

WARRINGTON DOLPHINS LONG DISTANCE SWIMMING CLUB.

ANNUAL REPORT FOR 1979.

With 14 wins, 9 second places, 11 third places I am pleased to report yet another successful season for the Dolphins with a total of 765 $\frac{1}{2}$ miles.

Our most outstanding member once again must be Steve Dockery with a fine Channel Swim in 9.40.00 . Steve also gained seven firsts, two seconds, and three third places and as if that wasn't enough he represented the BLDSA in Spain and successfully completed an individual two way Windermere.

Our member in Oxford, Trevor Symmons totalled 75 $\frac{1}{2}$ miles in 14 swims, one of these being the Thames Relay in which Trevor swam 18 $\frac{1}{2}$ miles.

Bill Dutton totalled 61 $\frac{1}{2}$ miles gained two firsts, one second and one third as well as being a representative in Spain. Bill also kept everyone posted with a monthly newsletter, very informative. Our thanks Bill.

Chris Carter as well as arranging to get married still managed 56 miles with one second and two thirds. Chris was also the team manager for representatives in Spain and Holland.

I know many members had disappointments while attempting the Channel this year and our commiserations go to them and our good luck for future attempts.

Maurice Ferguson had a creditable season with 51 $\frac{1}{2}$ miles even though he spent the best month of the season in the hospital and then recovering. Good luck for 2 way Windermere next year. Maurice and his wife Mildred also celebrated their Silver Wedding Anniversary this year.

Our junior members all had good seasons with Susan Johnson gaining the Junior Ladies Breastroke Record for Windermere (not ratified) as well as one second and one third place. Paul Gwatkin our 11 year old, who cannot swim in championships yet nor gain ratification from the BLDSA completed a successful Coniston in 3.08.00 a worthy performance by any swimmer. Ian Ainsworth completed 15 miles with a win at Derwentwater and a third at Langold. Karen Stevenson completed 7 miles and I'm sure we'll see more of Karen next year.

Two members in their first full season of long distance swimming, Fred James and Fred Wilkinson completed 13 and 12 miles respectively. Fred James gained first place in both the Pickmere and the Warwickshire Handicaps, whilst Fred Wilkinson had a disappointment at Windermere where he was pulled out after completing 9 $\frac{1}{2}$ miles.

With our ladies Claire Allman gained two firsts and two seconds as well as reducing the record at Pickmere and representing the BLDSA in Belgium. Lilian Brooks-Bell and Dilys Beynon completed 15 $\frac{1}{2}$ and 8 miles respectively. This must have been a quiet season for Dilys.

Quiet a few members having quiet seasons Jeff Paley 17 miles, Dave Palmer 14 miles, Arthur Williams 11 miles, and Dave Yeomans 6 miles. Vince Gorman, Paul Tew and Chris Green all had disappointments in the Channel but managed to credit themselves with 41, 33, and 32 miles respectively whilst Hans Peter Jungmayr kept the breastroke going with 28 miles.

Finally I extend our sincere thanks to the Pickmere Boating Company, the staff and management of the Warrington Baths Department, and all who have helped the club in any capacity during the past year.

Thank you.

Wendy James. (Hon. Secretary.)

INDIVIDUAL MILEAGE TOTAL FOR 1979

S.Dockery	120	J.Paley	17
T.Symmons	75½	L.BrooksBell	15½
W.Dutton	61¼	I.Ainsworth (J)	15
C.Carter	56	D.Palmer	14
M.Ferguson	51½	F.James	13
M.Smith	42	F.Wilkinson	12
V.Gorman	41	A.Williams	11
P.Tew	33	J.Heapy	9
C.Green	32	D.Beynon	8
H.P.Jungmayr	28	P.Gwatkin (J)	8
S.Johnson (J)	23	A.Humphries	7
K.Bailey	22½	K.Stevenson (J)	7
J.Peers	19	D.Yeomans	6
C.Allman	17	J.Alexander	1

CLUB GRAND TOTAL 765¼ miles

Marriages.

Chris Carter to Dorothy- best wishes for your future happiness.

John Peers is to marry Gail in December. - congratulations.

Maurice and Mildred Ferguson celebrated their Silver Wedding Anniversary this year.

BOXING DAYNSWIM.

Please support this event an entry form is enclosed with the Annual Report. The BAR is open once again but as usual only swimming gear in the lake.

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING.

The next A.G.M. is at 11am on Sunday 20th January at the White Hart Public House 50 yards from the Baths. Support is essential, as re-elections take place.

CHAMPIONSHIP AND INDIVIDUAL SWIMS COMPLETED IN 1979.

