

**Bedworth Disabled Swimming Club**



**Kay Clarke Memorial Gala**  
**Programme**

**Bedworth Leisure Centre**  
**28th September 2024**  
**4.30-7.30pm**



Today's gala is the eighth named in memory of Kay Clarke. Kay was a Bedworth Disabled Swimming Club Committee member and was very involved with the club for over 30 years, until she sadly passed away in June 2012 from cancer. She is very much missed by everyone at the club and the gala is in honour of all of Kay's hard work. Kay would have been very proud to have the gala named after her and even prouder of everyone who is involved and taking part.



A very warm welcome to all the swimmers from:

Birmingham Marlins Swimming Club  
Dudley Olympics  
Leamington Dolphins  
Bedworth Disabled Swimming Club

Start officials :	Jean Noonan, Judy Newton, Sally -Anne Tully
Starter :	Sheila Carey
Missing swimmers /runner:	Lily-Mae Whitehead
Chief timekeeper:	Pete Carey
Timekeeper 1:	Claire Jones
Timekeeper 2:	Kevin Spare
Timekeeper 3:	Alison Moore
Timekeeper 4:	Anne Tyzack
Timekeeper 5:	Zoe Mayou
Timekeeper 6:	Natalie Gardner
Finish Judge	Kuldip Basra
Tombola:	Barbara Lanwarne, Marie Clarke, Julie Hodge

## The Structure of the Gala

### Classification

Briefly, swimmers have been classified by their clubs as

Group A Disability that does not greatly affect swimming strokes

Group B Disability that severely affects swimming strokes

Group C Very severe disability (carers allowed in the water)

Group D Unclassified swimmers / helpers where space allows (for times only).

### Seeding

Swimmers have been seeded to give a competitive swim. There are no finals and so swimmers in races with more than 6 competitors will swim in (I) and (II), and possibly (III) races. There are gold, silver and bronze medals for each race. Hoist users will be allocated lane 6.

### Strokes

Front: Any stroke on the front (i.e. backstroke is not allowed - it is not a freestyle race).

Back : Any stroke on the back. Please remind swimmers to stay on their backs until the very end of the race.

Butterfly: As ASA rules with allowance for disability. Please note this is an open race (i.e. separate male and female medals if 6 or more swimmers).

There will be no recalls. Any swimmer starting early will be repositioned.

### Relays

Junior / Youth and Senior/Masters teams should include at least one female swimmer. Juniors and Youths may swim as seniors to complete teams but not vice-versa. Please keep to the entry criteria. **One relay swim per swimmer.**

Non-competitive teams (ie all male, mixed club or multiple legs of the same race) are welcome if there are lanes available in order to allow participation but will not qualify for medals or records. Please make sure that you declare non-competitive teams.

### Lanes

All individual starts for Group 'A' races are in the water at the deep end of the pool. All Group 'B' and 'C' races plus the relay starts are in the water at the shallow end of the pool. The pool is deck level and there are no rails at the ends. Please bear this in mind when putting your relay teams in order.

Race 1(I) Male Masters Group A 25m Front (Record 16.80 P. Haines)

1					
2	Sam Lamb		Bedworth		
3	Matthew Lewis		Bedworth		
4	Chris Lamma		Dudley		
5					
6					

Race 1(II) Male Masters Group A 25m Front (Record 16.80 P. Haines)

1					
2	Simon Chambers		Dudley		
3	Chris Jones		Dudley		
4	Chris Morgan		Dudley		
5	Craig Hannah		Dudley		
6					

Race 1(III) Male Masters Group A 25m Front (Record 16.80 P. Haines)

1	Chris Lanwarne	Head tap	Bedworth		
2					
3	Shane Brettle		Dudley		
4					
5	Kieran Kazimirow		Bedworth		
6					

Race 2 (I) Male Senior Group A 25m Front  
( Record 16.92 K. Limmage )

1	Thomas Chambers		Dudley		
2					
3	Daniel Jones		Dudley		
4	Josh Bailey		Bedworth		
5					
6	Gurvinder Garcha		Bedworth		

Race 2 (II) Male Senior Group A 25m Front  
(Record 16.92 K. Limmagine )

1					
2	Shane Clark		Bedworth		
3	Mathew Hall		Dudley		
4	Jay Ellis		Bedworth		
5					
6					

Race 3 (I) Male Youths Group A 25m Front (Record : 14.20 W.Newton )

1	Alex Wheatley	Head tap	Leamington		
2					
3	Amos McGrattan		Bedworth		
4	William Newton		Bedworth		
5	Lucas Brookes		Bedworth		
6					

Race 3 (II) Male Youths Group A 25m Front (Record : 14.20 W.Newton)

