

# ESB Swimming Team

## *Octopus*

The 30th Anniversary  
photo album

The ESB Swimming Team (or Brussels Octopus) is the swimming team of the European Schools of Brussels (Uccle, Woluwé, Ixelles, and Laeken). It is open to all the pupils of the Schools who qualify for competitive swimming and promotes good sportsmanship, teamwork and healthy competition.

The Team was established in 1984/85, and the following year joined the International Schools Sports Tournament Championship, competing with other international schools of Brussels.

In 1995 the Team went even more international and joined the European Forces Swimming League. The majority of the competitions we participate in are organised in Northern Europe (Belgium, Netherland, Germany, the UK), but long-distance meets and finals are organised with a rotation principle in any European country where there is a Team affiliated to the EFSL.

*For more information, please see: [www.esboctopus.eu](http://www.esboctopus.eu)*

**This photo album contains pictures  
from 1990 to 2015, assembled  
thanks to the help of many  
parents, coaches and swimmers.**

***We hope you will enjoy it!***



# 1990, Bruxelles



Mars 1990 Groupe ISST



# 1997, Jambres



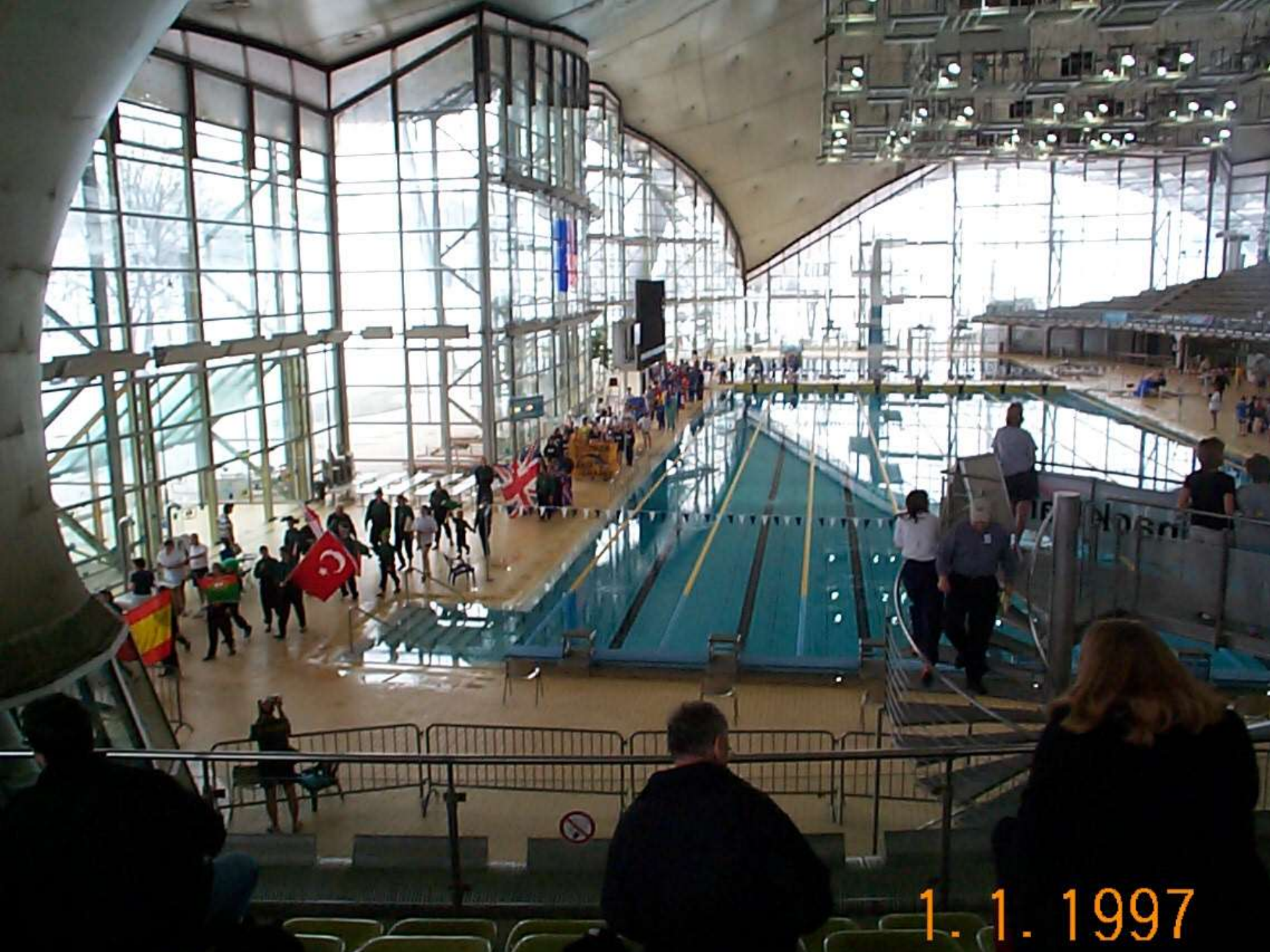


# 1997, München



**Munich 1997**





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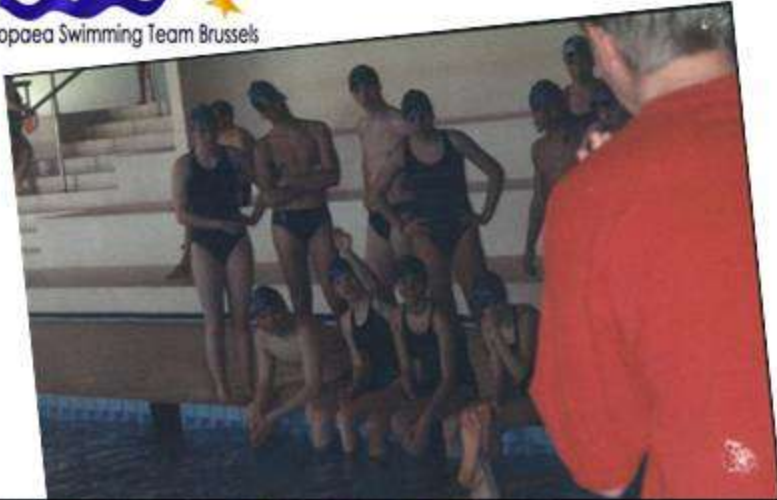


