

## Warwickshire Champs Week 2 @ Coventry 9.3.13

At the second week of the 2013 Warwickshire Championships, Boldmere SC swimmers continued to break records at the 3rd and 4th sessions of the County Championships, with 107 more PB times and 2 Long Course Club Records recorded - which produced 26 more medalists, 10 Championship Finalists and 3 new County Champions and on Junior Champion.

Joey Stanger continued his winning ways from week one with two more Freestyle county titles in the 200m and 800m events. In the latter he sliced 13 seconds off his PB to set a new club record while also lowering his 200m best time. Steve Wilson collected silver in the 15/18 age group while also being third fastest overall with bronze championship medal. There were five more medals from the 200m event with Ben Stanford (13/14) claiming a silver, Archie Langston and Ryan Andrews (11/12) silver and bronze and finally Ben Smith & Toby Chiles (9/10) gold and bronze.

In the boys 100m Backstroke Jordan Youngman bagged himself another Junior Champion title in a new PB time of 1.03.14, which was the fastest qualifying time for the final. However, with Jordan preferring to conserve energy for a relay straight after the final, Adam Hall and Steve Wilson went head to head with Adam taking the gold on the Senior title with Steve the silver.

In the girls 50m Breaststroke three Boldmere swimmers made the final; Alex Dolan, Gina Luckett and Emily Gordon qualifying 4th, 5th and 6th respectively with Alex improving

her time and one place to claim a bronze. In the Boys event 20 year old Matt Fitt qualified third fastest for the final but was edged out into fourth spot just missing out on a medal while Roan Griffiths (11/12) and Toby Chiles (9/10) both secured a bronze in their age groups.

There were three girl finalists, Katie Richardson, Emily Gordon and Alex Dolan, in the 200IM. Alex improved her heat time by two seconds to take 4th spot while in the 13/14 age group Kate Davies was second fastest to win a silver and ten year old Lily Wood (9/10) a bronze.

In the longer 400IM event Ben Stanford (10/14) added to his medal collection with a silver. In the equally grueling event, the 200m Fly 12 year old Ryan Andrews was on form with a five second PB to take the gold in the 11/12 age group, which also saw Leo Karski, collect bronze.

In the 5 relay events, Boldmere achieved 5 podium finishes, picking up three brilliant Gold's in the 10 Yr + 4 x 100m Medley (Charlotte Smith, Gina Luckett, Rachel Wilson and Dolan), the Boys 11-16Yrs 4 x 50m Medley (Wilson, Youngman, Matt Price and Stanford) and the Boys 9-10 Yrs 4 x 50m Freestyle (James Goodwin, Acer Woolley, Toby Chiles and Ben Smith) slicing 3 seconds off the club record.

In the Mens 4 x 100m Medley Adam Hall, Stanger, Youngman and Wilson went home with silvers around their necks while the younger 9/10 girls Medley team of Holly Bloor, Lily Wood. Alex Bartley and Abbey Turnbull received bronze for their third place finish.