1	Dawud Javid		B'ham Marlins		
2					
3	Hayden Martin		Dudley		
4	Sam Jennings		Dudley		
5	Josiah Patterson		Bedworth		
6	Oliver Watts		Dudley		

Race 4 (I) Male Junior Group A 25m Front (Record 18.22 P. Markham)

1	Anthony Tye		B'ham Marlins		
2	Adrian Ashman		B'ham Marlins		
3	Colin Li		B'ham Marlins		
4	Ben Yiui		B'ham Marlins		
5					
6	Kavis Arunkumar	GUEST	B'ham Marlins		

Race 4 (II) Male Junior Group A 25m Front (Record 18.22 P. Markham)

1	Adam Gardner		Bedworth		
2	Thomas Lawford		B'ham Marlins		
3	Thomas Kite		B'ham Marlins		
4	James Tye		B'ham Marlins		
5	Braiden Hooper		Bedworth		
6					

Races 5 to 9 to be swum together—Separate medals

Races 5/6/7/8 Male Masters/Senior/ Youth / Junior Group B Finals  
25m Front

( Masters Record: D. Glover 30.39; Senior 30.31 O. Ingram; 20.64 B. Welch ;Junior 26.73 A. Ashman)

**Shallow End Start**

1						
2	Harry Williams	7	Youth	B'ham Marlins		
3						

Race 9 Group C Male /Female Open 25m Front (Sharvesh Arunkumar 70.98)  
Assistance to enable participation allowed **Shallow End Start**

4						
5	Sharvesh Arunkumar	9	B'ham Marlins			
6						

Race 10 Female Masters Group A 25m Front ( Record 23.09 S. Baird )

1	Sonia Kelly	Head tap	Bedworth			
2	Chantele Lindley		Bedworth			
3						

Race 11(I) Female Senior Group A 25m Front ( Record 20.16 J. Round )

1	Chloe Lawrence	Cue start	Bedworth		
2	Beth Evans	Head tap	Bedworth		
3					

Race 11(II) Female Senior Group A 25m Front (Record 20.16 J. Round )

1					
2	Katie Lowe		Dudley		
3	Saskia Loftus		Dudley		
4	Georgina Paddock		Dudley		
5	Jessica Mahon		Dudley		
6					

Race 11(III) Female Senior Group A 25m Front (Record 20.16 J.

3	Lorna Kelly		Dudley		
4	Poppy Jukes		Leamington		
5	Melissa Betts		Leamington		
6	Alison Hall		Dudley		

Race 12 Female Youth Group A 25m Front  
(Record 19.32 B. Kelly )

1					
2	Lainey Milligan		Bedworth		
3	Emily Smyllie		Dudley		
4	Kerys Lowe		Dudley		
5	Charly Barrow		Leamington		
6					



Race 13 Female Junior Group A 25m Front (Record 25.69 M.Ashman)

1					
2	Naira Saleem		B'ham Marlins		
3	Fernella Rush		B'ham Marlins		
4	Romilly Rush		B'ham Marlins		
5	Esmee Willis		Leamington		

Races 14/15/16/17 Female Masters/Senior/Youth /Junior Group B  
Finals 25m Front

(Masters Record 26.45 J. Ryan; Senior 32.36 Leanne Gardner; Youth 36.82 L Gardner; Junior 32.98 L. Gardner) [Separate medals](#)

1					
2	Kacie Mitchell	Bedworth	Junior		
3	Ella Newitt	Bedworth	Junior		
4					
5	Leanne Gardner	Bedworth	Senior		
*6	Shauna Duffy	Bedworth	Senior		

\* Hoist

Race 18 (I) 25m Fly Male Open Race (Record 16.89 W. Newton)

1	Kavis Arunkumar	GUEST	B'ham Marlins		
2	Ben Yiui		B'ham Marlins		
3	William Newton		Bedworth		
4	Daniel Jones		Dudley		
5	Josh Bailey		Bedworth		
6					

Race 18 (II) 25m Fly Open Race (Record 16.89 W. Newton)

1	Chris Jones		Dudley		
2	Simon Chambers		Dudley		
3	Adrian Ashman		B'ham Marlins		
4	Colin Li		B'ham Marlins		
5	Harry Williams		B'ham Marlins		
6					

Race 18 (III) 25m Fly Open Race (Record 16.89 W. Newton)

1	Thomas Lawford		B'ham Marlins		
2	James Tye		B'ham Marlins		
3	Anthony Tye		B'ham Marlins		
4	Dawud Javid		B'ham Marlins		
5	Sharvresh Arunkumar		B'ham Marlins		
6	Thomas Kite		B'ham Marlins		

Race 19 (I) 25m Fly Female Open Race (Record P. Tully 24.06)

