

# EDINBURGH DIVING NEWSLETTER



May 2004

There has been a great deal happening within the programme recently with lots of divers learning new skills and dives. Well done. Unfortunately, there have had to be a few alterations in the last month due to Mary's absence. We would like to thank all the parents, especially of D Squad divers for being so accommodating throughout this period. Also thank you to all the coaches for taking on the extra classes and keeping the programme running smoothly. Some of our Scottish squad divers had to be coached within the lesson programme and we hope this did not cause too many disruptions. They were training for

GB Nationals, which is obviously a very important event for them.

The newsletter is much smaller this month because of Mary's absence, but if anyone wants more information, please do not hesitate to contact Diving Development on 477 8436.

Summer Camps booking forms will be available from reception from **Monday 7<sup>th</sup> June**. Also, advanced camps for Diver 1 and Squad level will be available every afternoon from 2-4 pm during the holidays. Information and booking at reception.

Finally, we look forward to seeing you at the Ceilidh!

## Summer Camps

Beginner Camps	10 –12 am
Advanced Camps (Diver 1 level)	2 – 4 pm
Squad Training	2 – 4 pm
<b>05 - 08 July,</b>	
<b>12 - 15 July</b>	
<b>19 - 22 July</b>	
<b>26 - 29 July</b>	
<b>02 - 05 August,</b>	
<b>09 - 12 August</b>	

Booking at reception from Monday 7 June. Please book early to avoid disappointment



## Ceilidh



Date:	Saturday 12 <sup>th</sup> June
Time:	7.30 – 12.30
Venue:	Colinton Church, Dreghorn Loan
Price:	£6.00 BYOB

**Featuring The Fabulous Pet Shop  
Boys.**

Please contact either :  
Liz Reid tel. 441 5468 or  
Lesley Smith tel. 07711685106

## Edinburgh Diving Club News

Well done to the team who travelled to Harrogate for the Hydro Novices. It was a great result and we were only 1 point off the team trophy. If we had been able to take Stuart Robison to dive in the Boys 14-16 event, then we would have won. We will have to change the train timetable for next year!

Training will continue during the summer holidays for all club members. There will be sessions from 2-4pm every week of the holidays from Monday to Thursday. Booking is on a weekly basis. Please can you book in as soon as possible so that we have some idea of numbers.

We hope to see as many squad divers training through the holidays. We have a lot of competitions to win after the summer, especially White Rose Novice Competition in Leeds. There is no Novice League in July, and the August competition is to be held in Ayr on 28 August.

The final Novice League before the holidays will be held in Edinburgh along with the East District 1 metre Championships. The requirements are : Senior 6 dives from 4 groups  
Junior 4 dives from 2 groups

Finally, **VERY IMPORTANT** - please can everyone who was at Aberdeen last week please either return their dive sheet to their coach or let them know their score and placing. We need this information for the league table.



## Forthcoming Events

<b>Scottish Novice League</b>	The next competition will be held on Saturday 26 June in Edinburgh. There will be no event in July and the August competition will be held in Ayr on 28 August
<b>East District Championships</b>	The 1 metre event will be held along with the NL on Saturday 26 June
<b>ASA National Age Group Championships</b>	3-5 June, Southampton.
<b>ASA Senior National Championships</b>	18-20 June, Southampton. Closing date for entries <b>Friday 4 June</b>
<b>Training Camp</b>	It is hoped to hold a training camp for approx 16 divers in Sheffield on either the 3/5 September or the 10/12 September. Invitation only. Further details to follow.

## Reports and Results



### Scottish Novice League 29 May 2004, Aberdeen

Results still to be confirmed. Thank you to Davy, Jenny, Vicki, Sarah, Orla and Becky for helping on this trip and also to the two chaperones, Elspeth Hood and Caroline Kerr who helped to make the day run so smoothly. Well done to all the medal winners



### Hydro Novices. 8 / 9 May 2004, Harrogate.

This was the first time that Edinburgh sent a team down to this event and our results were much better than expected, missing out on the team trophy by 1 point, only because we had no boys in the 14/16 Age Group as this was the last event of the competition and we would not have been able to catch the last train home.

All the divers performed very well with some superb scores and five medals. Congratulations to Anna Sless on winning the Girls 8/9 event. Star of the Trip was given to Fionnuala Kerr, diving in her first away competition south of the border. She dived excellently, winning a bronze medal.

Thank you to Vicki Tomlinson, who agreed to join the trip at the last minute due to Mary's enforced absence. Thank also to Jenny and Davy who did a great job and also to the two chaperones, Susan Greig and Marjorie Dodds who helped to make the trip so enjoyable for everyone

Girls 14/16	Gillian Fleming	169.10	<b>SILVER</b>
	Stacey Henderson	150.75	5 <sup>th</sup>
	Louise Fleming	140.65	10 <sup>th</sup>
Girls 12/13	Megan Hughes	124.70	<b>BRONZE</b>
	Catherine Webber	106.60	6 <sup>th</sup>
Girls 10/11	Fionnuala Kerr	129.80	<b>BRONZE</b>
	Ellen Hood	126.60	5 <sup>th</sup>
	Beth Dodds	120.90	8 <sup>th</sup>
	Laura Smith	120.50	9 <sup>th</sup>
	Hannah Burns	95.15	20 <sup>th</sup>
Girls 8/9	Anna Sless	137.80	<b>GOLD</b>
	Hannah Dodds	105.40	4 <sup>th</sup>
	Alana Greig	94.70	6 <sup>th</sup>



Boys 12/13	Glenn Robison	135.20	<b>BRONZE</b>
	Tommy Farrell	109.20	13 <sup>th</sup>
	Michael Weir	106.90	14 <sup>th</sup>
Boys 10/11	Liam Greig	118.60	5 <sup>th</sup>

Could I remind everyone with SASA raffle tickets to return them to your coach or Sheila Murray by Monday 6th June, please.



congratulations



- To Anna Sless for winning Gold at Hydro Novices
- Tto Gillian Fleming for winning Silver at Hydro Novices
- Tto Fionnuala Kerr for winning Bronze at Hydro Novices
- Tto Megan Hughes for winning Bronze at Hydro Novices
- To Glenn Robison for winning Bronze at Hydro Novices
  - To Stacey Henderson for beating her PB by miles
- To Liam Greig for making the least splash out of all the divers in the club

**Finally, remember DIVER OF THE TERM.**

**Who will it be this term?**



**This is awarded to the most improved Beginner, Diver 1 and Squad diver**