# 1998, Blankenberg





# 1998, Gstaad





# 1998, München





# 1998, München





# 1999, München





# 1999, München





# 1999, München





# 1999–2000, Rota





# 2000, München



Finale EFSL Munich 2000



Finale EFSL Munich 2000



Munich 2000



Munich 2000



Munich 2000



# 2000, München





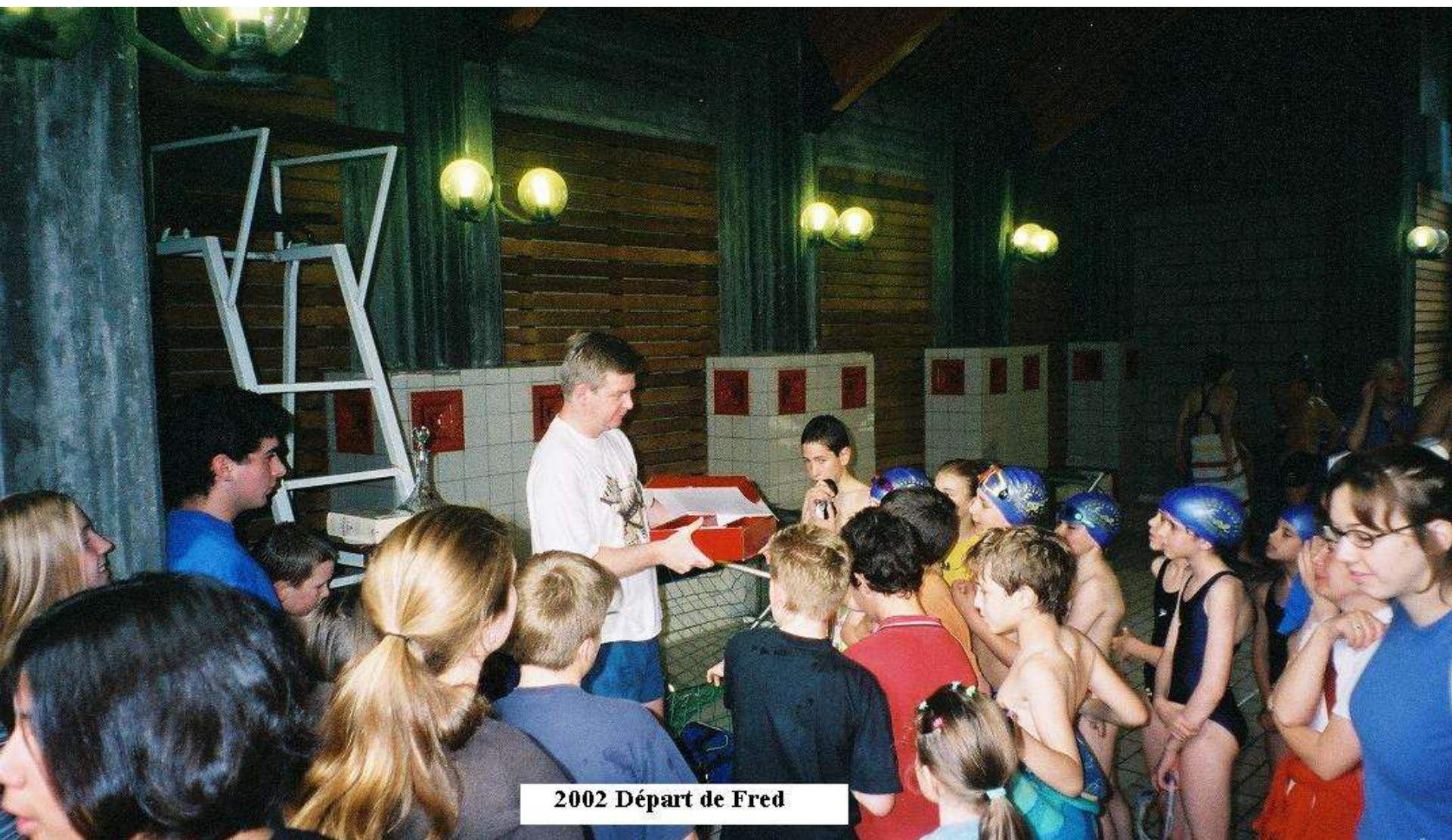
# 2001, München





# Team Party 2000 - 2001





2002 Départ de Fred



























# 2001, Trier





# 2001, Trier





# 2001–2002, München





















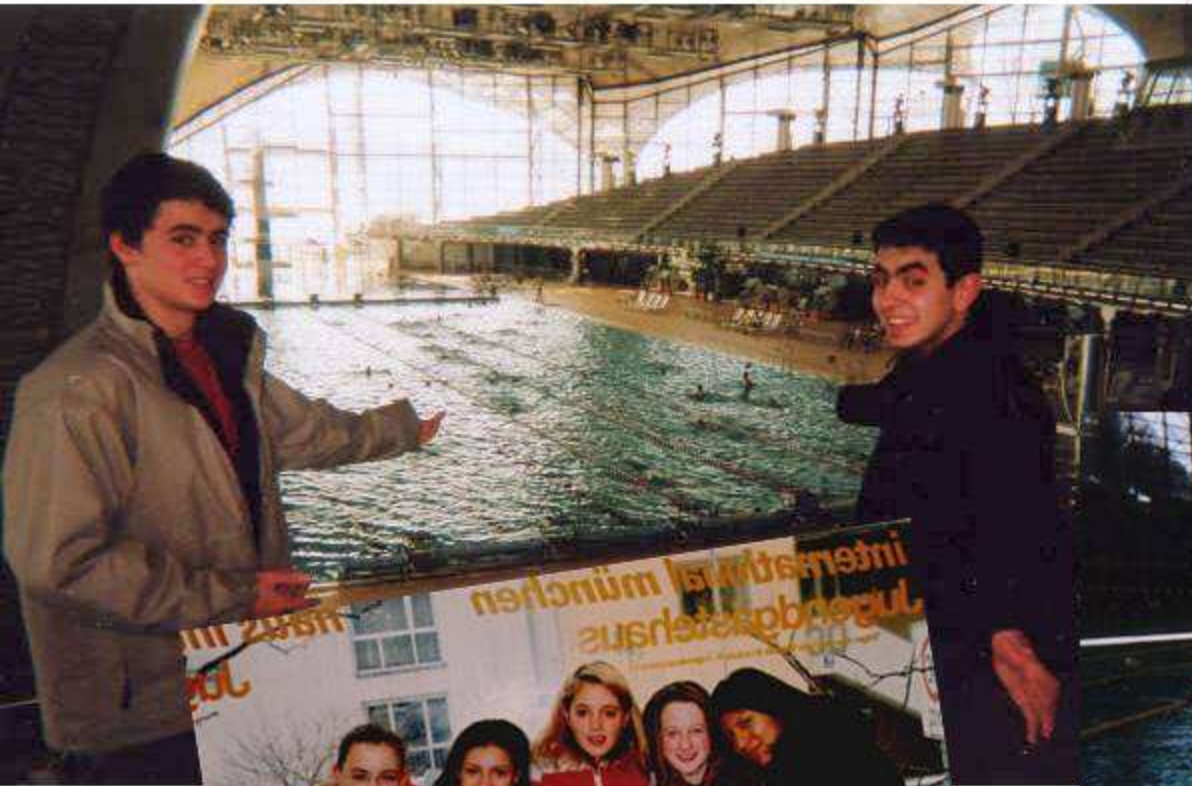
# Heidelberg 2002







# 2002–2003, München









# 2003–2004, München





# 2003–2004, München





# 2003-2004, München





# 2003–2004, München





# 2003-2004, München





# 2003–2004, München





**20<sup>th</sup> Anniversary - 2004**





**SCHOLA EUROPAEA SWIMMING  
TEAM BRUSSELS**





























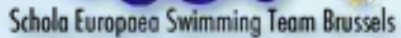






**Season 2004 - 2005**





























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# Season 2004 – 2005

## Venezia & Aviano































































# Season 2005 – 2006





# Season 2005 – 2006

## The Committee















# Season 2005 – 2006

## Riccione























WATER  
INSTINCT





Filippo Magnini - Team Arena































Filippo Magnini - Team Arena







EFSL  
CHAMPS  
2006  
Riccione, Italy

SC I  
SC HOFME  
EURO'ce

Coach  
Daniel



Rivione

ROCKWATER  
ROCKWATER  
ROCKWATER

W.C.









