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The Revesby Ripple



A Word from Your Committee

Welcome to the very first edition of The Revesby Ripple! As we close the books on May, your Committee wanted to take a moment to thank every swimmer, parent, and volunteer who helped make this month so successful.

May was a busy time for us, filled with personal bests and great energy on the pool deck. Our goal with this new monthly newsletter is to keep you better connected, informed about upcoming events, and celebrated for your achievements. We are excited to share this journey with you and look forward to keeping our community thriving all year long. See you at the pool!

Carnival Corner: May's External Highlights

Throughout May, a number of our members represented the Revesby Workers Swim Club at external carnivals, showing great sportsmanship, determination, and team spirit. We are incredibly proud of their hard work and the personal bests they achieved on the road. Below, we celebrate those standout performances and the dedication our swimmers bring to every race.

Our swimmers have been making waves across multiple meets this month! Here's a snapshot of their combined efforts:

NACSC Short Course Qualifying Meet – Swimmer Highlights

Nine of our talented swimmers competed at the NACSC Short Course Qualifying Meet, taking part in a total of 40 individual events. Our athletes delivered an impressive performance, achieving 18 personal bests, meaning 45% of their swims were PBs. The team also enjoyed great success on the podium, bringing home a collective medal haul of 4 gold, 10 silver, and 5 bronze medals.

Ripples St Marys Short Course Qualifying Meet – Swimmer Highlights

Two of our swimmers represented the club at the Ripples St Marys Short Course Qualifying Meet, competing in a total of 9 individual events. The team recorded 2 personal best performances, meaning 22.2% of their swims resulted in PBs.

Our swimmers also enjoyed success on the podium, bringing home an impressive medal tally of 1 Gold, 2 Silver, and 1 Bronze medal. Congratulations to all swimmers on their efforts and achievements.

Peakhurst Junior Sprint Meet – Swimmer Highlights

Nine of our swimmers competed at the Peakhurst Junior Sprint Meet, taking part in a total of 43 individual events. They recorded an impressive 20 personal bests, meaning 46.5% of their swims were PBs—a fantastic display of skill and determination!

The team also made a big impact on the podium, bringing home a medal tally of 8 Gold, 15 Silver, and 7 Bronze medals. Congratulations to all swimmers for their hard work and achievements.

NSW Short Course Preparation Meet – Swimmer Highlights

Seventeen of our swimmers took part in the NSW Short Course Preparation Meet, competing across 37 individual events. Our athletes achieved an outstanding 25 personal bests, meaning 67.6% of their swims were PBs—an incredible effort and a clear reflection of their hard work in training!

In the open events, our swimmers also made their mark on the podium, claiming 1 second place and 3 third-place finishes. Congratulations to all swimmers for their dedication and success at this meet. Your progress continues to make us proud!!



School Swimming Spotlight

The Secondary School Swimming season saw strong representation across all major pathways, with athletes competing at CHS, CIS, and CCC level competitions. Some of our amazing swimmers progressing through to All Schools.

At CCC, our swimmers included Arin, Keighly, Hallie, and Charlotte Saliba and Bianca all delivering strong performances against quality competition.

At CHS, a large group of swimmers proudly represented their schools: Marli, Koby, Madeline, Maclaren, Francis, Lachlan Fung-Ahn, Jaimee, Aiden, Marco, Analise, Alexia, and Lachlan Reid, all competing strongly across their events.

A standout achievement of the season was the number of swimmers who progressed through to All Schools, with Jaimee, Marli, Hallie, Keighly, and Lachlan Reid all earning selection and continuing their school swimming journey at the highest level.

NSW Primary School Championships (PSSA)

At the NSW Primary Schools Swimming Championships (NSWPSSA), Nora, Ruby, Kiahna and Kailani proudly represented the club at state level competition.

All swimmers gained valuable experience competing against the strongest primary school swimmers in New South Wales, delivering determined performances and showcasing great progress in their swimming development.



