

Club President's Message

Hello and welcome back to the 2023 Club Night Season. I hope you all had an amazing Christmas and New Year with your families. I am sure all our swimmers enjoyed a well earned break and are now ready to get back into it. I am very proud to be new President of Grace swimming club and look forward to a successful season.

We had 5 swimmers head out for the National Open Water meet over in Perth. It looked like an amazing experience for them. Well done Alia, Samuel, Samantha, Josh and Lily on your hard work and efforts. We also saw 27 swimmers go to Brisbane Sprints last weekend and we saw some great swims by all - well done team.

I wanted to thank our amazing committee who have supported me in my new role and I am so glad to have them to help run this club. Please say 'Hi' to us around pool deck. We have Peter Coulson (VP), Steven Hind (Secretary), Harvey Foroush (Treasurer), Paul Chambers (Registrar), Toni O'Keeffe / Garth Kewley and Royden Puzey also on the committee. Lets not forget our Race secretary, Sandra Hill and Steve Todd who pulls our club nights and club champs together.

I will also take time to mention as without them the club would not run our Flippers Team - Sahtina Miller, Suzy Baker and Lara Puzy.

We always need more volunteers so please: bake some treats; time keep and help out where you can.

This all helps towards the 9 volunteer acts for awards night attendance.

Lastly, tonight is a great night to stock up on **Grace Swim Caps** - They are **selling tonight for only \$10** - Please see Renee

So, from my first club night Enjoy and I look forward to a great season.

Lyndsay Lawler Club President



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Keeping Up To Date

Our website and Facebook pages are great ways to stay up to date with what is happening. Make sure all your family and friends also like our Facebook page and keep up to date too.

Meet Mobile: For those of you who are new to Club Nights. Meet Mobile is an "App" which is downloaded and used for tracking your Swimmer's results each week. Please feel free to ask any of our club members should you have any questions on how to use this App.



Club Payments

Bank Account Details

Please ensure any payments that are related to Grace Swimming Club are deposited to the Swimming Club account with a meaningful reference such as Swimmers Surname and abbreviation of the funds purpose to ensure the funds are allocated to correct swimmer for correct purpose. Account details and suggested reference list follow.

Account Name BSB Account Number Reference		Grace Swim Club 034 059 219053 Swimmer surname & abbreviation of purpose of deposit			
<u>Purpose</u>	<u>Abbreviation</u>	<u>Purpose</u>	<u>Abbreviation</u>	<u>Purpose</u>	<u>Abbreviation</u>
Training Shirt	TS	State Singlet	SS	Trophy Night	TN
Swim Cap	SC	Club Shirt	CS	Associate Membership	AssocM or AM

Any deposits for Squad or Learn to swim fees are to be deposited to the Grace Swimming Operations account, BSB 034059 Account 344735. *We also have a pay square at each club night*.

Should you ever want to clarify the account details or have any enquiry regarding Swimming Club payments you are welcome to contact the treasurer on email at <u>treasurer@graceswim.org.au</u>.

Wishing you all a good week ahead,

Harvey	Foroush
Treasure	er

Uniform Information

Grace Swimming Uniforms are available for all swimmers who are competing at any level. All swimmers competing at outside meets *must* have a Grace swim cap and Grace polo. Available every club night or contact Renee to book an appointment \bigcirc

Polo's \$49	Hoodies \$60	Caps \$20	Trucker hats \$15	T-shirts \$25
(includes name embroidery))	·		

Renee Tragis Uniform Co-ordinator

2022/2023 COMMITTEE

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Club Night

Welcome everyone to the back half of the season. Trusting everyone one had a safe and relaxing holiday period. No doubt some are glad the holidays are over and the kids back to school, so they can have a break from the kids!

Looking back to last club night, we had a number away on holidays, but those who attended received treats from Santa's Elves, who really looked the part in their outfits. **Sam** discovered that his Santa suit didn't give him the edge in the 100 breast that he was hoping for. **Max** achieved a PB in his 50 back to add his name to the record book one last time before moving to a new club and school. 55 PB swims were achieved with **Josh M** doing four of them and **Lachlan M** three.

 Male 13 yrs 50 Back
 New:
 32.28 Max Cunningham 7/12/2022
 32.48 Trent Cowell 14/03/2012

Other notable PB's were swum by Sebastian B, Zephyr H, Leo L, Nolan L, Edward M, Curtis R, Sheldon V & Esjay W.