*Captain*  
*2005-2006*











# 2005, the BeNeLux Divisionals









**Season 2005 – 2006**  
**Fancy Fair EEB1 Uccle**









Schola Europaea Swimming Team Brussels













# 2006-2007, München





# Season 2006 – 2007

## Berlin























# Season 2006 – 2007

## Dublin







































# 2007, Heidelberg





# Season 2007 – 2008

## Berlin





**CHAMPS in Berlin 2008**

































# Season 2007 – 2008

## London & Lakenheath

















STABLE YARD ROAD

ER



# Season 2008 – 2009

## Berlin





Schola Europaea Swimming Team







BERLIN BEAR-A-CUDAS  
WELCOMES  
ALL THE TEAMS TO BERLIN FOR  
CHAMPS 2009

07.02.2009

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BERLIN BEAR-A-CUDAS  
WELCOMES  
ALL THE TEAMS TO BERLIN FOR  
CHAMPS 2009

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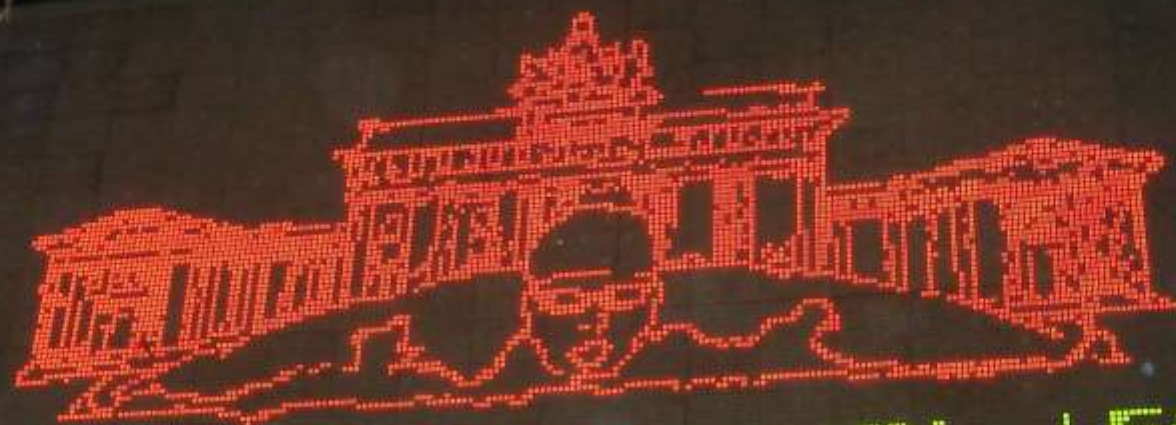












EUROPEAN FORCES SWIM LEAGUE  
CHAMPIONSHIPS 2009

BERLIN GERMANY

07.02.2009

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EUROPEAN FORCES SWIM LEAGUE  
CHAMPIONSHIP 2009  
07.02.2009 13:50:30

