COURTRAI NIGHT GALA: Wednesday, 21 February 2024

Kenridge Primary was invited to send a small team of (U/8-U/14) swimmers to compete in an exciting individual medal gala which was held at Paarl Girls High School Swimming Pool. The other schools taking part were Courtrai, Hugo Rust, Bridge House, Paarl Girls, Noord-Eind and Gimnasium. The swimmers enjoyed the late start and competing against different schools. The competition was of a high standard and Kenridge did extremely well.

This was a gala for our top swimmers, and we entered a team of 26. There was no restriction on the number of individual events, so we selected the team solely on merit.

There were 46 events and the KPS swimmers received medals in 41 races, which is outstanding. There were 20 1st places by Kenridge swimmers as well as 7 new records set!

The gala ended with exciting ladder relays for the U/10-U/13 swimmers. The girls held onto a slight lead to finish 1^{st} , and the boys finished a very close 2^{nd} .

Well done to the KPS team:

U/8 Girls	Kayla Fouché	U/8 Boys	Connor van Onselen, Zac Reineck, Tobie Jones
U/9 Girls	Ella Odendaal, Ingrid Filter	U/9 Boys	Joshua Vincent, Christiaan Kotze, Markus Zwarts
U/10 Girls	Annabelle van Onselen, Pippa Liebenberg, Livia Exner	U/10 Boys	Ryan Fouché, Albert Cloete
U/11 Girls	Lené Klopper, Sarah-Kate Odendaal, Annabelle Ras	U/11 Boys	Pierre van Onselen
U/12 Girls	Mia Jansen van Rensburg, Yvette Louw	U/12 Boys	Le Roux Heunis, Jack Fouché, Nico Lonte
U/13 Girls	Nicola Strydom, Stella Saaiman	U/13 Boys	Tiaan Lambrechts

Die volgende rekords is gebreek deur KPS swemmers.

Annabelle van Onselen	25m Borsslag		
Livia Exner	25m Rugslag		
Sarah-Kate Odendaal	25m Rugslag		
Pierre van Onselen	25m Vryslag, Rugslag en Vlinderslag		
Le Roux Heunis	25m Rugslag		



Thank you to the parents who traveled to Paarl to support the swimmers! Next week we compete locally again.

Some of the swimmers and their staunch supporters at the end of the gala 😊





Pierre, Le Roux, Sarah-Kate en Livia het almal nuwe Rugslagrekords gestel.





Annabelle en haar goue medalje, sowel as nuwe rekord, vir die Borsslag.

















Baie geluk aan al die KPS-swemmers!