

Lincs Masters Counties at Louth Oct 8th 2017

Eight swimmers from Deepings Masters group competed at last weekend's County Championships at Louth.

The swimmers competed in both Medley relay and Freestyle relay team events achieving Bronze on both occasions, whilst in the individual events of all four 50s, the 100 freestyle and 100 IM they won 10 Golds, 12 Silvers and 7 Bronzes. Overall DSC came 4th out of the eight clubs competing.

As usual the hour and a half journey up to the event was dominated with talk about how we were going to swim and win this year's races, while the hour and a half journey home was spent planning how we were going to swim (and win more of) next year's races!!

Top man of the event must be given to our newest recruit Chris Orchard who competed in all events available to him and it was also great to have two younger members (seniors, as yet not old enough to be masters) competing with us.

They, Chris Barrett and Millie Catherall, were slightly surprised at how competitive the oldies were, but were rolling around in laughter as they watched a lot of old people try to organise themselves for the relays... the biggest problem being that we have all taken our glasses off and can't see to the other end of the pool so have no idea which lane our teammates are in!

Good fun was had by all and the planning now starts for the Midlands next Spring.