arena



















# 2009, Team party





# 2009, Team party





# Season 2010 – 2011

## Venezia & Aviano









Schola Europea Swimming Team

























# Season 2010 – 2011

## Brussels





















Emily





















# Season 2010 – 2011

## Ipswich - Divisionals





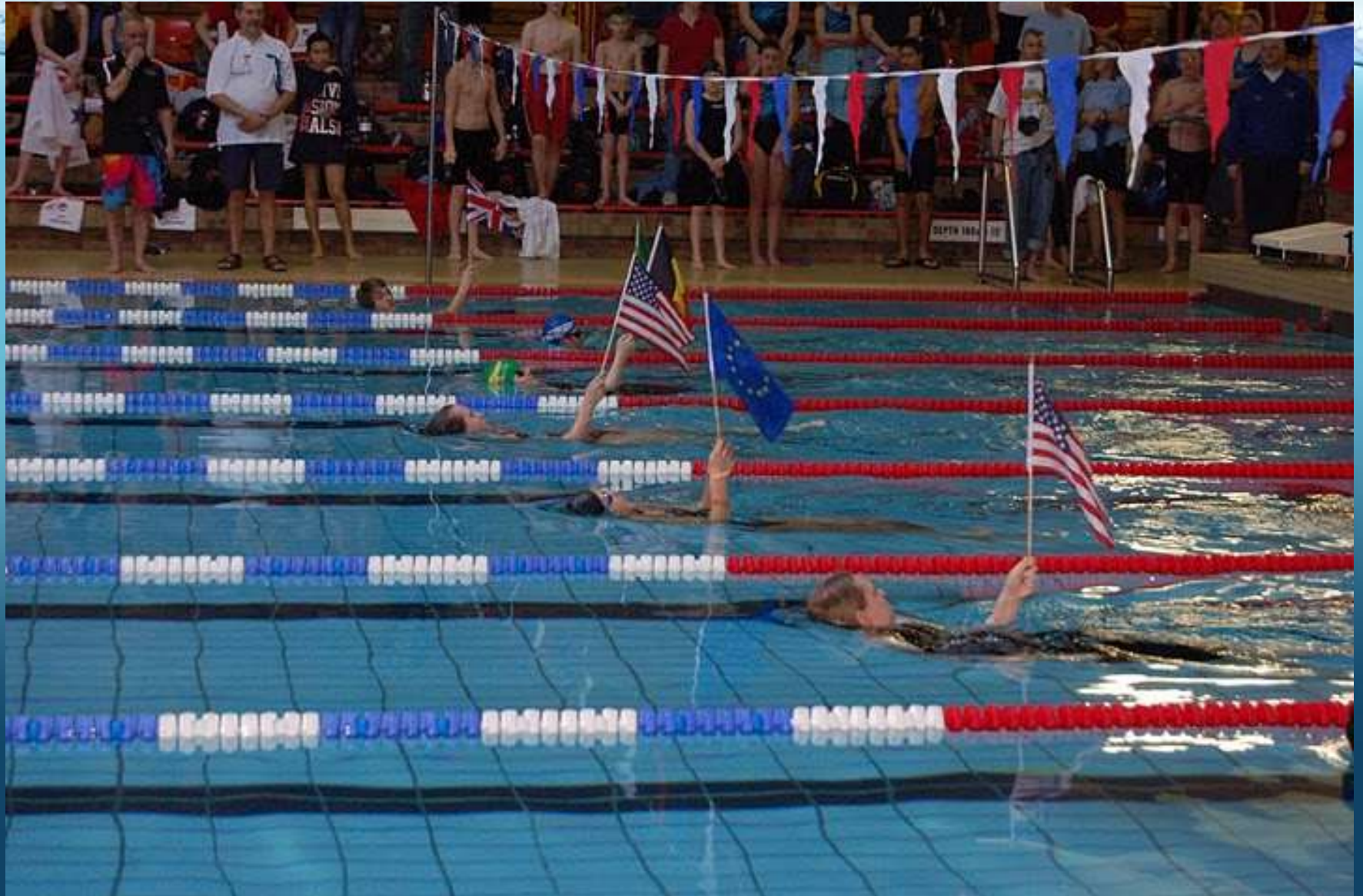










































# Season 2011 – 2012









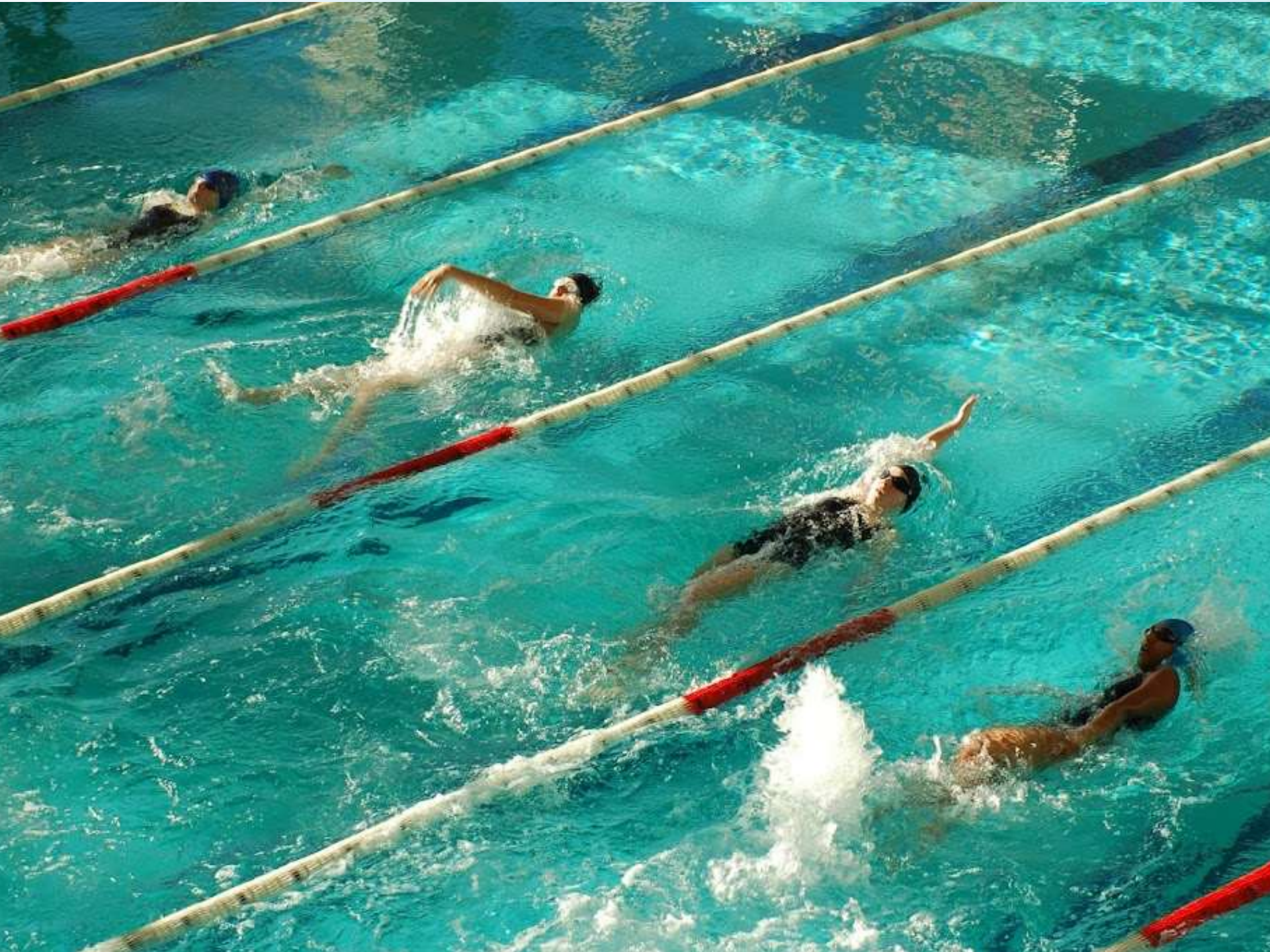






















# Season 2011 – 2012

## Brussels – Sprint Meet























































































# Season 2011 – 2012

## Team Party









ESTB CONTEST					
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3	2	2	3	1	
1	2	4	5	3	
5	4	1	3	2	
3	5	4	2	1	
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Salles de réunion  
O/A O/B









# Fête Cesame 2012 (EEB1 Uccle)





# Fête Cesame 2012 (EEB1 Uccle)





# Season 2012 – 2013

## Shape









Who are we?







A group of young people, mostly teenagers, are gathered in a large indoor space, likely a gymnasium or school hall, celebrating. They are wearing blue shirts or towels. In the foreground, a boy with brown hair is looking to the left with an open mouth, as if shouting or cheering. Next to him, another boy is raising his right fist in the air. Behind them, several other students are also cheering, with one girl in the center having her mouth wide open. To the right, a girl is clapping. In the background, a swimming pool is visible with lane lines. Other people are sitting at tables or standing around the pool area. The walls are made of wood paneling, and there are yellow and white triangular bunting flags hanging from the ceiling. A sign on the wall in the background reads "NO RUNNING IN THE COURTYARD".

Number ONE!



# Season 2012 – 2013

## Berlin

















U-Bhf Mehringdamm

SPATKAUF 3

steinecke

JGL

Tele-Internetcafé  
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# Stadtbad Tempelhof



























