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Club President's Message

Welcome to another Club Night.

What a wonderful weekend of competing we have had! Congratulations to all swimmers who represented Grace swimming. I was at the Rackley meet on Sunday at Centenary and we received a special 'shout out' from the announcer for how amazing Grace swimming was at supporting each other. It was a proud moment!

In November we have the Redcliffe LC Prep meet, this is a great opportunity for new competitive swimmers to have a go at racing. I would love to see all competitive swimmers attend this meet.

We *still* have an opening for Treasurer this season, if you are interested, please let me or any other committee member know. Anthony will be more than happy to complete a handover and support during transition.

The success of the club is determined by its volunteers. Please be prepared to "step up" each week whether it is timekeeping, canteen or marshalling. Don't be afraid if you haven't done it before, we can show you. We seem to be having trouble filling our spaces each week.

Please remember to get your nominations in online by 5pm the Monday prior, this will allow our Club Night Coordinator to get start lists ready to ensure the night runs smoothly.

I hope you are all coming to the Parents Christmas Drinks on November 27th. Please RSVP to Lyndsay by the 19th of November.

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 Number Reference		Grace Swim Club 034 059 219053 Swimmer surname & abbreviation of purpose 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.

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,

Anthony Duyzer Treasurer

Uniform Enquiries

Grace Swimming Uniforms are avaiaable for all swimmers who are competing at any level. Please see Andrea Cunningham or Heather Smith.

Polo's \$49 (includes name embrodiery)	Hoodies \$60	Caps \$20

Andrea Cunningham and Heather Smith	
Uniform Co-ordinators	

2021/22 COMMITTEE

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Club Night

Sophia & David Behrens and **Eli Callow** joined us for a night trial last week. Welcome. **Axel Miller** may have been the first three year young club swimmer in Grace Club history as he swam his way to the halfway rope last week. Awesome effort **Axel**, looking forward to seeing you progress in the years to come.

Leopold Rattenbury broke a record, which had stood for 12 years, at just his third club night. Racing in the 100 free saw **Max Cunningham** produce a new record swim knocking Coach Josh off from another of his records from 14 years ago. I commiserate with you Josh, as **Oliva Smith** wiped my daughter's name off of her free record from 12 years ago, grrrr. Kidding! Congrats **Olivia**, I have a feeling it won't be the last of my daughter's, and Josh's, records to change names with the talent we presently have in our club. **Lily Smith** broke the 100 back record just a fingernail ahead of **Max** as he bettered a 10 year old record too. Great racing by everyone!

Male 4yrs & Under 12.5 Free	New: 15.27 Leopold Rattenbury 20/10/21			
	15.44 Morgan Chippendale 4/02/2009			
Male 12yrs 100 Free	New: 1:01.85 Max Cunningham 20/10/21			
	1:04.54 Joshua Duyzer 12/12/2007			
Male 12yrs 100 Back	New: 1:13.05 Max Cunningham 20/10/21			
	1:13.47 Trent Cowell 2/03/2011			
Female 13yrs 100 Free	New: 1:01.74 Olivia Smith 20/10/2021			
	1:02.99 Sarah Todd 11/11/2009			
Female 16yrs 100 Back	New: 1:13.03 Lily Smith 20/10/2021			

111 PB swims were swum, with a host of 7pt swims. The biggest improvements were by: Oliver A, Abbey B, Samantha B, Lyra C, Jacob E, Lachlan F, Cayleigh G, Rachael G, Macey L, Harrison M, Emily M, Mitchell M, William M, Xander M, Lachlan M, Blade M, Brock M, Maddox P, Lucas P, Curtis R, Leopold R, Elailah R, Freya S, Noah S, Henry S, Olivia S, Evan S, Harry S, Robert S, Chloe W, Katelyn W, with Brayden W taking a huge 33 secs off his 100 IM time from the end of last season!

1:14.51 Tinishya Willis Eleftheriou 13/11/19

25m swimmers who swam under the qualifying times for 50m events were: Free: **Sophia B, Eli C, Brayden W** Back: **Eli C** Fly: **Eli C**

Also qualifying for/were: 200 Free: Lauren D, Brock M 200 Fly: Lauren D 200 Back: Freya S 200 IM: Lauren D, Noah B, Cayleigh G, Isaac B, Harry S, Evan S, Hayden F, Maddox P, Katelyn W, Abbey B, Levi S, Chloe W 400 IM: Max C, Samantha B **Remember**: 25m swimmers who have qualified for a 50m event do not accrue points if they continue to swim 25m in that stroke.

