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QTW Annual General Meeting

The club's AGM was held on Sunday the 19th of March and began at 09:00. The new committee consists is made up of the following members: Bill Waterhouse President; Rosalie Lutvey Vice President; Stephen Gray Secretary; Tony Garsden Treasurer; Lou Hill Safety Officer; Ann Todd Club Captain; Nev Bambrick Registrar; Peter McMonagle Coaching Director; Beres Hindman Social Director; Debbie Klease & Lisa Brown Committee.

The financial report was accepted by the membership. An auditor was appointed for the next financial year at the meeting.

That brought the formal proceeding to a close and I had the enjoyable task of announcing Chris Rolfe as our most improved swimmer for 2005.

CONGRATULATIONS CHRIS!!

All members then enjoyed a BBQ breakfast which was cooked by the dynamic team of Len Passier and Paul O'Gorman. The only hiccup with the proceedings was that Paul was struggling a bit trying to suggest the appropriate wine for the occasion!!!

CAPTAIN'S REPORT

Since my last report there has been quite a lot of swimming activity!! Five Tadpoles competed at the Albany Creek Carnival in March, four competed at the National Titles in Canberra in early April, 14 competed in the State Titles in Brisbane during the May Day long weekend and finally four members are preparing to travel to San Francisco to compete in the World Masters during July!! Life is certainly good for some swimmers isn't it! Never mind you will all be old (more mature!) one day and be able to do all of this as well! Now for some results!

Albany Creek

Cecily Cooke (80): 1st 100 & 200 BS, 2nd 50 BS & 50 FS.
Beres Hindman (72): 1st 100 BK, 2nd 50 BK.
Rosalie Lutvey (62): 1st 400 BS, 3rd 50 Fly.
Stephen Gray (40): 1st 50 FS & 100 Fly, 2nd 25 FS, 25 & 50 Fly.
Ann Todd (80): 1st 25 Fly, 25 & 50 FS, 100 IM & 400 BS.

Canberra National Titles

Beres Hindman (72): 2nd 100 & 200 BS.
Beryl Thomas (77): 1st 100 & 200 BS, 2nd 50 BS & 3rd 200 BK & 800 FS.
Rosalie Lutvey (62): 2nd 100 Fly, 3rd 800 FS.
Ann Todd (80): 2nd 50, 100, 200 & 400 FS & 3rd 100 BS.
The 4 ladies also scored silver for the 280 freestyle and Medley Relays.



Above: The Tadpole Team at the State Titles, Nudgee Pool, Brisbane Monday 1/5/06.

QLD State Titles (Nudgee)

Marj Chipperfield (83): 1st 100 & 200 IM & 200 FS 2nd 50 Fly, 100 & 400 FS.

Beryl Thomas (77): 2nd 100 & 400 BK, 3rd 50 BS, 50 BK & 100 BS.

Thelma Doyle (64): 2nd 50 BK, 100 & 200 FS. 3rd 50 & 400 FS.

Dorothy Stevens (77): 2nd 200 BK. 3rd 50 BS.

Cecily Cooke (80): 3rd 100 & 200 BS. 50 & 200 BS.

Barbara Lawes (65): 1st 200 BK. 3rd 100 BK.

Lyn Robinson (51): 1st 50, 100, 200 & 400 BK. 3rd 50 Fly & 200 IM.

Rosalie Lutvey (62): 2nd 200 Fly & FS 3rd 100 Fly & 400 FS

Beres Hindman (72): 2nd 50 & 100 BS & 100 & 200 BK. 3rd 50 BS & 50 FS.

Anne Todd (80): 1st 200 & 400 BS, 2nd 50 BK & 50 FS, 3rd 100 & 200 FS.

Barbara, Beres, Lyn & Rosalie scored silver for the 240+ Medley Relay.

Then Ann, Cecily, Dorothy & Marj scored gold (and a **NATIONAL RECORD**) in the 320+ freestyle relay.

Now for the boys!

Malcolm Stevens (79): 1st 200BK, 2nd 100 BK & 3rd 50 BK

Bob Edwards (65): 2nd 100 Fly & 400 FS. 3rd 50 Fly, 200 & 400 BS.

Brian Luxton (76): 1st 50 & 400 BK, 2nd 200 BK & 400 FS and 3rd 100 & 200 BK.

Stephen Gray (40): 2nd 50 & 200 Fly, 3rd 50 & 400 FS & 400 IM.

Congratulations to everyone it has been a fantastic effort. Swimming Cheers! Anne

BRONZE MEDALLION COURSE / LEVEL 1 COACHING COURSE

A Bronze Medallion course has been tentatively booked at The Glennie Pool for Sunday the 4th of June.