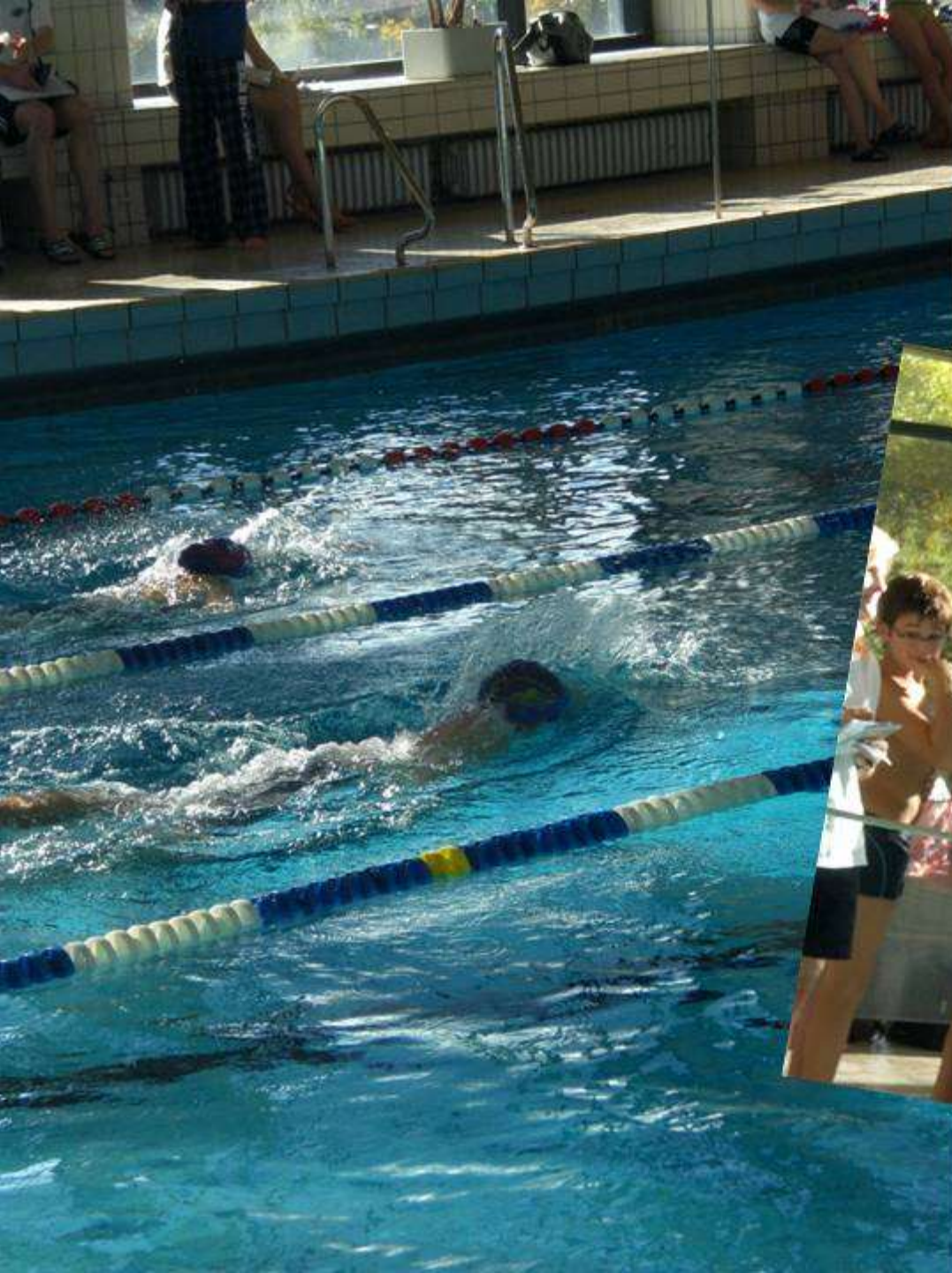










































**FOTO**

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Technik











# Season 2012 – 2013

## Brussels























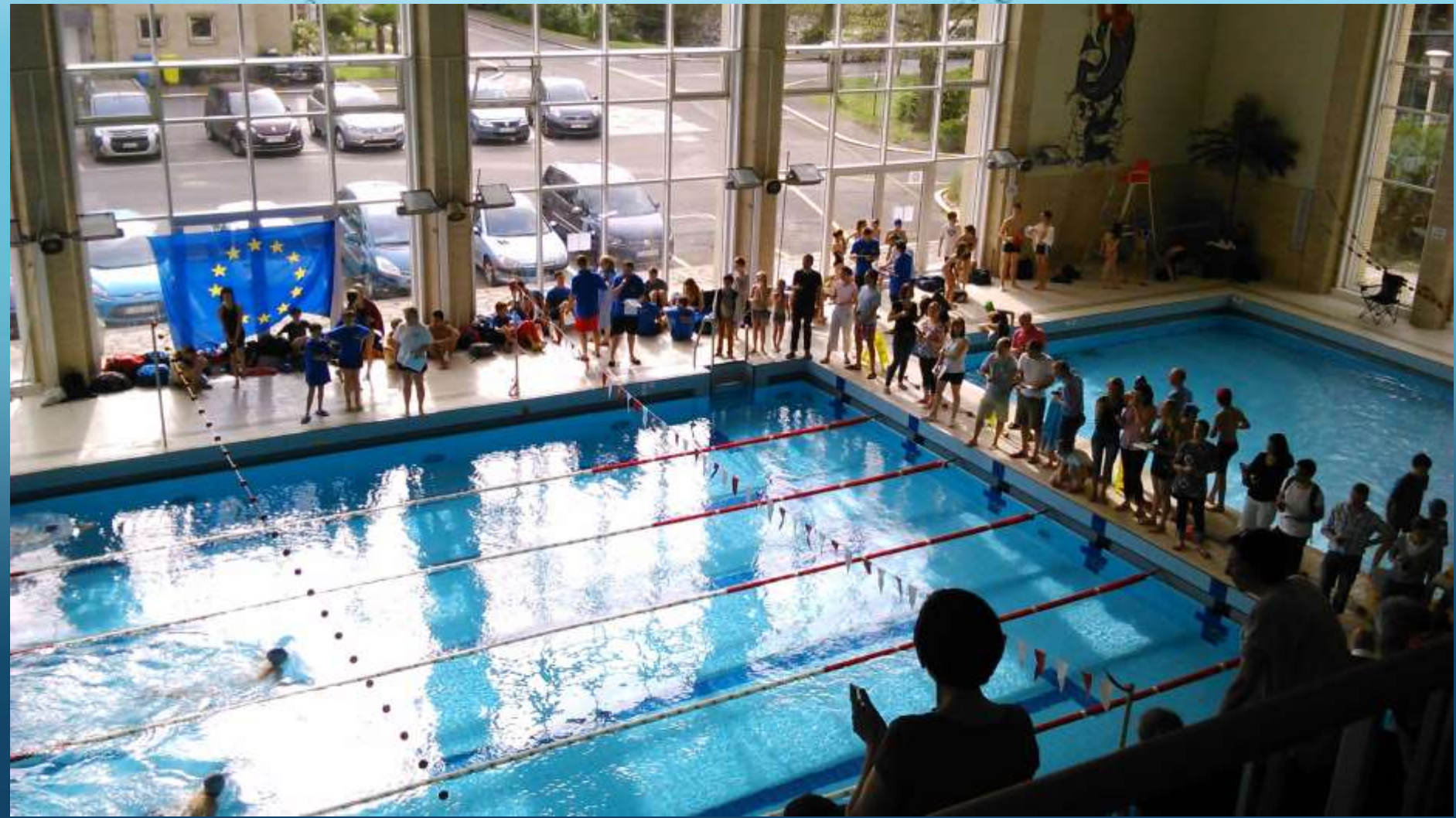






Thanks Morag!!!