Morecambe Inshore (2miles)

S.Dockery	42.11
P.Gwatkin (J)	?
I.Ainsworth (J)	59.05

International Trials (4.5kms)

G.Allman	1.03.40
L.BrooksBell	1.54.32
F.Wilkinson	1,54.01

Morecambe Cross Bay (10miles)

M.Ferguson	3.06.00
C.Green	3.26.00
S.Dockery	2.37.55
W.Dutton	2.50.00
P.Tew	3.13.36
V.Gorman	3.41.00
D.Palmer	3.40.34
M.Smith	3.36.46

International Trials (10kms)

C.Carter	2.47.29
T.Symmons	4.09.21
W.Dutton	2.41.58

International Trials (16kms)

S.Dockery	3.51.48
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Grimsby Dock (2miles)

A.Williams	1.26.08
S.Johnson (J)	1.10.55
D.Yeomans	1.15.16

Pickmere Senior (3miles)

K.Bailey	2.06.03
A.Williams	2.00.00
M.Ferguson	1.31.17
C.Green	1.50.07
A.Humphries	1.21.00
C.Carter	1.15.29
F.James	1.57.56
J.Paley	2.02.01
T.Symmons	1.50.10
S.Dockery	1.05.29
C.Allman	1.05.57
L.BrooksBell	1.58.28
D.Yeomans	1.57.56
P.Tew	1.37.55
V.Gorman	1.41.35
D.Palmer	1.51.14
J.Peers	1.38.29
H.P.Jungmayr	1.37.15
M.Smith	2.02.00

Grimsby Dock (4miles)

K.Bailey	2.37.33
M.Ferguson	2.17.00
J.Paley	2.45.51
S.Dockery	1.31.34
C.Allman	1.34.06
F.Wilkinson	2.40.59
P.Tew	2.00.08
J.Peers	2.32.00
H.P.Jungmayr	2.39.13
M.Smith	2.45.51

A.S.A. Trentham (5miles)

C.Carter	2.24.00
S.Dockery	2.02.40
J.Heapy	3.12.24
D.Beynon	?

Pickmere Junior (2miles)

I.Ainsworth (J)	54.05
K.Stevenson (J)	58.37
S.Johnson (J)	1.08.05

Torbay (8miles)

T.Symmons	5.47.27
S.Dockery	3.17.28

Coniston (5miles)

K.Bailey	4.49.13
A.Williams	3.57.00
M.Ferguson	2.57.45
C.Green	4.25.00
T.Symmons	4.09.18
P.Gwatkin (J)	3.08.00
F.Wilkinson	4.24.40
V.Gorman	3.24.00
H.P.Jungmayr	3.48.00
M.Smith	3.56.00
C.Green	4.00.00
V.Gorman	3.48.00
H.P.Jungmayr	3.25.00
C.Green	3.59.00

Ullswater (7miles)

M.Smith	5.41.51
V.Gorman	4.49.00

Derwentwater (2miles)

M.Smith	1.29.58
S.Johnson (J)	1.23.37
I.Ainsworth(J)	1.12.05

Whitby (3miles)

T.Symmons	1.34.25
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Waterloo Lake (2miles)

I.Ainsworth (J)	1.03.03
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Coniston Veterans (3 $\frac{1}{2}$ miles)

K.Bailey	?
M.Ferguson	1.52.00
L.BrooksBell	?

Langold (2miles)

I.Ainsworth (J)	1.01.05
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Windermere 2way (21miles)

S.Dockery	10.24.00
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Bala (3miles)

I.Ainsworth (J)	1.35.15
K.Stevenson (J)	1.45.20
J.Peers	2.25.00
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Bala 2way (6miles)

M.Ferguson	3.51.00
C.Carter	2.53.15
T.Symmons	4.45.30
S.Johnson (J)	5.05.00
M.Ferguson	?

Windermere (10miles)

H.P.Jungmayr	7.48.00
V.Gorman	7.48.00
P.Tew	?
S.Johnson (J)	8.46.43
T.Symmons	7.41.41
C.Carter	4.55.55

Thorpe Park 16-39 (3miles)

C.Carter	1.05.40
F.James	1.28.50
T.Symmons	1.40.15
S.Dockery	56.44
C.Allman	58.50
J.Peers	1.18.00
M.Smith	1.45.15

Thorpe Park over40 (3miles)

M.Ferguson	1.18.41
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ENGLISH CHANNEL (21miles)

S.Dockery	9.40.00
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Trentham (3miles)

D.Beynon	1.15.00
J.Heapy	1.43.24
J.Peers	1.28.00
S.Dockery	1.00.50
F.James	1.33.12
C.Carter	1.09.00
M.Ferguson	1.27.33