1					
2	Chloe Lawrence	Start Cue	Bedworth		
3	Sonia Kelly	Head tap	Bedworth		
4	Fernella Rush		B'ham Marlins		
5	Romilly Rush		B'ham Marlins		
*6	Beth Evans	Head tap	Bedworth		

Race 19 (II) 25m Fly Female Open Race (Record P. Tully 24.06)

1					
2					
3					
4	Naira Saleem		B'ham Marlins		
5	Kacie Mitchell		Bedworth		
*6	Shauna Duffy	Hoist	Bedworth		

### Short Break

Please consume food and drink outside the pool area (except water).  
Medal presentation will be after the gala

#### Race 20(I) Male Masters Group A 25m Back ( Record 19.61 P.Haines )

1					
2	Chris Lammas		Dudley		
3	Matthew Lewis		Bedworth		
4	Chris Morgan		Dudley		
5	Sam Lamb		Bedworth		
6					

#### Race 20 (II) Male Masters Group A 25m Back ( Record 19.61 P.Haines )

1	Mathew Hall		Dudley		
2					
3	Craig Hannah		Dudley		
4	Shane Brettle		Dudley		
5	Chris Lanwarne	Head tap	Bedworth		
6	Kieran Kazimirow		Bedworth		

#### Race 21 (I) Male Senior Group A 25m Back (Record 19.32 K. Limmagine )

1					
2	Thomas Chambers		Dudley		
3					
4	Josh Bailey		Bedworth		
5					
6	Gurvinder Garcha		Bedworth		

Race 21(II) Male Senior Group A 25m Back ( Record 19.32 K. Limage )

1	Shane Clark		Bedworth		
2					
3					
4					
5	Jay Ellis		Bedworth		
6					

Race 22(I) Male Youth Group A 25m Back (Record : 17.29 W. Newton)

1					
2	Lucas Brookes		Bedworth		
3	William Newton		Bedworth		
4	Sam Jennings		Dudley		
5	Amos McGrattan		Bedworth		
6					

Race 22(II) Male Youth Group A 25m Back (Record : 17.29 W. Newton)

1					
2	Alex Wheatley	Head tap	Leamington		
3	Hayden Martin		Dudley		
4	Josiah Patterson		Bedworth		
5	Oliver Watts		Dudley		
6	Dawud Javid		B'ham Marlins		

Race 23 (I) Junior Group A 25m Back (Record 22.13 P. Markham)

1	Anthony Tye		B'ham Marlins		
2	Colin Li		B'ham Marlins		
3	Ben Yiui		B'ham Marlins		
4	Adrian Ashman		B'ham Marlins		
5					
6	Kavis Arunkumar	GUEST	B'ham Marlins		

Race 23 (II) Junior Group A 25m Back (Record 22.13 P. Markham)

1	Thomas Lawford		B'ham Marlins		
2	James Tye		B'ham Marlins		
3					
4	Braiden Hooper		Bedworth		
5	Thomas Kite		B'ham Marlins		
6	#				

# If Harry can start in deep water he may prefer to swim with Race 23

Race 24/25/26/27 Group B Male 25m Back

(Masters no record; Senior 35.73 A.Saidani ; Youth 26.89 B. Welch;  
Junior : A. Ashman 35.22 ) Separate medals Shallow end start

1	Harry Williams	Youth	B'ham Marlins		
2					

Races 28 and 29 to be swum together—Separate medals

Race 28 Female Masters Group A 25m Back  
( Record H. Fulleylove 26.48 )

1	Sonia Kelly	Head tap	Bedworth		
2					

Race 29 (I) Female Senior Group A 25m Back (Record J. Round 20.16 )

1					
2	Jessica Mahon		Dudley		
3	Beth Evans	Head tap	Bedworth		
4	Chloe Lawrence	Cue start	Bedworth		
5	Georgina Paddock		Dudley		
6					

Race 29(II) Female Senior Group A 25m Back (Record J. Round 20.16 )

1					
2	Saskia Loftus		Dudley		
3	Sorcha Cannon		Leamington		
4	Poppy Jukes		Leamington		
5	Melissa Betts		Leamington		
6	Lorna Kelly		Dudley		

Race 30 Female Youth Group A 25m Back (Record B. Kelly 23.83 )

1	Charly Barrow		Leamington		
2	Emily Smyllie		Dudley		
3	Kerys Lowe		Dudley		
4	Lainey Milligan		Bedworth		
5					
6					

Race 31 Female Junior Group A 25m Back (Record 30.12 M. Ashman)

1	Naira Saleem	B'ham Marlins	
2	Fernella Rush	B'ham Marlins	
3	Esmee Willis	Leamington	
4	Romilly Rush	B'ham Marlins	
5			
6			