The June 4th session has come and gone however another session will be held at the end of June for those who are already proficient in CPR but require their swimming skills to be certified. Anyone who is interested can contact Bill Waterhouse.

Alternatively if there is enough interest in a full Bronze Medallion Course one may be arranged later in the year, let a committee member know of your interest. The club has funding for these courses. All the club requires is a commitment from the member to stand on deck and watch over your fellow members during our swim sessions, this is normally only once every month.

AUSSI Masters Swimming Queensland is looking for "Expressions of Interest" from members who would like to attend a "Level 1 Masters Coaching Course". The course is scheduled for the 25th & 26th of November 2006 and will be conducted at Sports House, Milton Brisbane. The club may consider sponsoring any member who is interested in attending. Contact a committee member for more details.

COACH'S CORNER

Lindsay is currently on holidays.



Above: Lyn Robinson demonstrates how you should dive into a pool at the QLD State Titles, Nudgee on Monday the 1st of May.

AEROBICS

The committee has been keeping a close eye on the number of people attending aerobics and our sessions generally. As we are entering the cooler seasons of the year the numbers attending the pool begin to drop. With this in mind the club cannot afford to pay for pool time to support 1 or 2 people while they complete an aerobic swim. Therefore it has been necessary to cut back the time we hire the pool per week. As from the end of April we will no longer be hiring the pool for the period 07:00 until 07:30 on Sunday mornings. Our new swim times will be as follows:

Monday:	18:30 > 19:30	Wednesday	18:30 > 19:30
Thursday:	18:30 > 19:30	Sunday:	07:30 > 08:30

Aerobic sessions will now conducted during the Wednesday and Thursday night sessions

AROUND THE POOL WITH BIG TADDIE

Welcome to our newest members Gayle Morosini & Katrina Cutcliff.

Big congratulations to John Bourne & Stephen Gray who both achieved 390 points for their aerobics swims in 2005. This is the maximum points possible an absolutely fantastic result!

Peggy Turner has been smiling even more than usual recently, when prompted Peggy was more than happy to advise she is now the grandmother to Sophie Elizabeth who was born on the 15th of May. I expect our registrar to be knocking on Sophie's door in 2026 with the membership form!

As it is starting to get a bit cooler we thought it might be an opportune time to have an early morning social outing straight after swimming on a Sunday morning. How does a nice hot cooked breakfast sound at "The Barn", Flagstone Creek. We are still fine tuning the details, but a Sunday in July is looking good.

The club (& current editor) desperately need someone to take over the writing of this newsletter! Position vacant: **Newsletter Editor.**

CYBERSPACE (& ALL THAT COMPUTER STUFF!!)

If you are "surfing" the web remember to log on to our own Tadpole's site (<http://members.optusnet.com.au/~smythe/tadpoles/>) or the Queensland Masters website (www.aussimastersqld.com.au). Both have plenty of good information and links to other associated organizations that can provide plenty of news and information.

If you prefer to save a tree and have your newsletter sent to you electronically send an e-mail to our secretary (address on the top of the front page) and we will ensure it is delivered in the correct format.

SOCIAL EVENTS & DATE CLAIMERS

1/6 > 31/7	Sunshine Coast Masters	Postal
3/06/06	Cairns Clams (Open)	TBA
29/07/06	Twin Towns Masters (Long)	Oasis Pool Banora Point
26/08/06	Brisbane Northside (Short)	Valley Pool
1/9 > 31/10	Aquajets Masters	Postal (National)
16/09/06	Toowoomba Tadpoles (Short)	Glennie Aquatic Centre
30/09/06	Trinity Sea Eagles (Short)	Albany Ck Leisure Centre
30/09/06	Baddaginnie AUSSI Animal Event (Vic)	Postal
7/10/06	Brisbane Southside (Short)	The Sleeman Centre
11/11/06	Cairns Clams (Long)	Tobruk Memorial Pool
4 > 11/11/06	Pan Pacific Games	TBA

To check on any upcoming swim events remember; THE PURPLE BOOK is always available on the pool deck. THE BOOK contains details of all State and National Swim Meets; the *what*, *where* and *when*! If all else fails contact a committee member for event details.

COMMITTEE CONTACT DETAILS

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If any member has a change of address can you notify the club secretary ASAP as this will save us wasting postage and ensure you get your newsletter.

SIGN THE BOOK and PAY YOUR \$3 BEFORE ENTERING THE POOL.
We operate an honour system and want to keep it that way so don't abuse the privilege! If you need an "IOU" write it in the book and write it in again when you pay.