Warwickshire Handicap (3miles)

K.Bailey	2.27.08
M.Ferguson	1.37.45
C.Green	1.59.45
A.Humphries	1.24.04
C.Carter	1.19.15
F.James	1.55.40
J.Paley	2.06.18
T.Symmons	1.56.25
M.Smith	2.14.46

River Weaver (4miles)

M.Ferguson	2.08.00
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Stokes Bay (3½miles)

W.Dutton	1.18.00
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Portsea Island (16miles)

W.Dutton	4.37.00
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Walton-Clacton (6miles)

J.Paley	?
L.BrooksBell	?
W.Dutton	2.00.00
P.Tew	?

Slvis-Holland (10miles)

W.Dutton	4.37.00
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Adriatic Championships (11miles)

S.Dockery	4.00.52
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Brighton (3miles)

K.Bailey	2.20.00?
T.Symmons	1.58.05

Tortosa Amposta-Spain (10miles)

C.Carter	3.19.57
S.Dockery	2.48.52
W.Dutton	2.36.00

Cross Windermere (1mile)

T.Symmons	32.38
I.Ainsworth (J)	23.15
K.Stevenson (J)	25.22

Kings Lynn (4½miles)

M.Smith	?
S.Dockery	1.08.24
T.Symmons	1.30.17

Portsmouth Pier-Pier (1½miles)

T.Symmons	30.34
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River Thames Relay (74miles)

T.Symmons (18½mls)	72.04.00
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Jersey (4miles)

S.Dockery	1.16.41
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Grimsby ASA (½mile)

M.Smith	18.02
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Dee Mile

C.Carter	27.14
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Anna Poulania-Holland (2miles)

C.Carter	44.32
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Damme Brugges-Belgium (3miles)

C.Carter	1.10.00
C.Allman	1.03.56

FIFTEENTH PICKMERE CHAMPIONSHIPS.

One hundred and nine entries, one hundred starters, ninety eight finishers. With a water temperature of 59F not much wind, and sunshine, everyone could enjoy the day.

My thanks to officials, boat crews, the British Red Cross, Pickmere Boating Company and all who helped in any way. As usual my congratulations to aa who finished and my sympathy to those who were forced to retire.

Dates for your diary:-

16th Pickmere Championships- JUNE 7th 1980

Closing date for entries- MAY 17th 1980

Entry forms available from yours truly at the address below a S.A.E. will be appreciated.

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Telephone Northwich (0606) 75298

PICKMERE TEAM RESULTS 1979

Fastest 3 swimmers from any one club.

1. Warrington Dolphins	3.26.55
2. Radcliffe	3.54.00
3. Rotherham	4.22.07
4. Royal Navy	4.27.11
5. Warwickshire	4.31.50
6. Bradford	4.32.00
7. Grimsby	4.33.43
8. Bolton Dolphins	4.34.45
9. Howebridge	4.56.07

PICKMERE CHAMPIONSHIP RESULTS 1979

JUNIOR GENTS

1. S.Lee	46.16	
2. C.Anjos	47.12	
3. D.Morgan	49.44	
4. I.Ainsworth	54.05	
5. I.Fletcher	59.14	
6. D.Fergus	1.00.03	
7. T.Fitton	1.00.08	
8. R.Hasselder	1.10.55	
9. M.Welbourn	1.17.14	
10. W.McDonald	1.21.00	1st Breastroke
11. S.Bass	1.22.16	

JUNIOR LADIES

1. J.Bradshaw	47.32	
2. J.Allen	49.46	
3. A.Simister	54.00	
4. C.Coe	56.10	
5. K.Stevenson	58.37	
6. K.Hawkins	1.01.00	
7. A.Hawkins	1.02.51	1st Breastroke
8. C.Angell	1.07.16	
9. S.Johnson	1.08.05	B/S
10. M.Hawkins	1.11.25	B/S
11. A.Angell	1.11.57	
12. J.Bassett	1.12.58	
13. J.Tordoff	1.16.57	
14. C.Ashcroft	1.19.29	B/S
15. L.Smith	1.21.31	B/S
16. S.Richardson	1.25.05	
17. H.Fairclough	1.46.18	B/S

SENIOR LADIES.

