

DASC at Middlesbrough ASC Junior Christmas Meet 14 December 2008

A group of 7 girls and 1 boy from Darlington ASC (DASC) competed at the Middlesbrough ASC Junior Christmas Meet on 14 December 2008. They came from A, B and C squads. Only 1 week after their great swimming at the Wear Valley Open Christmas Stocking Meet, Darlington swimmers again produced some excellent swims, and achieved 16 Personal Best times in 30 swims.

Joe Wilson, who was in the 10 years age group, came 3rd in 100m Backstroke, taking 19 seconds off, and 6th in 100m IM and 5th in 100m Breaststroke.

Jade Fletcher, who was in the 10 years age group, came 5th in 100m butterfly, as well as taking 13 seconds off 100m IM, 16 seconds off 100m Backstroke and 13 seconds off 100m Freestyle.

Robyn Wilkinson, who was in the 11 years age group, produced 3 PBs and took 18 seconds off 100m IM.

Emma Shackleston, who swam in all the 11 years age group events, produced 3 PBs and took 12 seconds off 100m Breaststroke, 6 seconds off 100m Backstroke, and 4 seconds off 100m IM and 100m Freestyle.

Emily Waterworth, who also swam in all the 9 years age group events, did well in 100m IM taking off 10 seconds.

Grace Carlton, who was in the 11 years age group, did well in 100m Breaststroke taking 4 seconds off.

Well done to **Bridget Upton** and **Victoria Pinner** who also produced good PB swims. This was the first time that Victoria has swum 100m before in a competition.

B squad coach, Emma Hughes, said, 'It was a very good performance and I am happy to see swimmers getting great PBs. So, well done! You all represented the club well and swam well. You can't do much better than that!'

Emma Hughes