



WORLD WINTER SWIMMING CHAMPIONSHIP 2008



From 8 – 10 February 2008 the **World Winter Swimming Championship** will take place in London at the magnificent and historic Tooting Bec Lido. The first ever world championships to be held outside Finland will be hosted by the South London Swimming Club (SLSC).

The 2008 championships are currently being planned and will host a range of races, as well as celebrations to mark the event being held in London.

www.slsc.org.uk/wwsc2008

Entries open from Autumn 2007

For London information: www.visitlondon.com



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COLD WATER SWIMMING CHAMPIONSHIPS

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Welcome to the 2007 Cold Water Swim Champs and thank you for helping South London Swimming Club kick off a second century of swimming at Tooting Bec Lido. The relined pool and refurbished surrounds you can see today was a great way to mark the first 100 years and prepare for the next. Well done Wandsworth!

Today's event is the first since re-opening and encapsulates the open air swimming spirit that we love. All ages, all abilities, some racing in earnest, others just here for the buzz and happy to shiver with friends. And already we're planning for next year's World Winter Swimming Championships to be held in London, here at Tooting Bec Lido. So, enjoy today, enjoy the summer season and put the weekend of 8 February 2008 in your swimming diary right now.

Finbarr Martin, SLSC President

We would like to thank DC Leisure and in particular the lifeguards for their support.



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All swimmers start in the water.
Heats may include more than one age group.
One age group may have several heats.
Placings will be based on best times.

10.00 Opening ceremony

Swimmers: Kevin Murphy
Chris Stanton
Adrian Turner
Lord Lipsey

10.10 Head up breaststroke 33 yards

19 heats: age groups 70+ to under 20

11.10 Award ceremony and prize for best hat of the day

11.40 Freestyle 33 yards

23 heats: age groups 80+ to under 20

12.50 Award ceremony and official handover of the World Winter Swimming Championships 2008

Guests: Deputy Mayor of Wandsworth, Cllr Tessa Strickland
Mariia Yrjö-Koskinen

SLSC EVENTS AT TOOTING BEC LIDO OPEN TO THE PUBLIC

Sunday 8 May	Triathlon – (10 lengths, 4 mile bike, 2 mile run)
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SLSC Summer Evening Aquathlon series

Wednesday 30 May	(11 lengths, 4 mile run)
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Wednesday 13 June	(11 lengths, 4 mile run)
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Wednesday 27 June	(11 lengths, 4 mile run)
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Wednesday 11 July	(11 lengths, 4 mile run)
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Sunday 30 September	Relay triathlon – (10 lengths, 4 mile bike, 2 mile run)
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