1. C.Allman	1.05.57	new record
2. L.Westlake	1.07.30	
3. K.Simister	1.09.30	
4. L.Zimmerman	1.21.31	
5. C.Lord	1.13.47	
6. A.Dick	1.15.00	
7. V.Parsons	1.17.41	
8. L.Reed	1.23.27	
9. C.Pines	1.23.35	

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SENIOR LADIES CONT

10. K.Smith	1.25.15		17. J.Millican	1.52.13	B/S
11. C.Simister	1.27.10		18. M.Pike	1.56.07	
12. E.Hasselder	1.29.48		19. M.Balogh	1.57.42	
13. J.Rumbelow.	1.30.22		20. L.BrooksBell	1.58.28	B/S
14. J.Renshaw	1.34.16		21. M.Smith	2.02.00	B/S
15. B.Hassall	1.44.31	B/S			
16. J.Leach	1.51.10	B/S			

SENIOR GENTS

1. R.Sherburn	1.05.27	new record	26. T.C.Kelleher	1.41.14	B/S
2. S.Dockery	1.05.29		27. J.Sharp	1.41.15	
3. C.Carter	1.15.29		28. V.Gorman	1.41.35	B/S
4. E.Millican	1.16.40		29. S.Bedford	1.46.22	
5. D.Flynn	1.16.43		30. T.James	1.48.31	B/S
6. P.Stephens	1.18.27		31. R.Webster	1.48.45	B/S
7. I.Vospen	1.18.34		32. C.Green	1.50.07	
8. K.Keighley	1.19.32		33. T.Symmons	1.50.10	
9. A.Humphries	1.21.00		34. Cmd.G.Forsberg	1.50.10	
10. C.Firstbrook	1.24.36		35. D.Palmer	1.51.14	
11. P.Goodman	1.25.16		36. J.Carter	1.55.17	
12. R.Parsons	1.27.37	1stB/S	37. P.Todd	1.51.19	
13. J.Mullins	1.30.00		38. A.Ayres	1.55.17	
14. P.Winchester	1.31.06		39. J.Barlow	1.56.23	B/S
15. G.Daynes	1.31.06	B/S	40. D.Yeomans	1.57.45	B/S
16. T.Espin	1.31.17		41. F.James	1.57.56	
17. M.Ferguson	1.31.17		42. A.Williams	2.00.00	
18. R. Sawdon	1.31.20		43. S.Batts	2.00.04	B/S
19. R.Millican	1.35.27	B/S	44. J.Paley	2.02.01	B/S
20. H.Jungmayr	1.37.15	B/S	45. D.Jukes	2.02.44	
21. P.Tew	1.37.55		46. K.Bailey	2.06.03	
22. D.Graham	1.38.12		47. M.Richardson	2.17.29	
23. J.Peers	1.38.29		48. D.Marsh	2.20.40	
24. P.Rushworth	1.39.24		49. T.Bull	2.24.30	B/S
25. P.Fergus	1.39.24		50. J.O'Hara	2.30.45	

WARRINGTON DOLPHINS LONG DISTANCE SWIMMING CLUB.

RULES.

1. This club shall be called "Warrington Dolphins Long Distance Swimming Club", and shall consist of an unlimited number of members.
All competing members shall be amateurs.
The club shall be affiliated to the British Long Distance Swimming Association and the Northern Counties Amateur Swimming Association.
2. Club's object: To promote, encourage and assist in the art of outdoor long distance swimming.
3. An elected executive committee shall consist of the following:-
President, Hon. Secretary, Hon. Championship Secretary, Hon. Treasurer, Hon. Coach, Hon. Publicity Officer, Hon. Assistant Coach.
The remaining members of the Executive Committee shall be made up of club members, the number of such members being subject to review with regard to any increase in club membership. The Hon. Secretary shall have the discretion to call a meeting whenever he deems it necessary.
4. Annual subscription shall be due on 1st February or at the time of joining the club. Members joining after the 31st August need only pay a half year's subscription.
5. Applicants accepted for membership must be at least 11 years of age and be capable of swimming one mile, this to be witnessed by a member of the committee unless such applicant be seeking to join the club strictly as a non-swimming member when the aforementioned condition of swimming ability may be waived.
6. Anyone not renewing their membership by 31st March in current year shall be deemed to have let their membership lapse. They may re-apply for membership.
7. The club shall have the power to expel a member or reject any application for membership by a two-thirds majority vote of the Executive Committee.
8. Senior members, in order to qualify for the club badge, must swim a distance of three miles in "open" water or have served on the committee for a period of two consecutive years. Juniors must swim two miles in "open" water.
9. The minimum age for the Junior Championships will be 12 years and under 16 years on the day of the Championships. The minimum age for Senior Championships will be 16 years on the day of the Championships.
10. All disputes that may arise concerning the foregoing rules shall be decided upon by a two-thirds majority vote of the Executive Committee.
Such decision shall be final and binding.

October 1979.

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