Swim England North West

Here’s the latest news, events, and opportunities from across the region

Please share this update with all your club members.



🏊 North West Masters Shine at National Championships in Sheffield

Swimmers from across the North West produced an outstanding series of performances at the Swim England Masters National Championships, held at Ponds Forge, Sheffield, from 23–25 October.

A total of 222 clubs competed at the three-day championships, including 30 from the North West Region, with the Region’s swimmers enjoying considerable success in both individual and relay competition.

Click here for all the details

🏊 SENW Disability Swimming Development Programme



Organised by Swim England North West and the Tutors of the University of Greater Manchester...
Are you a swimmer with an intellectual or physical disability, or do you know someone who would enjoy and benefit from taking part?
Our inclusive and enjoyable sessions have been designed to bring athletes together to train alongside others with similar experiences, with activities in and out of the pool tailored to each individual's specific needs.

✪ Bookings are now open and will close on Friday 6th November 2026

Click here for further details and to book



🏊 Swim England North West Winter Championships 2026 – Accepted Entries Now Available ✪

SENW Regional Winter Championships 2026 will take place on Saturday 7th & Sunday 8th November 2026 at the Manchester Aquatics Centre (25m).

✪ Volunteers are needed for all sessions! If you can help, please email swimnorthwest@swimming.org.
Thank you for supporting the event.

✪ Championship merchandise is now available **Click here to order**

Click here for all the details.

✪ Swim England North West – Life Membership ✪

Life Membership recognises exceptional achievements for the benefit of Swim England North West Limited.

Nominations are now open and will close at **9am 31st October 2026**

Click here for further information





Swim England North West Young Volunteer Award

Read about one of our former Young Volunteers and discover how completing the Award through the Region inspired them to undertake a range of aquatics qualifications and courses.

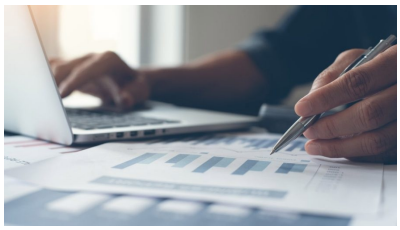
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SENW Young Volunteer Award [Expression of Interest form for future dates]

Swim England membership system launches

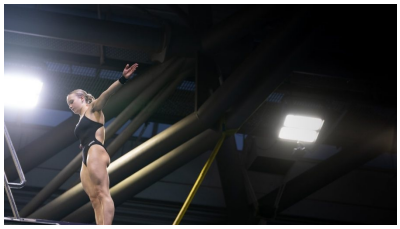
Swim England's new Sport:80 Membership Management System is now live, Club officers and those in administration roles should have now received an email.

Click here if you have any queries.



Don't forget to sign up to the next National Clubs forum to get information and demonstrations on the new Sport80 system

Click here to register



Aquatics GB have launched it's Diving-Gymnastics Talent Transfer programme

We know that many of our athletes are involved in both aquatics and gymnastics, and the skills often complement each other brilliantly. Aquatics GB has recently launched a Diving Talent Transfer Programme, designed specifically for athletes who may wish to explore opportunities within diving.

Click here for all the details and to register.

Help Shape the Future of Coaching in the North West

The North West is seeking feedback from coaches to help shape future coach development. A survey has been sent to Head Coaches, and all coaches are encouraged to take part and share their experiences, challenges, and development needs.

To access the survey, speak to your Head Coach or email clubdevelopment@swimnorthwest.org with your name and Swim England membership number.

Your feedback will help guide future coach support, education, and development opportunities across the North West. The survey **closes on 31st October 2026.**



SENW Coaches and Team Managers we want you



Calling all Coaches and Team Managers from all disciplines - We are seeking enthusiastic and committed coaches and team managers to support development programmes, training camps, competitions and representative teams across the region.

Click here to complete the expression of interest form

✪ Artistic Swimming Grade Day Certificates for Sale ✪

Following the recent change in the way Grade Days are being ran, the Region have a limited number of certificates/badges available to purchase.

Click here to purchase

Courses and Training

Volunteer Training Courses

Team Manager 1 - 19.11.2026, 6pm

Team Manager 2 - 13.01.2027, 6pm

Swim England Safeguarding in Aquatics - 11.11.26, 6pm

SE Welfare Officer - Date TBC

SE Safeguarding refresher module

(In order to complete the Refresher course all candidates must be 18 years or over and have completed the 3 hour (face to face / online) Swim England Safeguarding course within the last 3 years).

Coaching courses

Swim England Land Based Coach – Macclesfield 1.2.2027

Bookings for the first courses under our new Coach Education curriculum are expected to open from October, marking an important milestone in the evolution of coach learning and development.

Shaped by feedback from the aquatics community, the new curriculum is designed to better reflect the realities of modern coaching. Courses will begin to roll out from January 2027 and clubs are encouraged to remind coaches that they can still register their interest before bookings open.

Click here for all the details

Water Polo Swimming courses

Swim England North West – Water Polo Regional Level Referee Course 10.1.2027

Artistic Swimming courses

Artistic Swimming Judge Level 1 – Online Part 2 (Face to Face) 12.12.26

Governance Workshops

Club Chair Essentials eLearning

Club Development Forum

National Welfare Officer Forum

Club Welfare Officer (mandatory)

National Clubs Forum

Online Chairs Information Session (Part 1)

Funding opportunities for clubs

National Chairs Forum

Swim England - Working Together Project

Judge Official Courses

Artistic

Swimming Judge 1

Swimming Judge 2

Diving

Diving Judge 1

Diving Judge 2

Swimming

Swimming Judge 1 Theory

Swimming Judge 2

Vacancies

Vacancy – Swim England North West Swimming Manager (Volunteer role)

Stockport Metro - Lead and Assistant Swimming Coach (Development Squads) - Closing date 30.10.26

Flixton Swim Team – Head Coach

Swim England- Water Polo Talent Centre Staff - Join the Talent Centre Team, Coaching, poolside, admin and team manager opportunities

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