

## Development



### Bursary Funding!

Somerset ASA is pleased to contribute to bursaries which support development.



Funding is available for ASA / UKCC Level 1, Level 2 and Level 3 Teacher and Coach Education Courses for all disciplines by submitting Swim England South West's [application form](#) to our nominated County Officer, [Colin Christmas](#) (and remember to copy in the Regional Finance Officer) . Please indicate on the form in which year you completed a Somerset ASA Young Volunteer Program if you wish to be considered for an additional £50 County bursary for those who did so. Please get in touch with Colin ([contact details](#)) should you require assistance.

[@keynshamsc](#) Gold Squad working hard to improve Strength & Core during a Sunday AM Post Pool session under the watchful supervision of our Coaches. Thank you to [@SomersetASA](#) for Funding the New Equipment for our Athletes Development. [#Stonger](#) [#Fitter](#) [#Faster](#) [pic.twitter.com/kHYwdLhJj](#)  
— Nicky Taylor (@NickyTaylor7575) [16 March 2018](#)

### Somerset ASA's commitment to Development

This is detailed in the County Strategic [Development Plan for 2019/20](#).

Please download the [County Strategic Development Plan for 2020/21](#) which was agreed at our 9 Nov 2019 General Meeting of Clubs.

Any updates will be published on this page.



### Areas for 2019/20 Funding are:

- Governance
- Athlete Development
- Network Development
- Volunteer Development (including [Young Volunteers](#))
- Workforce Development (Bursaries)
- Pathway Development ([County Programme](#))
- includes support for masters, open water and artistic swimming, and water polo.

# WHAT'S YOUR NEXT BIG IDEA?

What would help develop your club?

- Equipment
- Courses
- Mentoring
- CPDs
- Joint ventures with other clubs
- Workshops
- Additional training
- Resources

Development Funding is available to individual clubs from all disciplines but priority will be given to Artistic Swimming, Water Polo, Open Water and Masters.

Download [Development Funding Application Form](#) (published 2 July 2018)

Don't forget to apply before the 31 March deadline for funding.

#### **What would help develop your club network?**

Network Funding is available to Somerset affiliated clubs who work together to provide development opportunities for their swimmers and/or volunteers.

To apply for funding, complete the [Network Development Funding Application Form](#) (published 2 July 2018) outlining what you would like to achieve.

Please get in touch with Colin Christmas ([contact details](#)) for more information and to apply.

#### **Swim England South West Funding**

[Swim England South West](#) are supporting development. Download their [Funding Matrix overview](#) and [funding options for volunteer training](#).

### **Development Updates**

#### **Nov 2018**

[Somerset ASA Development Plan 2019/20 Presentation](#) (Powerpoint).

#### **Nov 2017**

[Somerset ASA Development Plan 2018/19 Presentation](#) given by then Development Officer, Fiona Bowen.

Part One (includes Alan Withers' feedback from the Regional and County Pathway Forum event.

Part Two

#### [Proposed Development Plan 2018/19](#)

#### **Nov 2016**

[Development Plan presentation](#) - with apologies to Keynsham for omitting them from Young Volunteer Programme - now amended. ([Slide timings](#) in pop-up window)

#### [Development Plan 2017/18](#) (adopted).

#### **Nov 2015**

Edited clip highlighting use of Somerset ASA Development funds (powerpoint [presentation](#))

## Supporting the Developing Age Group Swimmer

Download [Presentation](#) given at Millfield on 30/31 May 2015 by Lindsay Trimmings (née Dunn), England Programmes Officer for the ASA England Talent Programme.

## Developing Coaches

Interview with Dave McNulty, Head Coach, British Swimming NTC, Bath who discusses what it means to be a real coach and how to inspire others so they can reach their full potential and fulfil their dreams of winning an Olympic medal.

Download England Programmes Presentations from Nov 2015 on

- [Test Monitor](#)
- [Stroke Rate Stroke Count](#)
- [Race Process](#)

## Our Partners



Active Partnerships SASP and WESPORT help support development activities in addition to the Region and the National Governing Body of our sport. Our County Development Officer is responsible for Sports Partnership Liaison

SASP covers the administrative County of Somerset whilst WESPORT covers the Districts of Bath and North East Somerset and North Somerset.

<http://www.somersetasa.org/sasa/en/Information/Development?pdfview=1>