



# CLUB NEWS

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2020

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## BELATED HAPPY NEW YEAR

**We hope everyone had a safe Festive Season**

Welcome to 2020 we look forward to another great year  
of swimming, from all the team – James, Damo, Rosie,  
Laura, Chris and Julie.

## 2019 STATE CHAMPIONSHIPS WRAP UP

**WOW – Outstanding Performance MCA**

Congratulations to all swimmers who competed at the  
Championships in December - you have made us all  
very proud!

## MCA STATE TEAM SPONSORS

**Thank you**

Special thanks to our two swim families who sponsored  
our 2019 STATE Swim Team.

## MERCHANDISE-UNIFORMS

**How good do we look?**

MCA Swim Club Uniforms and Merchandise delivered  
and distributed.

## 2020 MEET CALENDAR

**Currently being updated**

You can access the meet calendar on our website at  
[https://www.mcaswimming.com.au/mca-swim-club/meet-  
calendar](https://www.mcaswimming.com.au/mca-swim-club/meet-calendar)

## 2020 CLUB NIGHTS

**On your mark – get set -**

Club Nights returned last week and you can find a full  
list of dates at [https://www.mcaswimming.com.au/mca-  
swim-club/club-nights](https://www.mcaswimming.com.au/mca-swim-club/club-nights)

## VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

**Your Club needs your help**

Please make 2020 your year to volunteer at the Club.  
Volunteers are welcome and no experience is needed.  
We are always looking for new ideas so let us know if  
you have one!

## 2020

The festive season is a distant memory with school starting back this week. 2020 is already shaping up as a big and bright year.

## 2019 McDonald's Queensland Championships

Well what a performance MCA Swim Club! Congratulations to all our swimmers who participated in the STATE Championships held last week. Fantastic effort

Congratulations to James Leigh on being awarded the 12 years Boys Age Champion of the 2019 McDonald's Queensland Championships. An outstanding achievement James – Well Done.

### Medal Summary

James Leigh	Gold Medals for the 200 Backstroke, 200 IM, 100, 200 and 400 Freestyle Silver Medals for the 100 Backstroke, 100 Fly Bronze Medal for the 50 Freestyle Bronze Medal for the 50 Freestyle Relay <i>8 Individual Events – 8 Individual PBs – 2 New School Records</i>
Hannah Casey	Gold Medals for the 50 and 100 Freestyle Bronze Medal for the 100 Fly
Alex Bibo	Silver Medal for the 800 Freestyle Bronze Medal for the 400m IM
Jack Goyen	Bronze Medal for the 100 Freestyle
Talia Bellette	Bronze Medal for the 100 Backstroke



### Relay Summary

Congratulations to all the MCA Swimmers who competed in the State Relay Championships on Saturday 14 December.

MCA started day one well by achieving 3<sup>rd</sup> place in the boys 12 Years & Under 50m Freestyle race. *Congratulations and Well done to **James Leigh, Ryan O'Toole, Archer Mellifont and Lachie Vink.***

We also had many top 10 finishes which were:

Boys 9-10 200 Medley Relay	Boys 12 & Under Medley Relay
Boys 9-10 200 Freestyle Relay	Girls 14 & Under 200 Medley Relay
	Girls 14 & Under 200 Freestyle Relay

### Individual Event Summary

Congratulations to our 29 MCA Swimmers who qualified for individual events this year. Each one of you performed very well and your Club is proud of your achievements. Well done.

1. Hayden Barnes
2. Angus Bathe
3. Archie Bathe
4. Talia Bellette
5. Alex Bibo
6. Luke Brennan
7. Hannah Casey
8. Phoebe Cervetto
9. Noah Coco
10. Emily Cruickshank
11. Ange Douyere
12. Braden Gettliffe
13. Thomas Gibson
14. Jack Goyen
15. Kahli Graham
16. Annika Jensen
17. James Leigh
18. Olivia Marco
19. Jessica McGill
20. Mia Mellifont
21. Olivia Peck
22. Alex Pedroni
23. Darcey Salter
24. Oliver Shinkel
25. Alyssa Spohn
26. Lily Tomlinson
27. Lachie Vink
28. Ed Wild
29. Noah Wright

## 2019 State Statistics

MCA State Swim Team	Total Members	Total Relay Teams	Total Individual swimmers	Total Medals
	83	40	29	16

Damian and I were very proud of how well you all represented the swimming club.

## STATE Team 2019 Sponsors

Thank you to our amazing sponsors -

**All Play + Say Physiotherapy, Penny Bibo and Travel Counsellors, Hayley Voll** without your financial sponsorship our team wouldn't have looked so flash in our STATE uniform. Many thanks for your support of this event and our Club.



## 2020 Squad Training Timetable

Please keep an eye on your email or our Facebook page for the latest 2020 Squad Training Timetables <https://www.facebook.com/MCASwimClub/>

## Club Merchandise & Uniforms

Our Club Uniform has arrived and has been distributed and don't we look good!!! You can still purchase Caps, Cooler Bags, Water Bottles, Stubby Coolers, Coffee Cups so if you are keen please email Louise on [lm.salter@qut.edu](mailto:lm.salter@qut.edu) or see her at the pool. We also have a small number of Club Polos, Hoodies (sizes are limited) available.

