

2016 Recognised swims

Swims recognised by the BLDSA in 2016

These are swims that have been officially ratified by the BLDSA for 2016. They have been undertaken by the swimmers as personal challenges outside the seasonal championship events following the guidelines set out under the BLDSA Swim Recognition Rules.

WINDERMERE 10.5 miles

Fellfoot to Waterhead

SOLO SWIMS

Adrian Rotchell, 29th May 2016, 6hrs 2mins 34secs (Earliest recorded swim)

Sam Jones, 7th June 2016, 6hrs 26mins 00secs

John Willis, 12th July 2016, 8hrs 17mins 12secs

Jane Melita Bell, 13th July 2016, 8hrs 29mins 06secs (Backstroke)

Phil Cooper, 17th September 2016, 5hrs 59mins 25secs

FOUR WAY WINDERMERE 42 miles

Waterhead to Waterhead

SOLO SWIM

Liane Llewellyn Hickling, 17th -18th September 2016, 23hrs 47mins 28secs

LOCH LOMOND 21.6 miles 34.8 kms

Ardlui to Drumkinnon Bay Balloch

SOLO SWIM

Jane Melita Bell, 1st August 2016, 17hrs 42mins 36secs

ULLSWATER 7 miles 11.3 kms

Glenridding to Pooley Bridge

SOLO SWIM

Isabella Weatherall, 9th September 2016, 5hrs 25mins 0secs (Junior Swim)

LOCH NESS 22.5 miles 36.2 kms

Fort Augustus to Loch End

SOLO SWIM

Helen Beveridge, 1st-2nd August 2016, 18hrs 22mins 16secs

LOCH AWE 23.7 miles 38.1 kms -INAUGURAL RECORD

Torran Bay to Kilchurn Castle

SOLO SWIM

Adrian Rotchell, 30th July 2016, 14hrs 5mins 10secs

LOCH MORAR 11.2 miles 18.0 kms - INAUGURAL RECORD

Oban Bothy to Morar

SOLO SWIM

Helen Beveridge, 20th July 2016, 8hrs 32mins 27secs

CIRCUMNAVIGATION OF ST KILDA, OUTER HEBRIDES 8.5 miles 13.7 kms - INAUGURAL RECORD

St Kilda Pier to St Kilda Pier

SOLO SWIM

Liane Llewellyn Hickling, 24th June 2016, 4hrs 6mins 12secs

ARRAN to TROON 16 miles 25.7 kms - INAUGURAL RECORD

RELAY SWIM

"Arran Troonautics" 1st October 2016, 15hrs 20mins 20secs

Six Person Relay- Ladies

Annie Howie, Lucy Johnston, Katherine Self, Lorna Laidlaw, Vanessa Lawrence, Alice Vernon

In addition the BLDSA acknowledged a further two swims, which are both outstanding achievements by the swimmers involved.

26.2 MILES MARATHON SWIM

102 laps of a swim circuit at Nemes Dive Academy, Snodland

SOLO Swim

Paula Foreman, 6th August 2016, 16 hrs 18 mins 1 sec

NORTH YORKSHIRE COAST (2 STAGE SWIM) 37.5 miles 60.4 kms

RELAY SWIM

"Kingfishers Swimming Club" 16th-17th July 2016,

Total Swim Time: 16hrs 08mins 28secs

Total Elapsed Time since the start of the swim: 31hrs 47mins 19secs

Six Person Relay - Ladies

Claire Bamford, Sarah Platten, Dianne Roberts, Jane Sedman, Elisha De-Alker, Erin Hope