

Seven Boldmere Swimmers star for Warwickshire Team in the Inter-County Kingerlee Trophy at Milton Keynes on 9th May

Seven Boldmere swimmers were selected to represent and compete for their county, Warwickshire ASA, in a team of 24 at the Kingerlee Trophy Inter-County event held at Milton Keynes on the 9th May.

Competing against three other counties, Oxon and North Buckinghamshire, Leicestershire and Bedfordshire were Joel Cunningham, Matt Price, Gina Lockett, Givenchy Sneekes, Steven Wilson, Matt Hyde and Jordan Youngman along with Boldmere's head junior coach Jayne Lockett who also represented Warwickshire as team coach on the day

A number of Personnel Best's were achieved as well as club records smashed. The first success was lead by Joel Cunningham and Matt Price in the 10yr old 200m Freestyle relay both swimming very strong 1st and 2nd legs respectively to ensure Warwickshire recorded their first win of the day. Joel also swam just outside his PB in the 50m backstroke, while Matt swam an extremely impressive 50m Butterfly to claim a very convincing first place in a PB and a new club record time of 34.36 seconds.

Gina Lockett represented Warwickshire well in the 12 yr old 200m Freestyle and Medley relays and 100m Breaststroke individual helping the team

claim more valuable points. In the 12 yr old boys Freestyle and Medley relays Steven Wilson swam two storming freestyle last legs to ensure first place for the team in both events. He then capped his day's performance with a tremendous win in the individual 100m Freestyle, smashing his PB by more two seconds in a time of 1.03.39.

Givenchy Sneekes carried on the high level of performance swimming in the 13yr old 200m Freestyle and Medley relays and just outside her PB claiming 3rd place in a very close finish in the 100m Freestyle individual.

Mathew Hyde and Jordan Youngman helped Warwickshire claim convincing wins in the boys 13yr old Freestyle and Medley relays. Hyde registered two PB's in the first leg of the Freestyle and Backstroke respectively, whilst Youngman put in powerful swims in the Free and Butterfly legs. Both swimmers finished 2nd in their individual races, Youngman in the 100m Fly just outside his PB and Hyde smashed his PB in the 100m Backstroke by over 5seconds!

Warwickshire finished 3rd overall against tough opposition with Leicester claiming the trophy for the second year running.

