

SELKIRK DOLPHINS SWIM CARNIVAL



**Hello Dolphin Families,
Congratulations to all swimmers for a very successful home meet! All swimmers should be proud of their effort and camaraderie. A special congratulations to any swimmer attending their first meet, what a milestone!**

This annual meet does not happen without proper planning and time invested beforehand, thank you to our Meet Manager Coach Michelle for being the glue that held this meet together. The Swim Carnival theme was Michelle's idea and it was a big hit. Swimmers enjoyed the oversized board games, creation station (thanks to Tara Glaspey), speeding ticket prizes Thanks Deanna, and especially the magician Jeremy. Silver swimmer, Andrew Michaud, was a great help with the activities and stations. Thank you to swim parent Nancy Rowsell, for arranging an appearance by Canadian Olympic swimmer Chantal Van Landeghem. Chantal was such an inspiration- swimmers AND parents were star struck.

Gratitude to all Junior Coaches: Miranda, Tiana, and Mats for their positivity and encouragement on deck and for helping with the odd jobs throughout the meet that needed to be done.

Thank you to swim parents Marty and Kim Friesen and Holly Douglas for ensuring our club had enough volunteers on deck to run the meet. If this was your first time on deck, we hope to see you back as it is the best place to be! This meet does not happen without all of you, without Dolphins families, so thank you for offering your time.

Also, thank you to members of our local masters swim club, Belugas Masters Swimming, for volunteering. Coach Michelle's family helped on deck as well, as they do every year, so thanks to Twylla, Vanessa, and Ryan.

Jim and Holly Douglas of Selkirk Dairy Queen provided the tasty smoothies. The proceeds of the smoothies go to our club, thanks DQ.

Please forward this email to anyone you may have recruited to help out at the meet. The swimmers value each and every volunteer and hope to see you again next year!