

Newsletter 97: 23rd November 2022

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Club President's Message

Well, it certainly heated up this week in the atmosphere and the pool!! Some great results at Albany Creek. Well done to all swimmers who competed.

I'm really happy to announce that 13 Grace swimmers have qualified for State titles in December. We look forward to seeing how they all go. Make sure you get your entries in!

Last week we held our monthly committee meeting and discussed changes to the club committee vacancies due to families departing in 2023. I would like to announce the new and rearranged committee as of December 17th:

President:	Lyndsay Lawler
Vice President:	Peter Coulson
Committee member:	Roydon Puzey
Committee member:	Garth Kewley
Committee member:	Roydon Puzey

Thank you to these wonderful parents for taking on a new challenge.

Thank you to Renee Tragis who has volunteered to take on the Uniform Coordinator role.

We are still looking for someone to take on the newsletter. Andrea is more than happy to do a handover with the person who takes it on.

I look forward to celebrating the end of another swimming year at The Grace Parents drinks on 26th November. I hear that we will be the first customers!

A huge shout out to the new *IGA at Newport* who have donated \$2000 to the club. We will be using some of the money to support our State shirts which will be given out at the State dinner in December. State swimmers, please check emails for information about this. Other funds will be used to support Flippers café.

Have a great week 😊

Yours in swimming,

David Cunningham Club President



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 Numbe Reference	r	Grace Swim Club 034 059 219053 Swimmer surname & a	bbreviation of purp	pose of deposit	
Abbreviations <u>Purpose</u> Training Shirt	<u>Abbreviation</u> TS	<u>Purpose</u> State Singlet	<u>Abbreviation</u> SS	<u>Purpose</u> Trophy Night	<u>Abbreviation</u> 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 treasurer@graceswim.org.au.

Wishing you all a good week ahead,

Harvey Foroush Treasurer

Uniform Information

Grace Swimming Uniforms are avaiable for all swimmers who are competing at any level. All swimmers competing at outside meets *must* have a Grace swim cap and Grace polo. Please see Andrea Cunningham or Heather Smith.

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

Andrea Cunningham and Heather Smith Uniform Co-ordinators

2022/23 COMMITTEE

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Newsletters/Trophy Night Andrea Cunningham M: 0407 032 059

Club Night

Last week **Leopold** made a quick dash to the halfway rope to claim the short distance fly record.

Male 5yrs 12.5 Fly

New: 14.94 Leopold Rattenbury 16/11/2022 15.51 Oliver Hilleary 1/02/2017

Sam B achieved a new PB in all his 4 events, with Hunter M, Curtis R and Freya S doing likewise in 3 events. Jack R took 20 secs off his 100 fly, Henry S 16 & 13 secs off 200 breast & 100 fly, Samantha B 13 secs off 200 breast, and Hayden F 15 secs off his 200 breast, being part of the 96 PB swims for the night.

Qualifying times were achieved to progress to:50/100 back:Rose D, Lachlan F, Chloe M200 back:Kristian N, Maddox P50/100 fly:Samuel P200 fly:Henry S50/100 free:Nathan L

Events for next week, 30/11/2022:

	12.5/25/50/100 Freestyle	12.5/25/50/100 Breaststroke	12.5/25/50/100 Butterfly	100/200/400 Individual Medley
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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>

20 November – Albany Creek LC Prep Meet Jnr Results Jack R (9yr) 1st 200 free, 2nd 200IM, 2nd 100 back, 2nd 100 brs Lachlan M (10yr) 1st 100 fly, 2nd 50 free Freya (11yr) 3rd 50 brs, 3rd 50 fly David (10yr) 3rd 50 brs Hayley (11yr) 3rd 100 fly Lachlan F (11yr) 1st 50 free, 1st 50 brs, 1st 50 back, 1st 50 fly Snr Results Macey (13yr) 1st 200 back, 1st 100 free, 2nd 100 back, 2nd 50 free Olivia (14yr) 1st 50 free, 2nd 100 fly, 2nd 50 free Max (13yr) 1st 100 fly, 1st 50 free John (14yr) 1st 100 brs, 3rd 50 brs Joshua (13yr) 1st 100 free, 3rd 400 free Sebastian (12yr) 2nd 100 free, 2nd 50 fly Alia (14yr) 2nd 100 free, 3rd 200 free, 3rd 200 back Henry (12yr) 2nd 100 fly Mia (15yr) 3rd 100 free, 3rd 50 fly Ashlyn (12yr) 3rd 100 brs Samantha (14yr) 3rd 50 back

Meets closed 26 November – Rackley Hibiscus LC Transition Meet 27 November – Churchie Jnr SC Transition 3 December – Nudgee College LC Jnr Transition

10 – 16 December - Queensland State Championships

Meets Open for Nomination

21 January – Bracken Ridge SC Transition Meet – maximum 5 events per swimmer; capped at 125 swimmers per session, age of swimmers 6yr&U to 13yrs closes 13 January

Note: Bracken Ridge SC transition Meet includes 25m races for swimmers 8yr and under – great for Brisbane Jnr Mets (1-2 April) where swimmers 8yrs old swim 25m events in all 4 strokes and 100 free

26 January – Waterworx SC Transition Meet – maximum 5 events per swimmer; capped at 150 swimmers per session, closes 18 January

25-28 January - Australian Open Water Championships - qualifying times apply - Busselton WA

2023 Dates to Save

14 January – Lawnton Sprint LC Meet –****TARGET MEET**** - 50m events only – this meet is for qualifying times for both Brisbane and Qld Sprint Championships

26 January – Australia Day LC Meet Gatton

28-29 January - Brisbane Sprint Championships –**TARGET MEET** - swimmers 8yrs and over - qualifying times apply (tba)

5 February – Belgravia LC Prep Meet **TARGET MEET**

11-12 February – Qld Sprint Championships **TARGET MEET** – swimmers 10yrs and over – qualifying times apply

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

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

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 - <u>https://qld.swimming.org.au/</u> Swimming Australia - <u>https://www.swimming.org.au/</u>

Please note swimming has a short break over Christmas, the long break is between Long Course and Short Course season – mid -April to mid-May. Check your emails for updates Any queries: <u>graceswimming.racesec@gmail.com</u>

Sandra Híll Race Secretary



SAVE THE DATES!!

- Grace Swimming Parents Christmas Drinks: Saturday 26th November Era Bar and Grill
- Swimmers Christmas party and last training for 2023: Saturday 17th December Grace Swimming Pool
- 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