Races 32/33/34/35 Female Masters/Senior/Youth /Junior Group B  
Finals 25m Back **Shallow end start**

(Masters Record 26.45 J. Ryan; Senior 29.73 L. Gardner; Youth 36.82 L Gardner; Junior 32.98 L. Gardner)

1					
2	Ella Newitt	Junior	Bedworth		
3	Kacie Mitchell	Junior	Bedworth		
4					
5	Leanne Gardner	Senior	Bedworth		
*6	Shauna Duffy	Senior	Bedworth		

\* Hoist

Race 36 Group C Open 25m Back (Record Sharvesh Arunkumar 2.04.19)

Assistance to enable participation allowed **Shallow end start**

1					
2					
3	Sharvesh Arunkumar		B'ham Marlins		
4					
5					
6					

**Please organise your relay teams**

**Race 37 (I) Mixed Senior/Masters 4 x 50m Relay**  
**(Record 2.54.62 Bedworth) Shallow end start**

4	Bedworth A			
5	Leamington			
6	Dudley A			

**Race 37 (II) Mixed Senior/Masters 4 x 50m Relay**  
**(Record 2.54.62 Bedworth) Shallow end start**

1	Dudley B			
2	Bedworth B			
3	Dudley C			
4	Bedworth C			

**Race 38 Mixed Junior/Youths 4 x 25m Relay**  
**(Record 1.35.95 Bedworth ) Shallow end start**

1	Birmingham Marlins C			
2	Birmingham Marlins B			
3	Birmingham Marlins A			
4	Bedworth A			
5	Dudley Olympics			
6	Bedworth B			

**Presentation of medals**

**Photography is allowed with the swimmer's permission**

**Thank you to**

Sport England

Bedworth Leisure Centre staff

All the officials and volunteers

And everyone who has contributed to the gala

**Have a safe journey home!**



# Kay Clarke Invitation Gala

# Records after 2023

M / F	Race	Age	Group	Time	Holder	Yr
Male	25m Front	Masters	A	16.80	Phillip Haines	2015
Male	25m Front	Masters	B	30.39	Dean Glover	2019
Male	25m Front	Senior	A	16.92	Kirk Limmagine	2014
Male	25m Front	Senior	B	30.31	Oliver Ingram	2019
Male	25m Front	Youths	A	14.20	William Newton	2023
Male	25m Front	Youths	B	20.64	Ben Welch	2014
Male	25m Front	Junior	A	18.22	Peter Markham	2015
Male	25m Front	Junior	B	26.73	Adrian Ashman	2023
Mixed	25m Front	All	C	70.98	Sharvesh Arunkumar	2023
Female	25m Front	Masters	A	23.09	Sheena Baird	2014
Female	25m Front	Masters	B	26.45	Julie Ryan	2014
Female	25m Front	Senior	A	20.16	Jenny Round	2016
Female	25m Front	Senior	B	32.36	Leanne Gardner	2023
Female	25m Front	Youths	A	19.32	Bethany Kelly	2014
Female	25m Front	Youths	B	32.39	Leanne Gardner	2018
Female	25m Front	Junior	A	25.69	May Ashman	2023
Female	25m Front	Junior	B	32.98	Leanne Gardner	2016
Male	25m Back	Masters	A	19.61	Phillip Haines	2015
Male	25m Back	Senior	A	19.32	Kirk Limmagine	2014
Male	25m Back	Senior	B	35.73	Ahmed Saidani	2015
Male	25m Back	Youths	A	17.29	William Newton	2023
Male	25m Back	Youths	B	26.89	Ben Welch	2014
Male	25m Back	Junior	A	22.13	Peter Markham	2015
Male	25m Back	Junior	B	35.22	Adrian Ashman	2023
Mixed	25m Back	All	C	2.04.19	Sharvesh Arunkumar	2023
Female	25m Back	Masters	A	26.48	Helen Fulleylove	2016
Female	25m Back	Masters	B	28.56	Julie Ryan	2014
Female	25m Back	Senior	A	22.09	Jenny Round	2016
Female	25m Back	Senior	B	29.73	Leanne Gardner	2023
Female	25m Back	Youths	A	23.83	Bethany Kelly	2014
Female	25m Back	Youths	B	32.61	Leanne Gardner	2019
Female	25m Back	Junior	A	30.13	May Ashman	2023
Female	25m Back	Junior	B	34.77	Leanne Gardner	2016
Male	25m Fly	All		16.89	William Newton	2023
Female	25m Fly	All		24.06	Phoebe Tully	2019
Mixed	4 x 50m	Masters/ Senior		2.54.62	Bedworth	2023
Mixed	4 x 25m	Junior /Youth		1.35.95	Bedworth	2014