



BRISTOL NORTH SWIMMING CLUB

25 April 2007

On behalf of Bristol North Swimming Club I would like to invite your club to take part in the Bristol North Junior Open Meet to be held at Hutton Moor Leisure Centre at Weston-s-Mare on Saturdays 20 & 27 September 2008 between 11am and 7pm. If you are no longer the appropriate person to receive this, I will be very grateful if you would pass it on. Participation in the event is by invitation only and restricted to clubs within a reasonable travelling distance. The purpose of restricting invitations is to generate a friendly atmosphere and provide an opportunity for as many swimmers as possible to experience taking part in an open meet, particularly the 9-year-olds. For this reason we also include team swims in the programme. Please note that the event is swum with ages as at 31 August.

As well as trophies for the winner of each event, there are perpetual trophies awarded to the overall top three clubs and the top club in the boys, girls and combined team swims. A trophy will also be awarded to the top boy and top girl in each age group.

The 9-year-olds are offered 50m events with the addition of 25m butterfly. Swimmers will only be accepted for one butterfly event. The budding Olympians (and next year's county swimmers) will be expected to enter the 50m event but the alternative 25m event is offered for the mere mortals who would struggle over 50m. We believe it is better to do one length correctly than to struggle and be disqualified on the second.

It would be appreciated if you could acknowledge receipt of this invitation, as we will again this year process our entries (with the exception of payments) electronically, and wish to monitor how this is progressing. In the same way, we will acknowledge all entries once forms and payment have been received. An electronic entry form should have been attached to the same e-mail as this invitation letter. No passwords are required to open the spreadsheet but if you have any difficulties please do not hesitate to call me on 01454 854110. Due to some time constraints, I have not been able to produce individual forms this year, so would be obliged if you could fill in relevant contact details again, although it is a good opportunity for me to keep up to date as I know that some people have moved on

We hope you are able to come and look forward to receiving your entries in due course, please note the closing date of 30 June 2008.

Best Regards,

Ken Whincup
Bristol North Swimming Club