

BISHOP'S STORTFORD SWIMMING CLUB BABBLE NEWSLETTER



The clubs Welfare Officer is Lorinda Pietersen

If you have any concerns over a child's welfare. Lorinda can be contacted either by calling 07885 370843 or email welfare@bsswimclub.org.uk





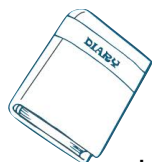
BSSC will shut down for the Christmas and New Year period from Sunday 24th December until Tuesday 2nd January 2018.

Training will resume from Wednesday 3rd January 2018.



Hertfordshire County Championships 2018

Please remember that if you are entering County Championships, you must have renewed & paid your club & Swim England membership by Friday 12th January 2018.



DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Can we please ask swimmers and parents to keep the following dates free for Hertfordshire Swimming League Gala's 6th January, 24th, February, 24th March 2018, we have a team in Division 1 and Division 2.

Age groups are under/12, under/14, under/16, Open, age as at 24th March 2018



The World Anti-Doping Agency has announced updates to the prohibited list which will come into effect on 1st January 2018.

[Click here](#) to view the full article and links to full list of banned substances and link to dietary supplements.



As many of you may be aware Stephane decided to step down from his coaching position with us for personal reasons, he will be sadly missed.

This as lead to change to our coaching team.

Manuela will now take over coaching of the squads which Stephane coached.

Louise is now lead coach for Development, Poussin's & Avenir's squads.

If you have any questions for either Manuela or Louise they can be contacted via contact page on club's website.

We would like to welcome Lucy Westwood, Roger Edwards to our coaching team also 2 of our senior swimmers Megan Wickham and Zara Pretious-White.



To Elinah Phillip (50m Freestyle, Butterfly), Cira Fletcher (50m Breaststroke), Mia Carter (50m Backstroke), Bryn Couser (100m Breaststroke) are competing in

Swim England Winter Championships at Ponds Forge International Pool between 13th - 17th December.



Congratulations to all swimmers who represented Bishop's Stortford in this year's National Arena League (London) Gala's.

We went into the final round laying 3rd in the league behind Leander Swimming Club and Dunmow Atlantis.

Finished 2nd (263 points) in the final round to Leander (276 points), Dunmow finished 4th (249 points) after such a fantastic performance we finished 2nd overall in the league.

Leander and Bishop's Stortford will be promoted to Premier Division in 2018



Winter weather arrives in Bishop's Stortford.

Due to any bad weather conditions which will lead to training sessions being cancelled we will send a text alert, email, put notices on clubs

website, facebook and twitter.

Can we please ask members that when renewing your membership that you check that we have the correct mobile number for you to receive text alert and correct email address.

