



Monday 6th January 2020 - NEWSLETTER 1



We hope you all had an enjoyable and restful Christmas and that all of our swimmers are ready for a busy start to the new year!

UPCOMING EVENTS:

LEICESTER WINTER LEAGUE RD 1 – Saturday 11th January 2020

A Team will be at Hinckley and B Team at Wellingborough. Thank you to those of you who accepted your places on the teams. All Round 1 galas are 6pm warm-up for 6.30pm. If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to ask.

NASA LC COUNTY CHAMPS 2020 – 18th, 25th, 26th Jan and 8th, 9th, 15th Feb – ENTRIES CLOSE 7pm TONIGHT!

Qualifying times, schedules and entry forms are now available on the club website. For those of you who are new to the County Champs entry system, qualifying times are based on the age your swimmer will be on the **31st December 2020** (swimmers must be at least 10 years old by this date) and times must be taken from a licensed meet and not be more than 12 months old (times from licensed meets are available on the 'individual best times' page on the asa rankings site - select last 12 months for the time period <https://www.swimmingresults.org/individualbest/>)

VOLUNTEERS:

As usual, we will be asked to provide a number of volunteers to cover a variety of roles at County Champs. Some of you may already have been contacted by our volunteer co-ordinator, if not (and



you would like to volunteer for a role) please contact Karen Coptcoat on ddscvolunteercoordinator@gmail.com

Could we please ask that any Club Champs individual event trophies from 2018 are returned asap so that they can be presented to the 2019 winners. This also applies to the Distance Champs trophies – thank you. If possible, could any returned trophies be given to Helen Martindale.



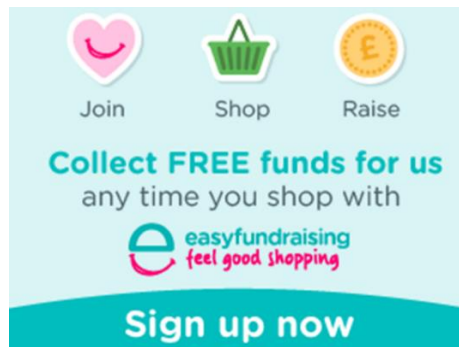
SQUAD HATS:

If you need to purchase a new squad hat, please speak to Rose poolside rather than ask coaches – thank you.

FUNDRAISING:

THE DAVENTRY DISTRICT LOCAL LOTTO:

Local Lotto is an exciting weekly lottery that raises money for good causes in the Daventry district. All good causes supported by the lottery will benefit the Daventry district and its residents. Each ticket costs £1 and has a 1 in 50 chance to win a prize each week, with a top prize of £25,000! That's a better chance of winning than the National Lottery or the Health Lottery! There will be a draw every Saturday night when a 6 digit winning combination will be picked. Prizes will be given to players with tickets that match the first or last 2-6 numbers from the winning combination. Match all 6 and you win the JACKPOT! <https://www.local-lotto.co.uk/support/daventry-dolphins-swimming-club>



If you are new to the club (or an existing member!) and have any questions at all, please don't hesitate to speak one of our committee members who will try their very best to help you out. Contact details are as follows:

Club Chair (Jackie Browne): ddschairman@gmail.com

Club Secretary (Mel Sharp): ddsclubsecretary@gmail.com

Club Treasurer (Joanne Laidlaw): ddsctreasurers@gmail.com

Team Manager/Membership Enquiries (Rose Boyd-Coates): ddscteammanager@gmail.com

Fixtures Secretary (Kirstin McCleary): ddsfixturessecretary@gmail.com

Non Committee:

Volunteer Co-ordinator (Karen Coptcoat): ddscvolunteercoordinator@gmail.com

Website enquiries/support (Kian Saville): ddsckianit@gmail.com