

AMERSHAM SWIMMING CLUB - PRESS RELEASE

HATFIELD SWIMMING CLUB – LEVEL 2 LICENSED MEET – 10.02.07

A strong team of 14 girls and 7 boys from Amersham Swimming Club entered the Hatfield Swimming Club Level 2 Licensed meet on 10th February, consisting of 9 sprint events and the 200 Individual Medley, for boys and girls in age groups from 9/10 years, 11/12 years, 13/14 years and 15 plus.

The Amersham swimmers accumulated a total of 9 golds, 7 silver and 11 bronze medals, and broke 3 club records and 3 meet records on the day.

Sophie Elphick set 2 meet records, winning gold in the 11/12 year old girls 50 breaststroke (37.80 secs) and 100 breaststroke (1.22.63), and added a third gold in the 100 IM (1.18.76), Silver in the 200 IM (2.40.86), and 4th in the 50 Free (31.30).

Libby Hetherington took gold in the 15 and over girls 100 IM (1.10.15) and gained a national qualifying time for Silver in the 50 Free (27.88 secs), Silver - 200 IM (2.29.23), Silver – 100 Breast (1.17.51), Silver – 50 Breast (35.79), 4th – 100 Free (1.00.89).

Nia Kennedy collected gold in the 11/12 year girls 50 Free (30.60 secs.) also setting a new meet record, Bronze – 100 Fly (1.16.03), Bronze - 50 Back (35.70), Bronze – 50 Fly (34.85), Bronze – 100 free (1.04.94), Bronze – 200 IM (2.41.43), 4th – 100 Back (1.15.47).

Hannah Rome-Hall won gold in the 15 and over girls 50 Back (32.18 secs), and 4th 100 Back (1.09.96)

For the boys, Daniel Barraclough took gold in the 11/12 year old 100 Back (1.14.62), and set a new club record for Silver in the 200 IM, (2.40.43). Bronze – 100 fly (1.15.96), Bronze – 100 Free (1.05.09), 4th 50 Free (30.52)

Dan Shinnie broke 2 club records, taking gold in the 15 and over 100 Back (1.00.84), and 9th place in the 100 Free (55.40).

Gareth Fowler won gold in the 15 and over 50 Back (28.84 secs.), Bronze – 100 Back (1.02.86)

Other swimmers finishing within the top 6 places for their events were as follows:

9/10 year old girls:

Jade Pithers: 6th 50 Free: (36.28 secs); 5th 100 IM: (1.33.43); 5th 50 Back (42.69 secs)

11/12 year old girls:

Millie Price: Bronze – 50 Breast (41.96 secs)

Alessandra Quincey: Bronze – 100 IM (1.21.48)

Holly Williams: 4th – 50 Back (36.30 secs)

13/14 year old girls:

Lauren Wye: Silver – 100 Fly (1.11.40), Bronze – 100 Free (1.02.69), 6th 200 IM (2.33.70)

11/12 year old boys:

Adam Green: 6th – 50 Fly (37.15)

For more information please contact:-

JEREMY ELPHICK

AMERSHAM SWIMMING CLUB

jeremy.elphick@btinternet.com