

# Warrington Dolphins Long Distance Swimming Club



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## ANNUAL REPORT 1988.

It is with pleasure that I present the Annual Report for the Warrington Dolphins Long Distance Swimming Club.

This year club members swam a total distance of five hundred and seventy one miles in championships and individual outdoor swims.

Top of the mileage chart once again was Chris Green with a mileage of one hundred and fifty one miles. This included a thirty mile swim of Florida Middle Keys and two swims around Manhattan Island.

Maurice and Simon Ferguson both had successful seasons swimming distances of fifty three and a half and fifty and a half miles respectively. Both swam Windermere, Simon in 6 hours 10 minutes and Maurice in 7 hours 31 minutes.

Jackie Oxley had a very successful year completing swims at Coniston and Derwentwater Triangle as well as many other championships. She was also a member of a Channel Relay team who crossed the Channel on 6th September in 10 hours and 32 minutes.

Neil Thomson was selected to represent the British Long Distance Swimming Association at the Damme - Brugge International in the 4½k Breaststroke event.

The club this year had the honour of seeing two of its members Chris Carter and Maurice Ferguson as President and President Elect of the British Long Distance Swimming Association.

At the clubs Annual Dinner Dance in November 1987, Dave Yeomans was awarded the Anderson Trophy for his services to the club.

The club commenced its Silver Jubilee Year at the end of September and a twenty five hour charity swim was organised at Warrington Baths. Eight teams of six swimmers participated including a Channel swimmers team,

Veterans team, Ladies, Gents and Ferguson Family teams and also teams from Warrington Warriors and Warrington Swimming Club. We are not sure as yet of the total amount raised but the monies are to be divided between the Mayor of Warringtons charity and club funds to organise a Channel Relay swim for next year.

Congratulations are in order for Keith and Sue Bosson who announced the birth of their daughter, Sally in March and to Chris and Dorothy Carter who announced the birth of their daughter Joanne in April.

In conclusion may I take this opportunity to wish you all an enjoyable and successful season in 1989.

**SUSAN CORKHILL.**  
**HON. SECRETARY.**