Last Round of Arena League

The third round of the Arena League was held in Nuneaton, with competition from Leicester Penguins, Braunstone, Gloucester, Nuneaton & Bedworth, and Stourbridge. The second round saw Leamington finishing in third place just a point behind Redditch and narrowly missing the final.

Working hard in the first set of eight relays the squad secured seven, second or third place finishes, rewarding them with a healthy thirty seven points for third place after the first ten events, just a point behind Stourbridge. Thirteen year old Teigan Parker secured the first win of the night in a hotly contested 100m Breaststroke, Teigan just edging ahead in the last length and gaining a new pb of 1.20.88.

Hannah Greenshied,17, knocked a second off her 100m fly for second in the ladies open event. Whilst team mate Ellen Stone gained maximum points in her 100m breaststroke. Eleven year old Freddie quelch romped home in 31.81 in the 50m freestyle reducing his personal best by two seconds. Kieran Curran clocked up two impressive pb's in the 100m backstroke recording 1.11.37 for third place and 1.01.34 in the 100m freestyle finishing in second.

The gala concludes as it started with a flurry of relays, the thirteen year old girls Teigan Parker, Sarah Chapman, Mollie Dibb and Jade Pickett raced to first place in the freestyle relay. With the boys Kieran Curran, Luke Williams, Aran Shuttlwood, and Edward Jolly battling against Gloucester but just being pipped into second. Hannah Greenshield, Ruby O'Brien, Felicity Dempster, Ellen Stone, Sarah Brades and Amy Pettigrew produced a thrilling 100m free relay snatching first place by a few tenths of a second.

Final points were:

Gloucester	217
Stourbridge	198
Leamington	186
Nuneaton & Bedworth	176
Braunstone	160
Leicester Penguins	110