



## Press Release

### Swim Camp 2012

Swimmers from Burnley Bobcats have enjoyed a weekend of fun and action, thanks to an award of £500 from Burnley Market and 2BR. The money subsidized accommodation and food costs for the weekend which was based at St Peter's Centre Burnley.

The weekend began last Friday night with a 2 hour pool training session, followed by a talk on nutrition for swimmers and parents. The next day another 2 hour pool session was held at the 50 metre pool at Manchester Aquatics, followed by Laser Quest and Bowling.

The day ended with another pool session, during which a "skins" event was held. This was won by Robert Bryce and Hannah Proctor.

On Sunday morning the final 2 hour pool session was held before a cooked breakfast was served. At the end of the camp Elliott Norman was awarded a prize for the best swimmer.

The camp was arranged by volunteer coach Matt Holden, to whom Bobcats send many thanks. Swimmers would also like to thank Scott Bryce and Liz Hamer for their help and assistance throughout the whole weekend, and Nicola Rowley for her presentation on nutrition and help over the weekend. Christine Fothergill and Jane Moodie also helped with transport, which was greatly appreciated.

During the weekend, Patrick Franklin from the Atrium Café allowed his premises to be used for catering, food was supplied via Christine Norman and Clayton Park Bakeries and John Beswick and Hanover Dairies. Again many thanks go to them for their support.

The squad Chairman Simon Holding wants to pass on his thanks to everybody who voted for Bobcats in the Burnley Market / 2 BR promotion, which was held in Autumn 2011, to all volunteer helpers without whom the camp would not have been possible, to all parents who donated their time and supplies and to Burnley Borough Council for allowing use of St Peters.

The photo shows the swimmers at the end of their camp, at St Peter's Centre, Burnley

Any group or organization that can help sponsor the squad can contact us via the website [www.burnleybobcats.org.uk](http://www.burnleybobcats.org.uk)