



BSSC COACHING TEAM 2024



Head Coach: Jamie McLoughlin

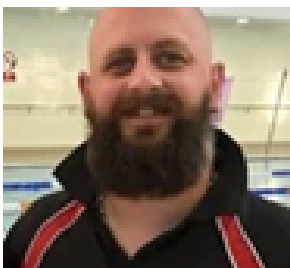
Jamie has been the assistant head coach at Dunmow Atlantis for 5 years and has been coaching there for 10 years. A keen swimmer himself and someone who has competed at all levels as a youngster, Jamie brings a wealth of experience to the club. He also works as a coach at Bishop's Stortford College and will continue with that role as he takes up head coach duties for BSSC.

"I am excited to be appointed as the new head coach at Bishop's Stortford Swimming Club. I'm delighted to share that Darren Tucker and Ashley Bygraves will also be joining the existing coaching team. Together we look forward to creating a successful future for BSSC. We can't wait to get started and meet everyone in March."



Assistant Head Coach: Joe Collins

You already know Joe and the great work he does, we are pleased to confirm him in the assistant head coach role where he will be working closely with Jamie.



Coach: Darren Tucker

Darren was a national swimmer himself and has decades of experience coaching at all levels. He was assistant head coach at Harlow Penguins and more recently was the head coach at Dunmow Atlantis for 8 years until deciding to take a step back at the end of last season. Darren is a legend amongst his swimmers, and we look forward to him building that relationship at the club.

"I'm really looking forward to meeting the team and all the swimmers and working with you all for a successful future, exciting times ahead team."



Coach: Ashley Bygraves

Ashley has coached at an extremely high level all his life, initially focussing on swimming where he worked with James Gibson and also helped coach the GB paralympic hopefuls. He then broadened his coaching to also take onboard Water Polo, where he coached several players to the GB team. He is currently the head coach at Bishop's Stortford College, a role he will continue to hold whilst he integrates some BSSC coaching duties.

"I am thrilled to join Bishop's Stortford Swimming Club's coaching team and look forward to an exciting and successful future together. I am eager to meet everyone in March and begin this new chapter."



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Coach: Graham Huggett

Many of you already know Graham from his officiating roles at many of our meets, but he will also continue to provide us with his coaching expertise.



Coach: Amy Gardner

Amy has recently re-joined the club as a coach and like Graham, will continue to work with the team focussing on the younger swimmers where she has already made a big impact.



Coach: Romesh Paktsun

Romesh with his positive, enthusiastic and encouraging coaching approach will continue to train the younger squads.



Junior Coach & Club Captain: Jakey Hayes

Jakey has made a huge impact at the club as Club Captain and is now starting to develop as a very promising junior coach.