

Last weekend saw the final gala of the Northumberland and Durham County championships that Wear Valley ASCs' swimmers have been competing in.

The first weekend of competition saw our 800m freestyle swimmers in action at Middlesbrough. Megan Baker (11), Lucy Holmes(11), Robert Richardson(11) and Lauren Teasdale (13 ) all recorded personal best times whilst swimming 32 lengths of the pool. Lauren also competed in the 1500m freestyle at Darlington.

Next up saw our open and youth swimmers Jenny Richardson, Kyle Boyek and Philip Hodgson who all had numerous swims at Darlington. In the open 200m breaststroke event Kyle Boyek finished in second place and moved up to win the gold medal in his age group. He also finished in fourth place in the 100m breaststroke for his age group.

The age group championships were next and 13 swimmers qualified to swim. Amy Attle (10), Matthew Bradley (10), Karl Teasdale (10), Megan Baker (11), Lucy Holmes(11), Bethany Briggs (11), Lee Hibbits (11), Robert Richardson (11), Hayley Bradley (12), Alex Attle (12), Lauren Teasdale (13), Amy Brown (13), Lee Corkin(14) all had lots of swimming to do. Most recorded personal best times and gained final placings and a bronze medal was won by Amy Brown in the 200m breaststroke.