

ONB Meeting January 2024

SwimMark and Club Affiliation

We remind Clubs that, from the 1st November there are some mandatory changes to the training required for both SwimMark and club affiliation clubs. We are encouraging clubs to prepare for this early by attending the three mandatory courses listed below;

- Club chair good governance workshop <https://www.swimming.org/swimengland/running-your-club/>
- Welfare Officer good governance workshop <https://www.swimming.org/swimengland/running-your-club/> (this is in addition to the Time to Listen course)
- Foundations of inclusivity workshop <https://www.swimming.org/ios/course-information/foundations-of-inclusivity/>
- Introduction to Disability CPD <https://www.swimming.org/ios/course-information/introduction-disability-swimming/>
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South East Training/ Workshops

Time to Listen courses – 22nd February & 1st May

<https://www.southeastswimming.org/time-to-listen-training/>

Team Manager 1

These courses are all currently full but please sign up to the waiting list, via the link

<https://www.southeastswimming.org/volunteers/team-managers/team-manager-1/>

There is a lot of movement on the courses, and spaces do become available. All clubs are urged to add members to the waiting list as it will be emailed as soon as spaces become available (as an indication, on the most recent, fully booked course, there were 12 cancellations). Members on the courses will also receive direct emails about any new courses that open up.

Please contact kate.hutchinson@southeastswimming.org if you have any questions.

Club Health Tracker Introduction Webinars

Information provided by our Swim England colleague Alice Fairhall

Safeguarding Training

From the 1st January, the Swim England Safeguarding training became the only approved course

<https://www.swimming.org/ios/course-information/swim-england-safeguarding/>

Please note that from January 1st, all poolside workforce aged 16+ need to have undertaken a safeguarding course.

Clubs are reminded that the South East will support the cost of this training through our bursary scheme

<https://www.southeastswimming.org/safeguarding-bursary-application/>