

St.Helens Swimming Club

Affiliated to the ASA NW Region, Lancashire County SWPA



Festival Trophy Winners 2009



St.Helens Swimming Club defended the Festival Trophy at Woolston Pool on Sunday the 26th April with outstanding conviction , gaining over 26 1st place finishes. They were hard pushed by previous winners, Halton S.C but triumphed with some outstanding individual swims. The gala which was held over 50 events comprising of 11 and under , 13 and under , 15 and under and open age, saw the team captains (Patrick Loughnane and Alice Harrison) lead by example with crucial victories and valuable points needed to retain the trophy.

The final points were:

St.Helens SC	238 pts
Halton SC	216 pts
Warrington 'A'	198 pts
Woolton SC	167 pts
Newton-le-Willows SC	154 pts
Warrington 'B'	73 pts

St.Helens now look forward to retaining their other 2 trophies (which they won back in 2008) later this year with the Prestige Trophy and the Bolton & District under 12's League.

Also girls team Captain, Alice Harrison (pictured holding the trophy) had other reasons to celebrate as she had been selected to represent Liverpool and District in the Inter Association Championships, competing in the 50m and 200m Butterfly and also the 50m Free. This is a fantastic achievement for Alice as she competed against some of the top swimmers in the Liverpool and surrounding areas to gain selection,

Well done to Alice and all other swimmers who took part in the Festival Trophy.