Qualifying for events were; 50 back: **Keira W** 200 back: **Casey L, Lachlan M**

Events for next week, 8th February:

200/400/800	12.5/25/50/100	12.5/25/50/100	12.5/25/50/100
Free	Fly	Free	Back

All enquiries about club night nominations can be directed to me at: clubnight@graceswim.org.au

Steve Todd Club Night Co-ordinator

Out and About

<u>Results</u>				
10 - 16 December 2022 - Queensland State Championships				
Relays top 10:				
14yr Mixed Medley A	8th			
Relays Top20:				
14yr&U Girls free	12th	14&U Boys Medley	18th	
14&U Boys Free	20th			

Regional Relay Medallist: Olivia 1st 14yr&U Girls 4x50m Freestyle relay

Team Grace Individual Entries: Samuel, Sebastian, Soha, Elailah, Alia, Olivia, Lily, Sienna P, Lauren, Joshua, Macey, Brock

<u>Top 10:</u>

Max (13yr) 1st 100 fly, 3rd 100 free 3rd 50 free

Lily (17yr) 4th 50 back *Olivia* (14yr) 8th 50 free *Samuel* (14yr) 8th 800 free *Macey* (13yr) 10th 50 back <u>Top 20:</u>

Samuel (14yr) 18th 400 fr Macey (13yr) 19th 200 back, 20th 100 back

Lily (17yr) 13th 100 back, 16th 200 back *Alia* (14yr) 11th 1500 free, 14th 800 free, 19th 400 free *Olivia* (14yr) 12th 100 free, 12th 200 free, 19th 200IM

<u>2023</u>

14 January - Lawnton Sprint LC Meet

<u>JNR</u>

Maddison M (9yr) 2nd 50 brs, 2nd 50 back, 3rd 50 fly, 3rd 50 free Hayden F (11yr) 2nd 50 brs, 3rd 50 free SNR

 Macey (13yr) 2nd 50 back, 3rd 50 fly
 Soha (14yr) 1st 50 fly, 2nd 50 back, 2nd 50 free

 Mia (15yr) 2nd 50 fly, 2nd 50 brs, 2nd 50 free, 3rd 50 back
 Maddison-Rose (16yr) 2nd 50 back, 3rd 50 free

 John (14yr) 2nd 50 brs
 Sebastian (12yr) 3rd 50 free

21 January - Bracken Ridge SC Transition Meet

<u>JNR</u>

 Leopold (5yr) 1st 25m back, 2nd 25m fly, 2nd 25m free, 2nd 25m brs
 Jack R (10yr) 3rd 100 free

 Declan (8yr) 1st 25m brs, 3rd 25m back
 Lachlan M (10yr) 2nd 50 fly, 2nd 100 free

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 Rachael (11yr) 2nd 50 back, 2nd 50 free, 3rd 200 free
 Oliver (11yr) 3rd 50 fly, 3rd 100 brs

 Sheldon (13yr) 1st 50 brs, 1st 100 brs, 3rd 100 free
 Freya (12yr) 3rd 100 brs

25-28 January - Australian Open Water Championships

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Team Grace: Samuel, Joshua, Alia, Samantha, Lily -all in 5km events
Joshua (14yr) 7<sup>th</sup> Samuel(15yr) - 8<sup>th</sup> Lily (18yr) 8<sup>th</sup> Alia (15yr) 18<sup>th</sup> Samantha (15yr) 39<sup>th</sup>
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SAVE THE DATES!!

- Club Championships: The weekend of 25th and 26th March, 2023 Grace Swimming Pool
- 22/23 Presentation Night: Saturday 6th May, 2022 Norths Leagues Club 5:30pm till late

28-29 January - Brisbane Sprint Championships

Team Grace: Jack R, Lachlan M, Sienna P, Casey, John, Olivia, Abbey, Alia, Freya, David, Maddison M, Chloe W, Oliver, Maddison-Rose, Hayden F, Lachlan F, Macey, Mia, Bronte, Sheldon, Imogen, Brock, Blade

Medallist: Macey (13yr) 3rd 50 back

Top 10: Olivia (14yr) 9th 50 free

<u>Top 20:</u> Macey (13yr) 11th 50 free Lachlan F (11yr) 11th 50 brs, 14th 50 free Olivia (14yr) 16th 50 back

Maddison M (9yr) 14th 50 back Maddison-Rose (16yr) 20th 50 fly

Meets Open for Nomination 2023

18 Feb - Genesis SC Five Way Meet (Genesis, Grace, Lawnton, Albany Creek, The Lakes College) - Minimum age is 6yr, \$30 for 4 events - closing date: 11 Feb

JNR Relay option: Mixed 8yr to 12yr Freestyle (10x25m) - same as Jnr Mets!

SNR Relays: 4x50m freestyle Men, 4x50m freestyle Women

26 Feb - Ipswich Grammar LC Jnr Development Meet - closes 21 February

5 March - Albany Creek SC Transition Meet - closes 26 February

10-12 March - Brisbane Snr Metropolitan Championships **TARGET MEET** - for swimmers 13yrs and over qualifying times apply - closes 28 February

2023 Dates to Save

18-19 March - Speedo Prep Meet & Jess Schipper Challenge **TARGET MEET** - qualifying times apply for swimmers 11yr and over

1-2 April - Brisbane Jnr Metropolitan Championships**TARGET MEET** - 8yrs to 12yrs, includes 25m relays, qualifying times apply - RELAY EOI coming out soon

7-15 April - Australian Age Championships - qualifying times apply (Gold Coast)

17-20 April - Australian Championships - qualifying times apply (Gold Coast)

Nominations for meets are completed through Swim Central

Websites for information:

Swimming Brisbane - https://swimmingbrisbane.org.au/

Swimming Queensland - https://qld.swimming.org.au/

Swimming Australia - https://www.swimming.org.au/

Check your emails for updates

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Sandra Hill Race Secretary



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