Club Nights in Action

Our Winter Club Nights kicked off in May with two fantastic evenings of racing, held on May 15th (Club Night 1) and May 29th (Club Night 2). The return of Championship Events brought plenty of excitement, energy, and fast swimming back to Friday nights at the pool.

This season has also introduced some exciting new features, including Club Night Records, which have already proven a huge hit with swimmers and added extra motivation across all age groups. We've also launched a raffle incentive, where swimmers earn entries simply by competing—each event swum earns one entry, with the prize being a fully paid 2026/2027 Revesby Workers Swim Club membership. The more you race, the better your chances!

Club Night Records

Club Night 1 – Girls 50m Breaststroke

- 10yrs - Nora Burhamsyah
- 13yrs - Jaimee Hugo
- 15yrs - Alexia Nicotra



Club Night 1 – Boys 50m Breaststroke

- 9&under - Owen Yang
- 15yrs - Marco Naidovski
- 16yrs&over - Brendan Kirkpatrick

Club Night 2 - Girls 100m Freestyle

- 10yrs - Ruby Faanu
- 11yrs - Aria Simpson
- 13yrs - Jaimee Hugo
- 14yrs - Keighly Altera
- 15yrs - Analise Nicotra
- 16&over - Madeline Buck

Club Night 2 - Boys 100m Freestyle

- 9&under - Owen Yang
- 11yrs - Noah Tirovski
- 14yrs - Koby Buck
- 15yrs - Lachlan Reid
- 16&over - Aiden Miller



Hearing from Our Community

Following our recent member survey, the committee would like to sincerely thank everyone who took the time to provide feedback. Your responses are incredibly valuable in helping us understand what is working well and where we can improve.

The committee will now carefully analyse all feedback received to identify any common themes, concerns, or suggestions. From here, we will look at what can be directly addressed and resolved, ensuring we continue to enhance the experience for all members both in and out of the pool.

Message from Harlee Elite



From my end, I'd love to share a warm thank you to the outgoing committee for their time and dedication, along with a big congratulations and thank you to all the volunteers stepping into the upcoming season, including the new executive team.

This winter season has already highlighted some exciting additions within the club. It's been fantastic to see so many smiling faces across social media and some tremendous racing being worn proudly by our members. There's a really positive energy building, which is great to see.

Wishing everyone the very best of luck for the upcoming season we're really excited for what's ahead. We're also looking forward to launching new members through our upcoming NXT WAVE trial days.

As always, if anyone has questions, please feel free to reach out to our coaches, Brendan and Hayley. Thanks again, and looking forward to seeing the season come together.

Alex

Coaches Corner

Hear directly from our coaching team! Our Head Coach Brendan and Coach Hayley share their insights, highlights from recent meets, and tips to keep swimmers improving both in and out of the pool.

Brendan

A warm welcome to all our new committee members and all our new Revesby Members for this season!

I would like to say a big "I am Back and ready to crush it" to everyone. After a very busy nationals campaign and a short trip away to refresh I am feeling very refreshed and ready to get stuck back into CARNIVAL season! As the cold emerges to attempt to dampen our spirits we say hello to SHORT COURSE SEASON (One of my very favourite swimming seasons!). We have a delightful calendar of events coming up for swimmers to test all their new found skills and speed! Remember if anyone is looking for information for carnivals and especially entries and what to enter please reach out to myself or the other coaches for information and also our amazing race secretary. It is great to see so many achievements over the past month and I am looking very forward to the months ahead. I also wanted to say how great it is to be continuously improving and growing our club nights and I want to thank all those involved in that. I hope to see everyone at the CBC pools soon!

Head Coach Brendan."

Hayley

A big congratulations to all our swimmers for their effort and commitment at training. It's been great to see strong attendance, positive attitudes, and a willingness to learn each session. Keep up the great work. We're excited to see what the rest of the season brings!

LETS GO WORKERS!

