

Street Meet mega medal haul



Street & District swimming club won an incredible 64 medals as they co-hosted their County qualifier Level 3 Open meet with Taunton and Millfield.

Golden girls Ruby Varney (200m back, 200m medley & 100m fly) and Georgia Hill (100m and 200m breaststroke and 200m freestyle) won 3 golds apiece with Ruby also getting silver in the 50m free and bronze in the 100m free. Georgia added three bronze medals in the 50m fly, 50m and 100m free. Erica Varney won gold in the 200m medley, then silvers in the 100m & 200m back, 50m free and 200m breaststroke. Jess Edwards fine form continued with gold in the 50m fly and silver in the 200m medley.

For the boys Harvey Pike also bagged a triple gold, 100m and 200m back and 200m breaststroke. He also won a silver in the 100m fly and bronze in the 50m breast stroke. Hot on his heels, Ethan Difford won gold in 100m breaststroke and 50m back and silver in the 100m free. Ethan Difford matched this double gold winning the 50m fly and 100m medley, silver in the 100m back and bronze in the 100m breaststroke. Will Carr won gold in the 50m breast stroke, silver in the 100m breaststroke, bronze in the 200m breaststroke and bronze for both the 50m and 100m backstroke.

Fin Hunter-Clarke won four silvers (50m and 200m back, 50m fly and 100m medley), and bronze in the 100m breaststroke. Maisie Banwell won silver in the 200m fly and 100m breaststroke, and bronze in the 200m backstroke, gaining several regional times in the process. Whilst Eve Chagger-Goode also won silvers in the 100m breaststroke and medley, whilst Joanna Black went even better with silvers in 100m free and 50m back, and bronze in the 100m and 200m backstroke highlighting her consistency in this stroke. Tegan Lawton was again amongst the medals, silver in the 50m breaststroke, and bronze in the 100m breaststroke and 100m fly.

There were more silver medals for Matt Chillingworth in the 200m fly (who also bagged bronze in the 200m breaststroke), and the 50m breaststroke for both Katie Waters and Annabel Drudge, whilst Sean Robinson won silver in the 200m backstroke.

Bronze medals went to Alfie Hawkins (50m and 200m backstroke), Jake Fouracres (50m free and 100m breaststroke), Sophie Chillingworth (200m fly), Charlie Hill and Abi Waller (both 200m breaststroke).

A club spokesperson said, "We are delighted with the continued improvement of our swimmers from across all of our competitive squads, the huge medal haul is great for the swimmers but from a coaching perspective it is a thrill to see so many personal bests being achieved. I would also like to say a huge thank you to our co-hosts Millfield and Taunton and we are especially grateful to all the parent volunteers for supporting this meet, either as officials, helpers or supporters." Street swimmers are next in action at the Yeovil Christmas meet, a last chance to qualify for next years County Championships.

Ends. Photo – some of the successful Street swimmers who attended the Street winter Meet