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Dates for your diary.

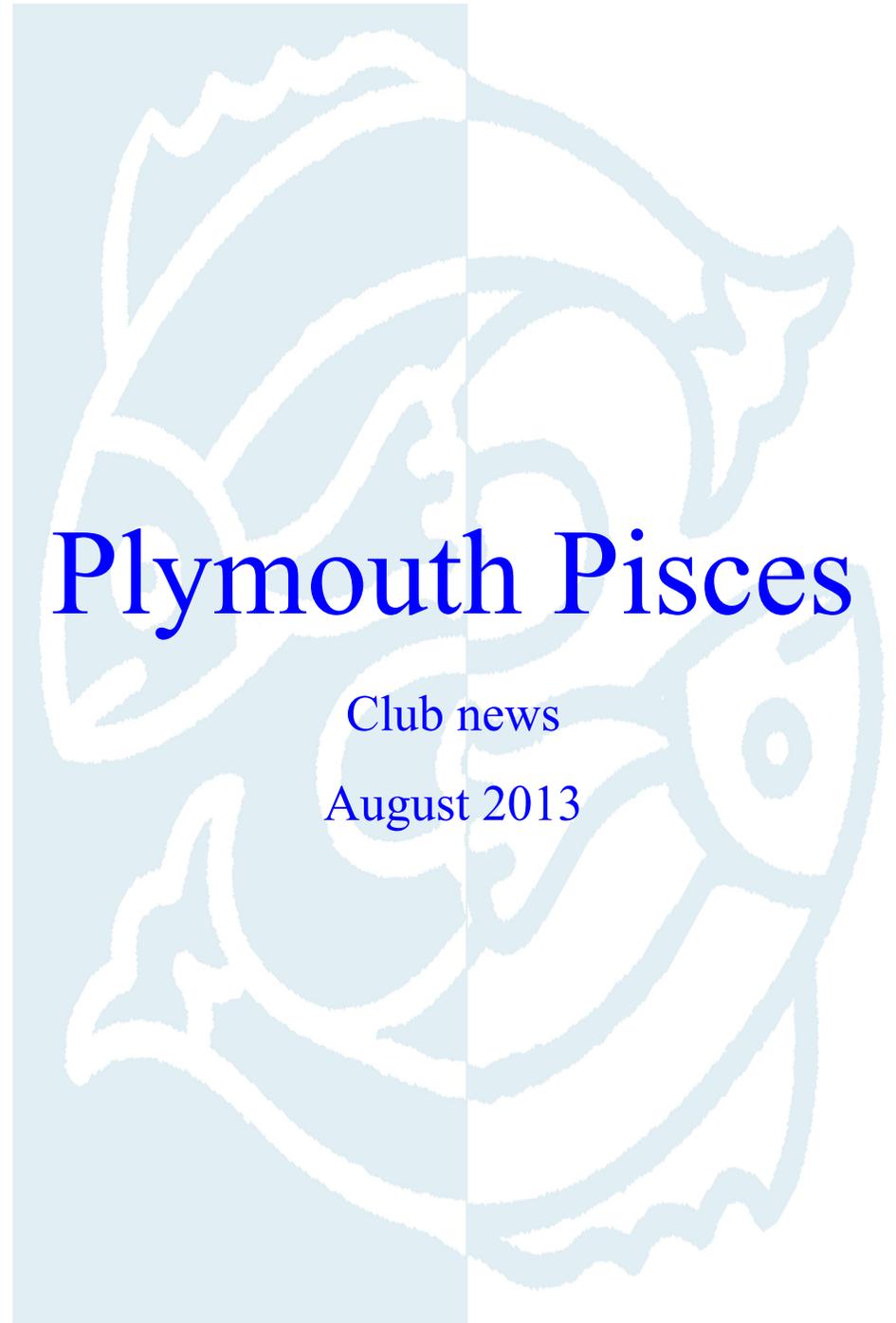
No swimming.

Sunday December 15th 2013.

(How about coming tobogganing with us instead)

December 22nd

Christmas fun swim.



A thank you to our many volunteer's

Plymouth Pisces is run by volunteers and could not function as a club, without the work of these loyal members, whose work goes largely unnoticed. Many of our volunteers have assisted with swimming sessions and with the administration for many years without any acknowledgement. In this news letter the committee (who are also all volunteers) would like to thank them for all their hard work, in the past and hopefully for the club, also in the future.

At swimming sessions we have volunteers helping people in and out of the pool, helping with exercise and building peoples confidence in the water. Paul works at the entrance, collecting subs and handing out information etc., he also does the clubs accounts. Others help with the day to day running of the club, writing letters, fund raising, liaising with the Life-centre management, organising transport to Galas, organising our Gala, Christmas parties, everything in-fact that goes into running our club. I suppose you could say that the fact that we don't notice our volunteers, shows how well they do their jobs.

The 2 pictures from the past below, show how long some of our members have been helping to raise funds and help with the running of Plymouth Pisces. I would have liked to have included some more faces but their doesn't seem to be any photos in Irene's archive. Nicky spent many hours looking through them and these were the best of the bunch.



Pisces Swimming Gala

We held our annual swimming Gala at the Plymouth Life-centre on Saturday the 6th of July. We managed to field a full team for the first time this year and all won medals and helped Pisces to retain the overall team trophy. The Plymouth Lions assisted with the operations on the day, including timekeeping and running the scoreboard.

Honoured guest were,

The lord mayor of Plymouth, (Mrs. Vivien Pengelly).

The Chairman of South Hams District Council, (Mr. Brian Carson and Mrs Carson).

Plymouth City Councillor, Phillipa Davis.

Phillippa Davis, Brian Carson and his wife presented the medals and trophies at the after event reception, unfortunately the lord mayor had to leave early for another official engagement.

Many Club members, their friends and family, worked hard behind the scenes, entertaining the guests, making and presenting food, taking pictures, helping with the scoring and the results, pouring out the drinks for the competitors, everything in fact that's goes into making sure the gala could take place.

The Life-Centre staff were as always extremely helpful and helped to make the event go like clockwork. A special thanks must go to, Tom Peonides the events manager for all the work he did imputing all the teams into the computer, so each race could be displayed on the scoreboard.

Well done to all Pisces swimmers and to all the swimmers from, Keynsham Seals, Yeovil Apollo and Mendip Mallard, it was a great day !!.