



OASIS OTTERS SWIMMING CLUB

"SMASH FM" INTERVIEW

On 18th of May members from our Senior Team, Brady, Henry, Jayden, Giorgia, Daniel and Bronwyn, met with Will Taylor from Smash FM.

They were interviewed on how they went in the recent swimming season and their plans for the upcoming season

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Well done team! Great opportunity to have experience being interviewed and showcasing the achievements of our club!



COMING UP



03/06/23
June Mini Meet

We are in the middle of ordering new polos for members. If you would like to purchase one, please see our uniform coordinator (Thu) or email us at oasisotters@gmail.com.

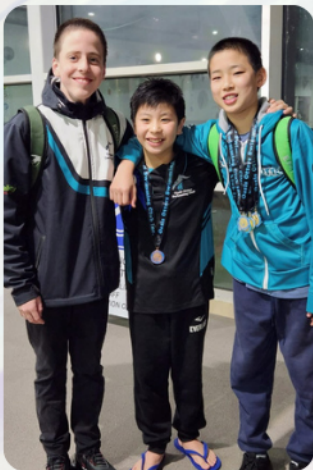




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"CONFIDENCE COMES FROM WHAT YOU DO IN PRACTICE EVERY SINGLE DAY"

2023 OASIS OTTERS LONG COURSE TWILIGHT ENCOURAGEMENT MEET



WHAT A MEET

Our annual Twilight Encouragement Meet held on Saturday 6th May was a great success, with approximately 130 swimmers in attendance.

Great racing from our 31 representatives, many of whom competed for the first time. Medallists and first-timers included:

- **Athan, Abhi** and **Leia** representing the club at a meet for the first time
- **Lithara** representing the Otters at a meet for the first time and achieving three 2nd place and two 3rd place medals
- **Daniel** achieving a 2nd place in the Boys 14 Over 50m BK
- **Liam** winning a 3rd place medal for his Boys 13Y 50m FS
- **Mingqi** representing the Otters at a meet for the first time and winning a 2nd place for his Boys 11Y 50m BK and 3rd place for Boys 11Y 50m FS
- **Michaellah** placing 3rd in the Girls 14 Over 50m BR
- **Keith** sweeping all of his Boys 13Y events with 5 gold medals from 5 swims
- **Tofy** at his first meet in a long time with two 1st place finishes and two 2nd place finishes
- **Neno** with a 3rd place in the Girls 8 Under 50m FLY
- **Rainn** with three 1st place medals in the three events he was eligible to swim in
- **Raven** with a 1st place in the Boys 12Y 50m FLY and three 3rd place finishes in his other events
- **Marjy** achieving a 2nd in her Girls 14 Over 50m BR and two 3rd placings
- **Miguel** with a 2nd in the Boys 9Y 50m FLY and BK
- **Hannah** with a 2nd in her Girls 10Y 50m FS and 3rd in the 100m FS
- **Fiona** winning a 2nd place for the Girls 11Y 50m BR and 3rd for the FLY
- **Vanessa** with four 1st place finishes and one 2nd place medal in her Girls 8 Under 50m BR
- **Nyakuoth** representing the Otters for the first time and winning a 3rd place for her Girls 9 Under 100m FS
- **Kiyara** winning a 2nd place for her Girls 9 Under 100m FS and three 3rd place medals for her FLY, BR and FS 50m events
- **Qianyi** representing the Otters at a meet for the first time and winning two 3rd place medals
- **Gou** winning a 3rd place in the Boys 12Y 50m BR
- **Kruz** winning a 1st, 2nd and 3rd in the Boys 9Y 50m BR, FS and BK, respectively
- **Ziao** representing the club for the first time at a meet and winning a 2nd in the Boys 8 Under 100m FS and 3rd in the 50m BK
- **Zimo** with four 1st place medals and one 3rd place for his Boys 9Y 50m BR

This was our first meet since 2019 so a massive thank you to the following people:

- The committee for their tireless efforts in the preparation of this meet. From the organisation of the entries and medals to the catering of our successful BBQ and rostering parent helpers, this meet would not have gone ahead without their work

- The parent helpers and our senior swimmers who gave up their time to help run the meet. Timekeepers, Marshallers, Medal presenters, MCs, BBQ assistants and overall helpers are always needed to operate the meet, so thanks for lending a hand.

Overall a big thank you and congratulations to all our members.





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May 2023

2023 SHORT COURSE CHALLENGE 21 MAY



Our first Short Course meet was a great hit-out with all swimmers achieving PBs at the Officials' Club Meet on Sunday 21st May.

With Fiona and Gou being our only Juniors representing in the morning session, along with our State Team (Kelvin, Daniel, Keith, Henry, Jayden, Lucas, Andrew, Scott, William, Bronwyn and Giorgia) in the afternoon, swimmers had their taste of fast-paced racing that highlighted (and in some cases, exposed) their turns and underwater skills.

Special mention to the following swims:-

- Fiona swimming taking on three 200m events (IM, FS & BR) with many learning experiences
- Kelvin swimming 400m FS in a PB, smashing all 16 laps and 15 turns in the process
- Jayden with a great PB in the Men's 13 Over 50m BK and placing 3rd
- Giorgia placing 2nd in the Women's 13 Over 100m FLY with a new PB
- Daniel challenging himself with a SC 200m FLY for the first time in an impressive time

A great splash into the winter months for our athletes with times to work on throughout the SC season.





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MEET THE FAMILY

ANDREW

1. How long have you been with the Otters?
 - I have been with the Otters for 4 years
2. Favourite event(s)?
 - 50m Breaststroke, 100m Breaststroke and 200m Individual Medley
3. What are some long-term swimming goals?
 - To go to international competitions
4. What are some hobbies outside of the pool?
 - Solving rubik's cubes
5. One fun fact about yourself:
 - I am good at Maths
6. What are you excited for in 2023?
 - To race in the 2023 World Championship Trials
7. What steps do you take to prepare for competitions?
 - Bring extra racing suits in case one rips
 - Go sleep early at night
 - Do not eat too much before races



LUCAS

1. How long have you been with the Otters?
 - I have been with the Otters for 4 years
2. Favourite event(s)?
 - 50m Breaststroke and 100m Breaststroke.
3. What do you like most about swimming?
 - I like to go to competitions because I can get new PB's so I know I have been training hard.
4. What are some long-term swimming goals?
 - I want to qualify for national in 2 years.
5. What are you excited for in 2023?
 - I am excited to go to short course championships this year and see how fast I can get.
6. Describe your journey with swimming so far with 3 words:
 - Challenging, exciting and tough.
7. What skills have you learnt while swimming that help you outside the water?
 - From swimming, I learnt that when I put more effort into things, I become better at it.

THU (Parent)

1. What is your favourite thing about being part of the Otters Family?
 - I enjoy chatting with other parents to learn new things, listen to them and support each other.
2. Why did you decide to join the committee?
 - I decided to join the committee because I would like to support our club, my children and make decision objectively.
3. How can families help the club build in connection?
 - Families please come to mini meets to lend a hand in timekeeping, breakfast preparation or become a Committee Member because your voice is also important.
4. Tips or advice for parents of swimmers: please see coaches or committee for any concern or sharing helpful tips and ideas to support our swimmers and club.

