

Carnegie swimmers amongst the medals at Falkirk Otters

A small team of swimmers from Carnegie's C,D and Junior Development squads took part in the annual Falkirk Otters mini meet on Saturday 24th April 2010 at Larkhall swimming pool.

In the morning session, the 8 and 9 year olds competed. Swimming in her final gala as an 8 year old, Eilidh Lister came away with a clean sweep of 4 gold medals in the 50m fly, 50m back, 50m breast and 50m free and collected the trophy for best girl. Lucy Ross, also competing in her final 8 year old event, picked up a bronze medal in the 50m fly and added a 4th place flash in the 50m breast and two 5th place flashes in the 50m back and 50m free. Orla McQuade, also 8 years old, completed the morning medal haul with bronze in the 50m free. Missing out on a top six finish, but nevertheless swimming well, the Carnegie team was completed by 9 year old Gavin Ogilvie.



The 8 and 9 year olds proudly display their medals after the morning session at Larkhall.

In the afternoon session, the 10/11yr olds from Junior Development and Performance Development 2 continued the medal haul with Fraser Beeby picking up the 10yrs Top Boy award with Gold in the 50m Backstroke and Silvers in the 50m Butterfly, Breaststroke and Freestyle. 10yr old James Collyer competing in the same events picked up two 4th place awards in the 50m Backstroke and Freestyle whilst team mate Hamish Neil picked up 6th place in the 50m Breaststroke. Not to be outdone by the boys, 10yr old Sophie Ross picked up a 5th place award in the 50m Freestyle whilst 11yr old Kirsten Cronie picked up a 5th place award in the 50m Freestyle and a 6th place in the 50m Backstroke.

Also competing over the weekend and setting new lifetime personal bests were Aidan Mitchell and Grant Ogilvie.

The icing on the cake was Gold for the Mixed 10yr Old 100m Freestyle Relay team made up of James Collyer, Sophie Ross, Fraser Beeby and Claire Lee with a winning time of 01:05.80