ARE RESPONSIBLE  
FOR THEIR CHILDREN

ESB





# Season 2012 – 2013

## Brussels - Divisionals













































































DRINKS	
WATER	1
SOFT DRINKS	1.50
AGUARIUS	2.00
APPLE JUICE	1.50
COFFEE	0.50

PISTA SALAD	
BEUING	1.00
HOT SOU	2
BANDONCH	1
AM NODDLES	2
CHICKEN RYEN	1
PIACARD	1
BARBQUE	0.50
SHAKERS	0.50
PIZZA	0.50























# Season 2013 – 2014

## Shape - Divisionals



































# Season 2013 – 2014

## Eindhoven - Finals





Pieter van den Hoogenband  
zwembad



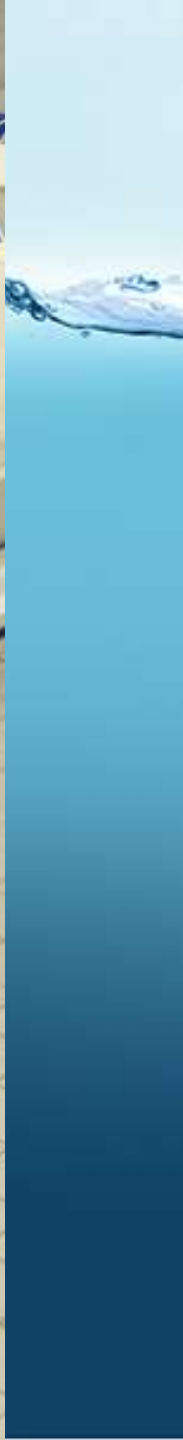


































***Infiniment merci et  
au revoir, Olivier !***

**Season 2013 – 2014  
Team Party**















































# Season 2014 – 2015

## Shape























# Season 2014 – 2015

## Octopuses in Berlin





















Amici Amici

Pasta

Ristorante

CINQUE SCOTTO

Pasta









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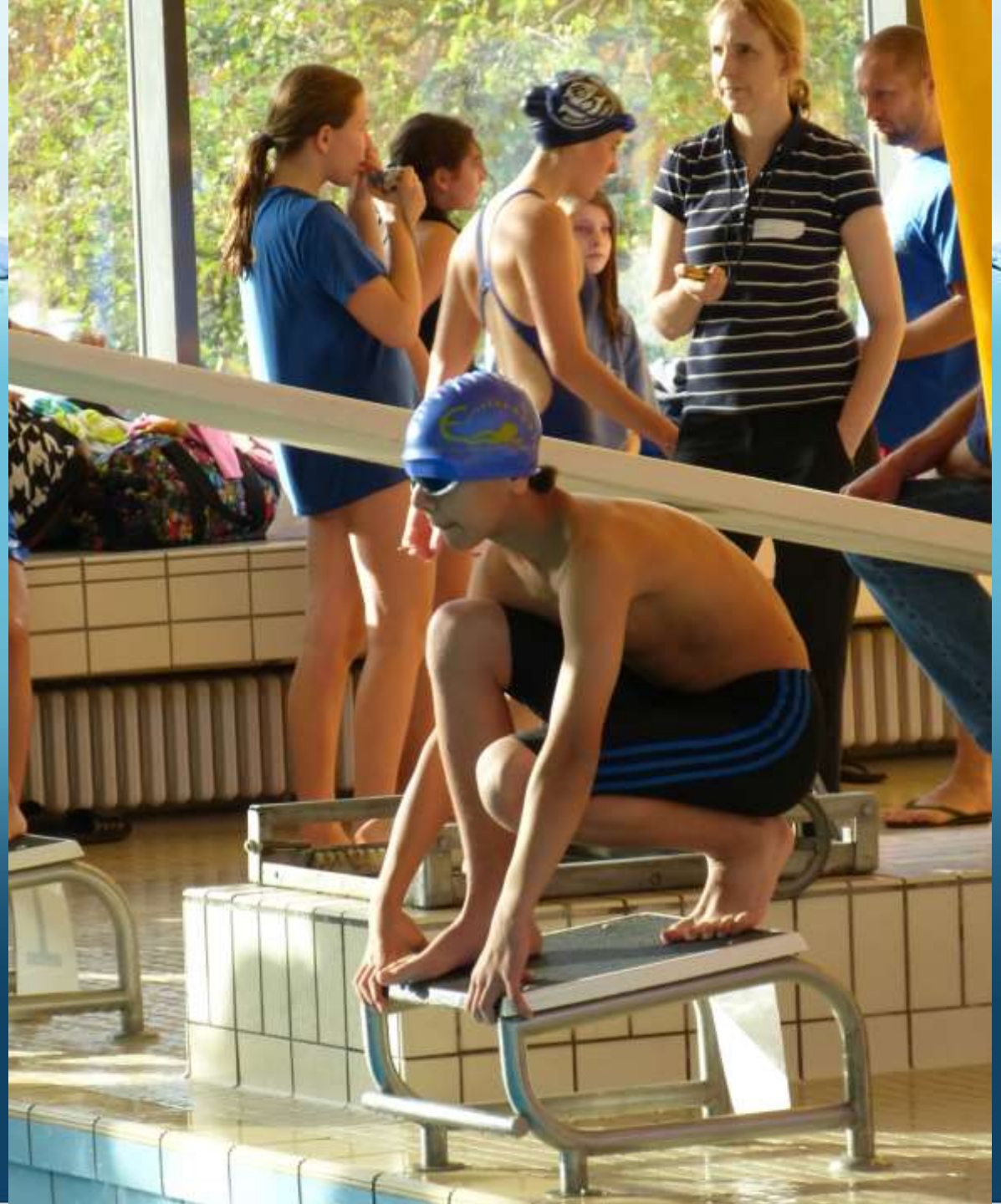


































# Season 2014 – 2015

## Maastricht - Divisionals



Welkom bij

# Geusseltbad Maastricht

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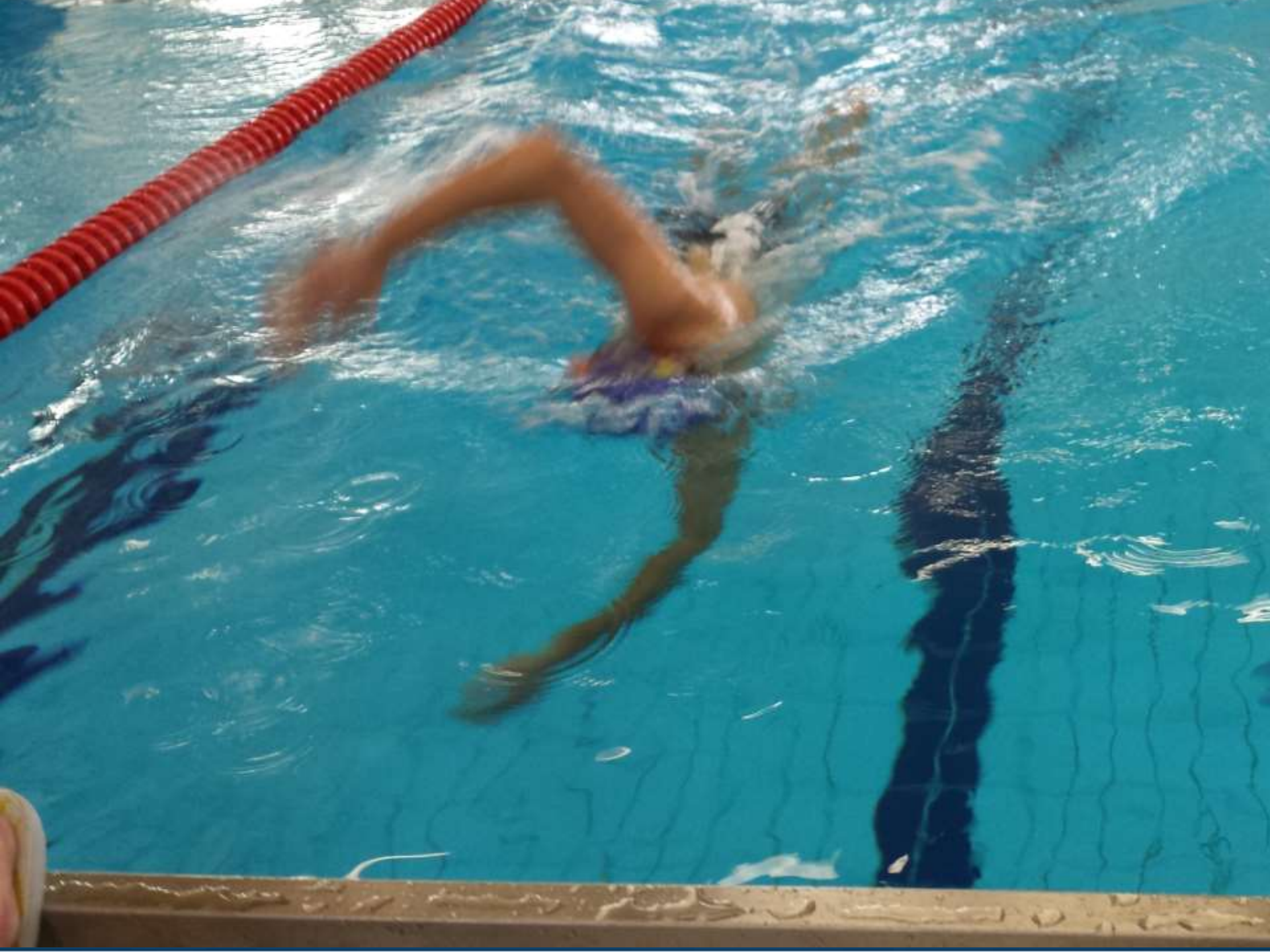


















