

# Swimming Officials Managers Report

November 2016

A seminar was held at UWE by the Regional Coordinator (Jill Beard) for all J2S qualified officials and referees in Gloucestershire and Somerset in September.

She ran through the revised contemporary issues module, licencing requirements and training and assessing of officials.

I am pleased to say the event was well attended by those so qualified within the County.

Invitations to officiate at the County blocks will be going out in late December. I would remind clubs that at the distance events at Hengrove additional volunteers will be required if we are to fully utilise the 10lane facility.

We had one candidate sit the referees exam earlier this month, and with the work put in by the candidate, I'm extremely hopeful of a positive outcome.

I would hope to run a J2 course and a CPD contemporary issues module in the early part of next year and therefore ask the executives permission for the hire of two rooms at this venue.

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