



Fleetwood Swimming Clubs North Lancs League team are Champions

Fleetwood Swimming Clubs sub-league team have followed in the footsteps of their more illustrious neighbours, Blackpool FC and Fleetwood Town FC, this season with promotion to the top flight. The swimmers didn't need the play-offs however as they were crowned Champions of the sub-league 'B' division. Even before the final round of swims Fleetwood knew they had topped the league but the team were determined to finish on a high. Swimming at West View Pool in Preston they comfortably beat Rosegrove, Carnforth 'B' and Garstang.

In form Alex Jones-Wright was victorious in both the 14/u breaststroke and backstroke events whilst Joe Booth won the 12/u freestyle. Twins Kyle and Callum Preece won the 12/u backstroke and butterfly respectively. Justin Worthington won the open age backstroke and Harry Prestwich won the 14/u freestyle whilst Bradley Sharples was dominant in his winning of the 12/u breaststroke. The 14/u relay team of Jack Hirst, Harry Prestwich, Alex Ward and Will Eccleston won both their freestyle and medley events. Tommy Humphries, Kyle Preece, Bradley Sharples and Joe Booth won the 12/u freestyle relay before Callum Preece linked up with his brother, Sharples and Booth to win the medley relay. In the men's open age freestyle relay there was victory for Justin Worthington, Jack Stanney, Jacob Hancock and Steve Brown whilst, not to be outdone, Katie Lawson, Angie Jamison, Hannah Parkinson and Rebecca Fausset romped to a fine win in the girls open age relay. Emma Wellard once again impressed with a win in the 12/u breaststroke and the ever dependable Rebecca Fausset took victory in both the open age backstroke and freestyle. The 14/u relay team of Phoebe Brown, Rebecca Williams, Lucy Wetherill and Katie Lawson won the medley relay before Rebecca Robinson came in for Williams to help them to victory in the freestyle relay. To cap a fine night and season Hannah Roe, Katie Lawson, Rebecca Fausset, Tommy Humphries, Alex Ward and Justin Worthington won the mixed canon.

View from the Coach

Coach Myers will keep the pressure on throughout the summer as in addition to the regular sessions he will also put the squad through an intense 'hell week' in August as he prepares them for next season. He commented that the recent results show the club is on the up and up and offers local athletes a diverse choice of water sports. He is always on the lookout for new talent and he encourages children to call at the club and see what it has to offer.