Events for next week 3rd November:

200 Backstroke	12.5/25/50/100 Free	12.5/25/50/100 Breast	12.5/25/50/100 Fly	
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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 'n' About



23 October – Cooroy Transition Meet Team Grace: Jack, Leopold, Will D, Larni Lots of PBs and Top 10 finishes from all our swimmers at Cooroy Will (7yr) picked up 2nd in 25m back and 3rd in 25 free

24 October – Rackley Centenary LC Prep Meet Team Grace: Joshua, Rachael, Declan, Lucas K, Oliver, Lachlan, Brooke, Soha, Henry, Olivia, Ben, Lauren, Macey, Leo, Alexander, Maddison C, Isaac, Jensen, Lily, Sheldon, Hayden, Lydia, Blade, Brock, Mia, Alia, Freya, Cayleigh, Lucas, Max, Larni, Anna, Ava, Katelyn Jnr Session Medallists:

Jack 8yr 1st 50 brs, 1st 100 free, 3rd 50 free, 3rd 50 back; Freya 10 yr 2nd 50 fly3rd 50 free; Lydia 11yr 2nd 100 brs, 3rd 50 brs; Brock 11yr 2nd 200IM, 3rd 50 fly, 3rd 100 brs; Oliver 10yr 3rd 50 fly, 3rd 100 brs Snr Session Medallists:

Max 12yr 1st50 free, 1st 50 fly, 1st 100 fly, 1st 50 back, 1st 100 free; Macey 12yr 1st 50 free, 1st 50 back, 1st 100 free; Olivia 13yr 1st 50 free, 2nd 200 free, 2nd 800 free; Soha 13yr 2nd 50 free, 3rd 50 back, 3rd 100 free; Sheldon 12yr 2nd 100 brs; Joshua 12yr 2nd 50 fly; Lucas 13yr 1st 50 brs, 2nd 100 free, 3rd 50 back; Mia H 14yr 2nd 100 fly; Brooke 14yr 2nd 50 back; Hayden 13yr 2nd 50 brs, 3rd 100 brs; Ava 14yr 3rd 100 fly; Alia 1st 1500 free

Upcoming Meets (closed)

29 October – Bond Swimming Club Distance Meet – Team Grace: Alia

30 October – Gympie Gold Rush - Team Grace: Jack

7 November – Brisbane Relay Championships

Upcoming Meets Open for Nomination

5-6 November – Kawana Waters Prep Meet – closes 27th October (tonight!)

12-14 November – Medal Shots LC Prep Meet #2 – qualifying times apply – for competitive swimmers 12years and over **TARGET MEET for those aiming for States/Age Nationals/Nationals** Girls 13yr to 16yr should do 100 free at this meet for potential age relay purposes** - closing date: 2 November

21 November – Redcliffe LC Prep Meet - **TARGET MEET for all competitive swimmers/all squads** - New swimmers welcome to start – times not required to enter. <u>Last chance to get State qualifying times</u>. We want the biggest team ever to attend – everyone! Nominations Open 18 October; closes 9 November

27 November – Rackley Hibiscus Transition Meet –minimum age 7 years – maximum entries/swimmer is 5 - for swimmers who have not qualified/not old enough for States closes 18 November

4 December – Acacia Bayside Development IM Meet - \$5/ event maximum 5 events; rule tolerance 25m x all strokes and 100IM: non rule tolerance 50m x all strokes and 200IM – for swimmers who have not qualified/not old enough for States – closes 23 November

4 December – Ipswich Grammar School Swimming Club Transition Meet – Entry fee \$25 Flat fee – for 5 events (maximum 5 events per swimmer) – includes 7 years & Under Rule Tolerance events. Entries Open 1 November and close 30 November

11 December – Queensland State Relay Day – Club & Regional relays - (4x50m) for competitive swimmers 10yr to Open - based on Brisbane relay teams

12-17 December – Queensland State Championships - qualifying times apply – for competitive swimmers 12years and over - **TARGET MEET for those aiming for AGE /Open Nationals** - closing date 23 November <u>SAVE THE DATES 2022</u>

15 January – Lawnton Sprint Prep Meet (50m events only) – This meet is to qualify for Brisbane and/or Qld Sprint Champs

29-30 January - Brisbane Sprint Champs - QT apply, for swimmers 8years and over

6 February – Albany Creek Prep Meet – full program of events – to qualify for Brisbane Jnr and Snr Met Champs 12-13 February – Qld Sprint Champs – QT apply (Meet Info out now!) – 10 years and over – closes 1 February 19 February – Brisbane Jnr Mets Champs – QT apply, 8years to 12 years – includes 25m relays! Tip: check the qualifying times carefully as different ages swim different events (and you will have to wait until these qt to come out)

11-13 March – Brisbane Snr Mets Champs – QT apply – 12yrs distance events; 13yrs and over

More meets will be announced - watch this space!

Nominations for meets are completed through Swim Central

You can find flyers on the relevant regional pages:

Brisbane: https://brisbane.swimming.org.au/events.aspx

Wide Bay (Sunshine Coast to Bundaberg): <u>https://widebay.swimming.org.au/events.aspx</u>

Gold Coast: https://swimminggoldcoast.org.au/

Darling Downs (Toowoomba and surrounds): <u>https://ddrsa.swimming.org.au/</u>

For the list of all other club meets in QLD:

https://qld.swimming.org.au/club-approved-meet-calendar

Competitive members can attend outside meets

8yr & U members – you have competitive membership included in your membership – so you can race at outside meets too

Check your emails for updates

Any queries: graceswimming.racesec@gmail.com

Sandra Híll Race Secretary