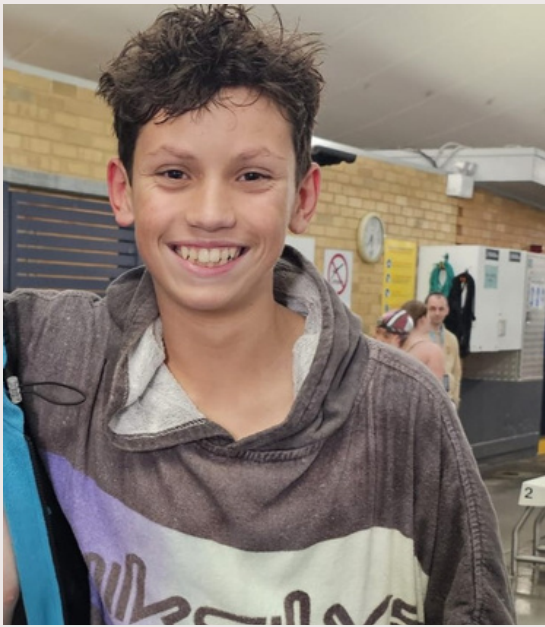
May Birthday Shoutouts 🎂 🎈

This month, we celebrate some very special members of the Revesby Workers Swim Club family! 🎉

- Philip Wilkie – our valued life member – another year wiser and still part of our swimming community.
- Owen Yang – celebrating his 10th birthday!
- Cooper Rutter – turning 11 years old this month.
- Juliana Naidovski – a dedicated swim mum and committee member, adding another year to her celebrations.
- Danielle Mathews – another wonderful swim mum and committee member marking her special day.
- Trisno Burhamsyah – a committed swim dad, celebrating his birthday this month.



Happy Birthday to all of you! Your contribution to our club, both in and out of the pool, is appreciated and celebrated. 🎂 🎈



Will
RUTTER

Cooper
RUTTER

Swimmer Spotlight

This month we shine the spotlight on brothers Will and Cooper Rutter, two dedicated members of our club who continue to show great enthusiasm both in and out of the pool.

Will Rutter (Age 13) trains in the Junior Gold squad and attends De La Salle Revesby. His favourite school subjects are Tech and PE, and when he's not in the pool he enjoys playing soccer and mountain biking. Will's favourite food is chocolate, and his childhood hero is Lightning McQueen. Coming from a strong sporting family—both of his parents, Rachael and Adam, are teachers—Will brings great focus and commitment to his swimming, with breaststroke as his favourite stroke.

Cooper Rutter (Age 11) swims in the Bronze squad and attends St Christopher's Panania. He enjoys Maths at school and also loves playing soccer outside of the pool. His favourite food is hot chips, and his childhood hero is Virgil van Dijk. Cooper's preferred stroke is freestyle, where he continues to develop confidence and strong technique.

Well done Will and Cooper—fantastic members of the club and great representatives of the Rutter family!

June at a Glance

There is plenty happening in June, with club nights, major competitions, and championship entry deadlines all fast approaching. Make sure to mark these important dates in your calendar!

Club Nights

- 12th June – Club Night 3 featuring the 50m Butterfly Championship Event
- 26th June – Club Night 4 featuring the 100m Backstroke Championship Event

External Meets & Competitions

- 6th June – Sydney Uni Short Course Open Meet (Entries close 3rd June at 5:00pm)
- 7th June – CASC Twilight Qualifying Meet (Entries have now closed)
- 8th–13th June – Australian Swimming Trials
- 28th June – SGSC Short Course Mini Meet (Entries close 23rd June at 11:59pm)

Important Entry Deadline

- MSW Short Course Championships – Entries close 24th June at 11:59pm
As always, keep an eye on Swim Central and club communications for updates, entry information, and any changes to event schedules.

Supporting Our Success

We would like to extend our sincere thanks to the generous businesses and organisations who have recently donated prizes to support our raffle for the upcoming Cranbrook Meet. The response has been outstanding, and we are truly grateful for the incredible generosity shown towards our club and swimmers.

These contributions play an important role in helping us continue to provide opportunities and support for our athletes. We encourage all members and families to show their appreciation by supporting these businesses whenever possible and spending their dollars with those who support our swimming community.

Thankyou for your generosity!!!

