

## News Archive September 2012

### Deputy Mayor Awards Trophies for Borough Juveniles

ESS Early Competitive, Development and Intermediate swimmers aged 8-11 competed in the [London Borough of Enfield Juvenile Championships](#) on Saturday, 29th September. The gala had a fantastic turnout, and our many young swimmers gave us a taste of the club's promising future potential, with some truly impressive swims on show. Well done to all who took part.



[Jacquelyne Robinson](#) (8) and [Tai Oyama](#) (10) both obtained the highest scores and took away the Sid Ellis Trophies for top girl and top boy. Jacquelyne won 4 Gold and 1 Silver medals, and Tai won 5 times Gold. Deputy Mayor of Enfield, [Councillor Chaudhury Anwar MBE](#), awarded the trophies. Congratulations to Tai and Jaquelyne, and thank you to the Deputy Mayor for attending the gala.

### New Coach for Early Competitive Squad East

Early Competitive Coach East [Sarah Browne](#) will be leaving ESS to pursue her education at Leicester University at the end of this week. Over the last few months, Sarah has ensured our young Early Competitive East swimmers had a great start to their competitive swimming careers. Sarah's last session will be on Friday, 28th September. Thank you and good luck, Sarah!



We would like to take this opportunity to welcome [Vicki Lead](#) as our new Early Competitive Coach East. Good luck, Vicki!

## ESS International Competition



ESS will be hosting a competition at Southbury Pool with [Dutch Swimming Team De Columbian](#) on [Wednesday, 17th October](#). We will shortly be inviting swimmers to compete in this gala, which will be held during the normal Regional Squad training time on Wednesday evening. The age groups will be U12, U14, U16 and Open. Invited swimmers will be asked to donate sandwiches, snacks and drinks for a short reception after the gala and we will be grateful for any offers of help on poolside or to organise the buffet. For further information please contact [Vicki McCarthy](#).



## Eric Eady Trophy



Enfield Swim Squad had an excellent start to the new season with the Eric Eady Trophy Gala at Southbury Road on Saturday, 15th September. The gala provided swimmers and coaches with an opportunity to "warm up" for team racing in the Arena League starting in October. Our A and B teams finished in **first** and **third** place respectively - great result!

Thank you to all the visiting teams for their participation and great sportsmanship shown on poolside and in the gallery.

## Mayor's Charity Fun Run



Well done to all ESS members who took part in the Mayor's Charity Fun Run on Sunday, 9th September at Forty Hall. Special congratulations go to **Caroline Dunnett, Grace Lennon, Lottie Rose van der Helstraete and Judy Prior**, who all came first in their respective age groups. ESS members achieved many more top ten age group placings.

## Know Your ASA Membership Number

Enfield Swim Squad is an Amateur Swimming Association (ASA) affiliated club. When making a gala entry to an ASA licensed meet (this concerns nearly all of the galas you will be entering during a season), you are required to enter your ASA Membership Number. All ESS squad swimmers are members of the ASA and would have been attributed a membership number when they first joined a swimming club. You cannot enter a licensed gala without being a member of the ASA.



Some of you have been submitting gala entries without indicating their ASA numbers, which substantially increases the workload of our Gala Secretary. We would therefore urge all of you to **find out**

your membership number and keep it in a safe place to use every time you submit a new gala entry.

If you do not know your ASA number, you can look it up at <https://www.swimmingresults.org/biogs/>. Type in your surname and click on "Fetch data". Find your name on the list - your six-digit member number will be shown in the left-hand column.