

Southern Junior League Round 2

14 - 20 August 2016

ASA SW Region Development
Camp "Bryanston" 11+ years
See Phil Brake/Paul Sartain

10 September 2016

Southern Junior League Round 3

Bristol North WSM

17th & 24th September
See coach for entry form

1st & 2nd October

Somerset ASA Development
Meet, Millfield

8 October 2016

Arena League Round 1

9th October 2016

City of Bristol 800/1500m
Distance Events to obtain
ranking times for Counties

Congratulations to Paul Sartain on becoming the 14th Somerset President 2016. Pictured below are past Presidents Dennis Toogood, Phil Brake and Barb Cutting. Out of the 14 Somerset Presidents BDSC have had 4 honorary places!



BDSC AGM 20th June 2016 7.45 p.m Bath Sports and Leisure Centre

All members are welcome to attend this event to hear about the club over the last year and the forthcoming year and to have your vote for the new management committee. To vote members need to be at least 16 years of age at the date of the AGM. We have 3 positions vacant for 2016 as follows:-

- Welfare Officer (approx 2 hours a month and attendance at 4 x management meetings). Job description available.
- Swimming/Competition Secretary (hours vary depending on the swimming calendar plus attendance at 4 x committee meetings and 4 x coaches meetings. Job description available.
- Male Committee Member.

At the 2017 AGM we will also have a vacancy for a treasurer.



If you are interested in any of the positions available please see Paul Sartain or Sue Woolley.

Facebook/Twitter/Instagram

Communication to members will be via email in the first instance but we are also using the following 3 social media sites to communicate information. We are hoping for the old website to be online very shortly with a new and improved version by the end of September 2016.

Bath Dolphin SC



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Graham Cutting Gala 1st July 2016

This annual event will be held at Bath Sports & Leisure Centre on 1st July 2016. All swimmers eligible to enter and can do races in all 4 strokes. Sign up sheets are now available at the desk on Tuesdays or see you coach.

A big well done to our younger swimmers in our Teaching Group held at Kingswood Pool on Friday's. The following swimmers received their Stage 4 Badge.

Pia. L
Emily. W
Malika. V
Gala. M



Congratulations to Lily Enright who completed a 5k swim for Sport Relief and raised £250.



Salisbury Open Meet 5th June 2016 - Message from Phil and Steve

A team of 36 swimmers from Bath Dolphin descended on the 5 Rivers Leisure Centre in Salisbury for their annual Open Meet.

A superb series of swims from all the swimmers produced a total of 37 medals! 11 Gold, 15 Silver and 11 Bronze.

I was so privileged to be there and watch our swimmers give their all in pursuit of PB's and medals. Some of the younger swimmers were competing for the very first time - and came away with medals! Two swimmers, Ellie and Rebecca, came from our teaching groups to race in their very first Open.



All 36 swimmers' produced PB's, and at the end of a long, hot day, as usual at gala's, they were still swimming their hearts out to achieve a PB.

I would have to mention every swimmer by name to do them justice, but they can **ALL** feel very proud of their achievements and I'm sure they can all use this Open as a springboard to a much higher level of competition and podium placing's.

The previous weekend, 2 of our swimmers', Molly and Stan, competed at The Southwold Open Meet and Molly came away with 2 silver medals and Stan a very creditable 4th place. **Phil**

A big thank you to all the swimmers who swam in the Salisbury Open, it was an absolute pleasure to be part of such a memorable day. All your hard work in training was very evident from the amazing swims you pulled out, the starts and turns were awesome. Well done to each and every one of you. **Steve**

New BDSC Swim Bags

A welcome addition to the club kit our fabulous TYR bags!



Summer Pool Swimming Timetable

Friday 29 July 16 last session at Bath Sports & Leisure Centre (BSLC) & Kingswood School.

Saturday 30 July 16 last early morning squad training session at Monkton Combe.

Sunday 31 July to Tuesday 9 August 16 - no swimming '**2 week shut down**'.

Sessions Restart

Tuesday 16 Aug 16 BSLC Squad & Teaching Level 6 to 10 Junior Squad Kingswood School.



Friday 19 Aug 16 Junior Squad Only Kingswood School

Tuesday 23 Aug 16 BSLC Squad & Teaching Level 6 to 10 Junior Squad Kingswood School

Friday 26 Aug 16 Junior Squad Only Kingswood School

Week commencing Tuesday 30 Aug 16 - Normal pool programme resumes all groups/squads.

Kingswood School Pool Closure

Kingswood Pool will be closed 11th to 14th July due to essential maintenance work to repair the roof.

And to finish to the newsletter a photo of Bath Dolphin Swimming Club in 1913
Pictured below is Bath Dolphin Swimming Club over 100 years ago on the banks of the River Avon at the Cleveland Pools, Bathwick.

