**Yarrawonga/Mulwala Swimming Club Trophy Awards 2020**

On Wednesday 4th March the Yarrawonga Mulwala Swimming Club held its Trophy Awards for 2020. The night saw the presentation of the following trophies for events swum at the Club Championships over the month of February.

Men 11-12 50m Backstroke: William Murphy

Women 11-12 50m Backstroke: Chelsea Kerr

Men 15-16 100m Freestyle: Hugh Mullins

Women 15-16 100m Freestyle: Freya Fletcher

Men 8 & under 50m Freestyle: Wally Hammon

Women 8 & under 50m Freestyle: Emily Judd

Men Open 200m IM: Hugh Mullins

Women Open 200m IM: Freya Fletcher

Men 9-10 50m Breaststroke: Sam Tayler

Women 9-10 50m Breaststroke: Lara Angwin

Men 13-14 50m Butterfly: Darby Mullins

Women 13-14 50m Butterfly: Isobelle Nagle

Throughout the season the club holds a competition night on a Wednesday and swimmers earn points based on their times swum through out the months of November, December and January. These points are added up and the swimmer with the most points in a stroke are awarded the Aggregate for that stroke. The swimmer with the most overall points is awarded the Grand Aggregate. Winners of these awards were:

*Boys Freestyle:* Charlie Bourke *Girls Freestyle:* Nancy Thomas

*Boys Backstroke:* Byron Dodd *Girls Backstroke:* Nancy Thomas/Finella Donald

*Boys Breaststroke:* Jesse McDonald *Girls Breaststroke:* Lara Angwin

*Boys Butterfly:* Angus Donald *Girls Butterfly:* Lizabeth Donald

*Grand Aggregate:* Nancy Thomas

The Coaches Awards were as follows

*Performance Squad (Lyndon):* Isobelle Nagle

*Development 2 Squad (Kevin):* Jesse McDonald

*Development 1 Squad (Greg):* Makayla George

*Junior Squad (Paula):* All 16 swimmers received a medal

The final presentations were as follows:

The **Interclub Award** is awarded to the swimmer who has earned the most points over the season for the club at the Ovens and Murray Interclub competitions. This year’s award went to Chelsea Kerr.

The **Most Determined Award** is awarded to the swimmer who has shown determination, commitment and persistence over the season. This year’s award went to Lara Angwin

The **Seven Year Service Award** is awarded to swimmers who have been a member of the Yarrawonga/Mulwala Swimming Club for seven years. The number seven reflects the average number of years a swimmer competes for. This year saw Milla Fletcher receive her 7 Year Service Badge.

The **Significant Achievement Award** goes to a swimmer that has achieved a significant result or results over the season. This award is not awarded every year with the last time it was awarded being 2015. This year the Significant Achievement award went to Millie Dodd. Millie competed in two finals at the Victorian Country Championships finishing 4th in Freestyle and 3rd in Butterfly and competed in three finals the Victorian Sprint Championships finishing 10th in Freestyle, 7th in Butterfly and 3rd in Backstroke.

The Best Club Person Award goes to a club parent in recognition of their input to the club over the season. This year’s award went to Lyndon Hart.

The night finished with presentations to the Club Coaches – Paula Nagle (Junior Squad), Greg Bye (Development 1 Squad), Kevin White (Development 2 Squad) and Lyndon Hart (Performance Squad) by the Club Captains Freya Fletcher and Hugh Mullins.