

KENT ASA SWIMMING CHAMPIONSHIPS 2018

32 Shepway swimmers were accepted to swim in the Kent ASA County Championships this year. Again, the event was heavily oversubscribed with Shepway swimmers having 45 events rejected and some swimmers not making it though at all even though they had good consideration times. Some of the qualifying times this year were harder than some of the SE Region qualifying times so congratulations to all those swimmers who did get to swim.

The Hythe Aqua swimmers who swam were Evie Wood, Amelia Priestley, Jordan Roger Mills, Rico Newman Morgan, Leon Santer, Tristan Calvo and Ben Walker with Finn Wood, Ema Calvo, Georgie Dedman and Sandra Vroeman, all gaining times but were either not accepted or not able to make the dates.

There were some excellent swims with Ben making his first ever 50m pool final in the 17/O 100m breast and Jordan coming 8th in the 15 yrs 50m Fly final. Leon Santer (3) Tristan Calvo (5) and Rico (1) all swam fantastic PB's which is not easy in a 50m pool and Leon and Tristan were competing in an extremely tough age group with many talented swimmers.

Thanks to Julie Calvo, Tracey and Ian Goldsmith for either acting as team managers or as officials.



Ben Walker finalist