

Race Secretary's report

31 March 2017



Since the last Race Secretary's report dated 26 February 2017, our swimmers competed at the Redcliffe Development meet and the Brisbane Senior Metropolitan Championships.

Redcliffe Development meet

Congratulations to:

1. our medal winners: Bless Day (5 gold), Jesse Daly (gold and silver), Ivy Lauder (bronze), Leni Lauder (bronze), Blake Mikitis (gold and bronze) and Jessica Mikitis (gold, silver and bronze);
2. those who swam PBs: Bless Daly, Jesse Daly, Ivy Lauder, Leni Lauder and Jessica Mikitis; and
3. our first time competitors: Meg Barnes, Olivia Wytcherley, Brock O'Sullivan and Callum Jones.

Senior Met Championships

Congratulations to our Storm swimmers, Harry Estreich and Tim Estreich, who competed at the Senior Metropolitan Championships at Chandler. Tim swam a great PB in the 100 freestyle and Harry, also swimming a PB, was a finalist in the 100 breaststroke, placing 7th.

Brisbane Premiership – a record season for Sandgate

Together, under the inspirational guidance of Head Coach Jacqui Frances, our club has made history.

This season is the very first time Sandgate Storm was represented at all six Brisbane championship meets – Brisbane Short Course Championships, Brisbane Open Water, Brisbane Relay Championships, Brisbane Sprint Championships, Brisbane Junior Metropolitan Championships and Brisbane Senior Metropolitan Championships.

Thank you to our awesome swimmers for your sensational swimming. Thank you to our amazing parents for your much appreciated help, especially with timekeeping. Thank you to Head Coach, Jacqui, and her assistant coaches – Claire, Hamish and Lucas – for motivating our swimmers to give of their very best.

And the end result – **Sandgate has finished second** in the Third Division of the Brisbane Premiership. This means that **our club will be promoted and next season, we will compete in the Second Division.**

Catherine Murdoch

