

***Perry Beeches Sutton Swim Squad Newsletter***

**January – March 2015**

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| [**Welcome**](http://perrybeechesswimming.co.uk/site/congratulations-to-the-new-chair-of-pbsss/)    A big warm Perry Beeches SSS welcome goes out to our new Chairman – Melvin Hart.  Mel has four children swimming at the club and was voted into the position in January. He is looking forward to a positive, challenging and rewarding future for the club.    Andi Carless was also voted in as the new Treasurer. Andi, along with Emily Elwell as Assistant Treasurer, will head up a new group of Finance volunteers. Both Andi and Emily have two children swimming at the club | | |
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| [**Thank**](http://perrybeechesswimming.co.uk/site/congratulations-to-the-new-chair-of-pbsss/) **You and Good Luck**  Thanks go out to Keith Munday, the outgoing Chair of PBSSS. Keith will continue to support the club going forwards.  We are saying goodbye to Roy Smith, our Treasurer. Thank you for the all the time and effort that he put in to the club.  Swimming teachers Louise Kilbride and Katy Smith will also be leaving us for pastures new, thank you for all they have done for the club (although Louise will still be a cover teacher). |  | [**Swimming**](http://perrybeechesswimming.co.uk/site/congratulations-to-the-new-chair-of-pbsss/) **Lesson Blocks/Awards**  Swimming lesson blocks:   |  |  | | --- | --- | | Week 1  Week 2  Week 3  Week 4  Week 5  Week 6  Week 7  Week 8  Week 9  Week 10  Week 11  Week 12 | w.c 4.1  w.c 11.1  w.c 18.1  w.c 25.1  w.c 1.2  w.c 8.2  w.c 15.2  w.c 22.2 - assessment week 1  w.c 1.3 - assessment week 2  w.c 8.3 - assessment week 3  w.c 15.3 - hand out of moving/award slips, collection of awards from desk  w.c 22.3 - collection of awards from desk |     Please note there will be a charge of £2.20 per award. |
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| **Membership Reminder**  Please can you ensure that all membership fees have been paid 2015. Can you also review your standing order to ensure that you are paying the correct monthly amount.  Any queries please ask at the desk. |

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| **Advanced Lengths / Junior Squad**  Mandy Blizard has taken on the role of Lead Teacher for Advanced Lengths. Helen Pordage will be teaching all Junior Squad sessions. |  | **Easter Holidays**  Please note that there will be no lessons between 3 – 6 April due to the Easter Bank Holiday weekend. |
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| **Competitions we have Competed at**  Well done to all of our swimmers who competed at the following competitions.  10 January 2015 - Redditch Diddy Friendly  17 January 2015 - Worcester Winter League Round 1  24 January 2015 – John Vaughan Trophy Gala Friendly  21 February 2015 – Worcester Winter League Round 2 | | |
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| **Easy Fundraising**  **easyfundraising.org.uk** is a great way to raise money for the Club whilst doing your shopping. Why not take a look! |  | **Leaving Children Unattended**  A reminder that an adult must be present whilst children are having their swimming lessons. Children should not be left unattended at any time. |
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| **Vacant Volunteer Positions**  We currently have the following vacant positions:  Communications Officer  Grant and funding Officer  Development Officer  Social Events Planning Team  If you are interesting in taking on one of these roles please get in touch  [volunteer@perrybeechesswimming.co.uk](mailto:volunteer@perrybeechesswimming.co.uk) |  | **Swimming Fun Day**  We will be holding a Swimming Fun Day on Sunday 29th March, 2 – 4 pm, everyone welcome.    Please see the noticeboard for further details. |
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| **Dates for your Diary**  7, 14 and 21 March – Warwickshire County Championships  3 – 6 April 2015 – City of Birmingham Open Meet  18 April 2015 – Nuneaton Junior League Round 1  19 April 2015 – Worcester Winter League Round 3  9 May 2015 – Nuneaton Junior League Round 2 | | |