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CALENDAR OF EVENTS NATIONAL AND INTERNATIONAL

1998

August 9 - 14 World Masters Games,
Portland, Oregon

October 31 - Asia Pacific Masters
November 1st Games, Gold Coast,
Queensland

October 18-23 Honda Masters Games
Alice Springs, NT

1999

May 13 - 16 AUSSI National Swim,
Darwin, NT

Early October Australian Masters
Games, Adelaide SA

2000

July 27- FINA World Masters
August 8th Swim Champs. Munich
Germany

DATE LIST (Branch)

July 5 400m Short Course
Swim, Collegiate
(Taiays, TTL)

August 15-16 Short Course
Championships L'ton.

August 15 Branch Meeting, L'ton

October 25 Branch Meeting, Ross

400 M. SHORT COURSE

July 5 Collegiate Pool, Hobart
This event is limited to two swims per
swimmer - \$3 per entry. Entry forms from
Club Secretaries.

WINTER SHORT COURSE CHAMPIONSHIPS

August 15-16 Mowbray Pool, Launceston.
Flyers and entry forms are available through
Club Secretaries

NATIONAL TOP TEN

These are available from Clubs or for a
personal copy, contact:
National Office,
P.O. Box 207
MARLESTON 5033. 088 3441217

NATIONAL RECORDS

(published in National Newsletter).
Most recent at the National swim in March:

Glenise Gale, TSB, (40-44)
200 Breastroke.
Sue Mayne, TLN (60-64)
200 Breastroke

ANY SNIPPETS OR ITEMS OF INFO FOR
PLATYPUS PRESS AND "LIFE IN
THE FAST LANE". CONTACT: PUBLICITY
OFFICER, ROD ARCHER ON FAX 6229
9667 OR PHONE 6229 5662

FINA WORLD MASTERS - CASABLANCA

Four lucky swimmers, all from Launceston, are off to Casablanca, in June.....Here's looking
at you, Kids! Good luck and have a great time, from your friends in swimming.

LIFE IN THE FAST LANE

BURNIE AUSSI:

Are enjoying a growth in members, now standing at 19 with at least ten swimmers training regularly. Keep up the good work.

DEVONPORT DEVILS:

A fund raiser in the Festive Spirit.....On Saturday July 25, a social event either early or late, we are not sure, AN UPSIDE DOWN CHRISTMAS PARTY, will be held. Santa will be in attendance and party goers will take a small pressie - Surprises all round.....Ladies, watch out for the Mistle-toe.

LAUNCESTON LEMMINGS

WANTED COACH! Due to absence of their "Jet Setting Leader!"

NEW NORFOLK WHALES:

Although members are down, the good news is they are still above water. Ken Stronach will be "flying the flag" at the short course long distance meet.

OCEANA MASTERS:

The Club now has a strong core group training on Wednesday nights taking advantage of the free coaching for members. There is over a dozen regulars in our first season and the challenge is now on to get these swimmers confident and enthusiastic enough to race regularly in Masters Events.

Already they have had success at the Nationals with the relay team winning Gold in the 120 plus IM plus a number of individual medals and State records.

SANDY BAY SEAGULLS:

1998 MARKS THE 100TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE SANDY BAY SWIMMING CLUB. (The oldest swimming club in Australia), the celebrations will be outlined in a promotional feature, in The Sunday Tasmanian (June 28). Should any Club or Organisation wish to acknowledge this historic occasion by advertising support please contact Rod Archer.....ANY AUSSI SWIMMERS, who are past members of the club or have had some other connection, perhaps know someone who has, please provide Sandy Bay with names and addresses etc for mailing list.

TALAYS AUSSI:

A CORDIAL INVITATION is extended to any AUSSI swimmers to attend a coached swim training night, the third Tuesday, every month. This will be followed by a Social Get Together. Further details phone John Nicol (Home) 6244 3698.