

Swim Meet Report Elementary School Swim Meet at ASIJ



Saturday, 4th November

Our team of 25 swimmers had some great experiences at the meet. We signed up to 55 individual events and 10 relays.

It was the first swim meet for Yui Iijima(9), Dylan Fouracre(9), Clara Gardner(8) and Madeline Lai(7). They seemed nervous a little bit in the morning but after the warm-up swim, they looked much relaxed and competed in the races really well.

I would like to say thank you to Caius Strong(7) who swam 200m Free relay and Medley relay in the 9-10 boys team. I was assuming that it was bit tough for him to swim 50m Freestyle and 50m Breaststroke along with all his 25m individual events, but I asked him if he could swim relays and he said YES and he did great! I would have had to scratch both relays if he said "NO" so thank you Caius!

This Medley relay was fun, it was our girls team against boys team. The boys tried really hard to go faster than the girls but they lost only by 0.4 second. It was such a great race. Good job!!



Backstroke; Isabel Lai finished 12.5m ahead of Hao Ping Thoo.

Breaststroke; Thomas Bentley chased Rachel Bickle really hard.

Butterfly; Taisuke Ozaki swam so fast to catch Molly Martin-Jenkins.
Freestyle; Koh Wilson tried super hard to finish before Sachi Naveen.



They had a presentation for the Sportsmanship award and the All-star award.
 Congratulations to those whom received an award!!!



9-10 Sportsmanship award →
 Carla Gherardi(9) and Koh Wilson(9)



← **All-star award**
 Aeimi Street(10) and Taisuke Ozaki(10)



← **11years old Sportsmanship award**
 Sachi Naveen(11) and Hao Ping Thoo(11)
 *He was not there so Thomas went up to get the award.

We have 3 more swim meets to go in 2017. Let's swim hard!!

- 18th Nov. Orcas swim meet at ASIJ
- 3rd Dec. Snowflakes invitational at Yokosuka
- 9th Dec. MS & HS combined meet at ASIJ