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SHP

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3 Trkla Luka

GKN

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4 Tingle Spencer

ESB

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5 Forbes Darnell

GKN

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6 Ward Jeremy

ESB

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7 Di Gennaro Filippo

SHP

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# Season 2014 – 2015

## Eindhoven - Finals

















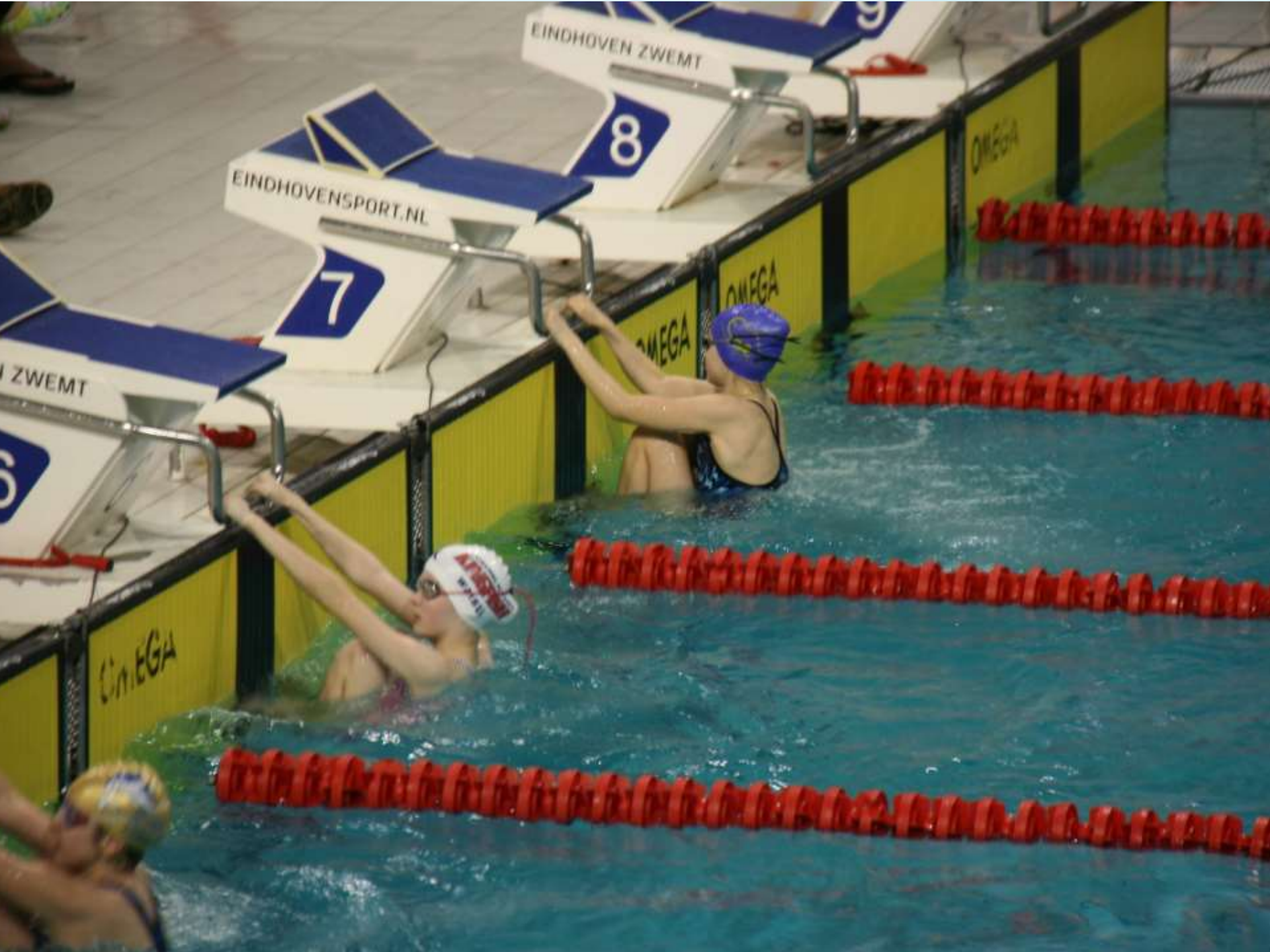




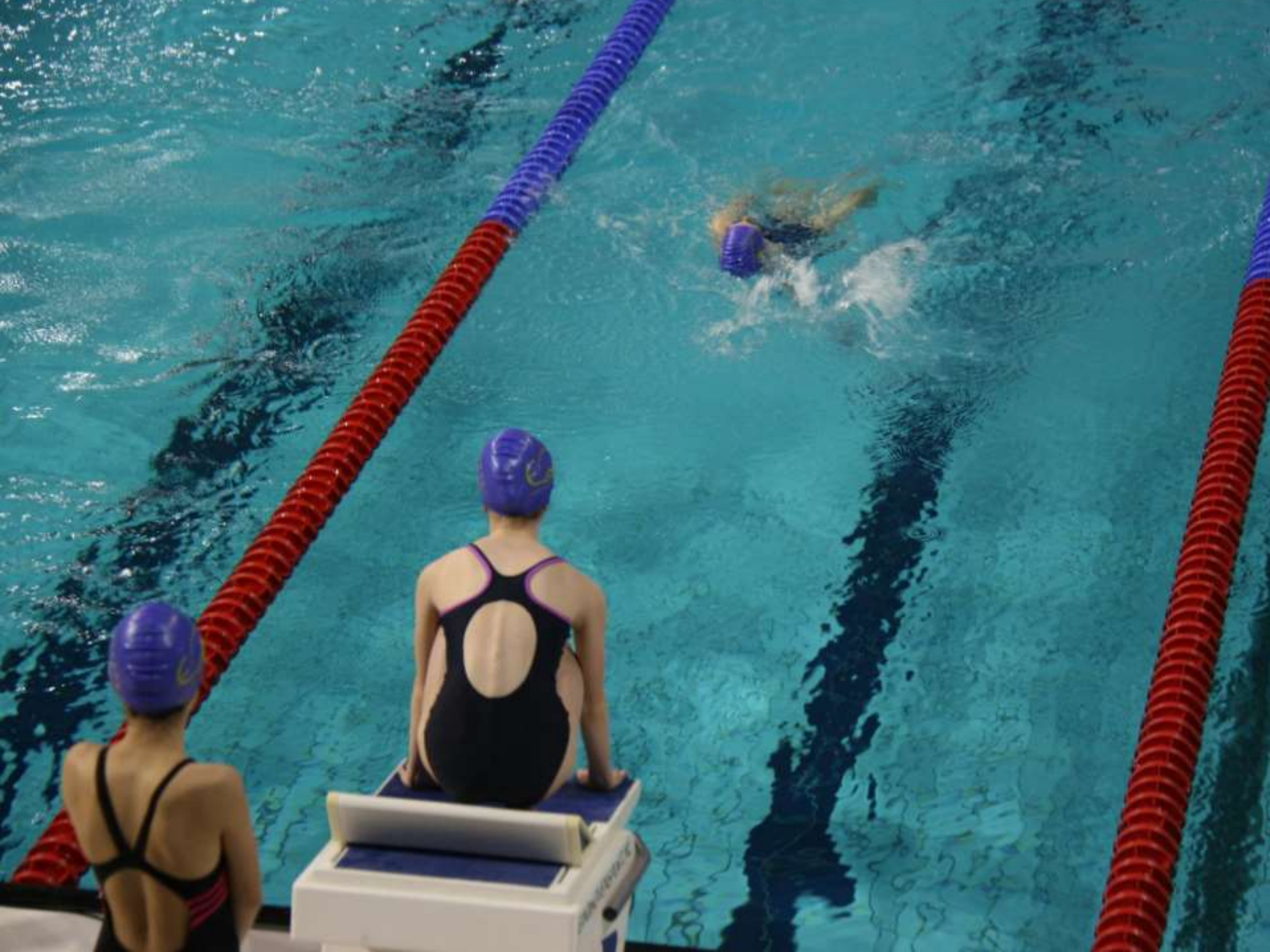


















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2	Relay-A	SNP	0.79
3	Relay-A	NPS	0.72
4	Relay-A	KMC	0.96
5	Relay-A	NMS	0.40
6	Relay-A	SGT	0.84
7	Relay-A	SKG	0.90
8	Relay-A	ESB	0.73
9	Relay-A	GKN	0.75
			0.85

Omega PHILIPS

*Peter van der Horst*  
zwembad

MAILING BAANTJES ZWEMMEN  
WEKELIJKS ONTVANGEN

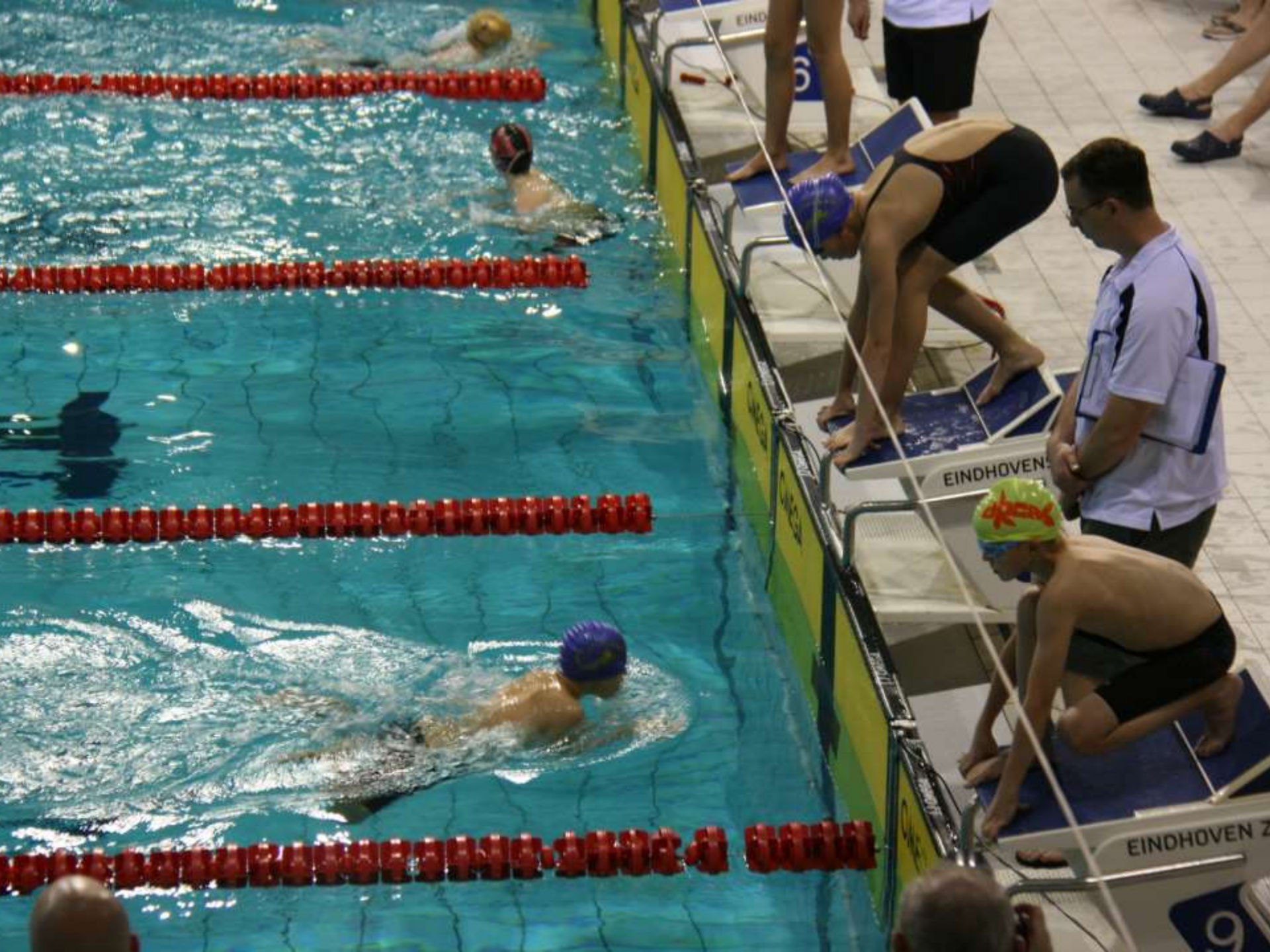
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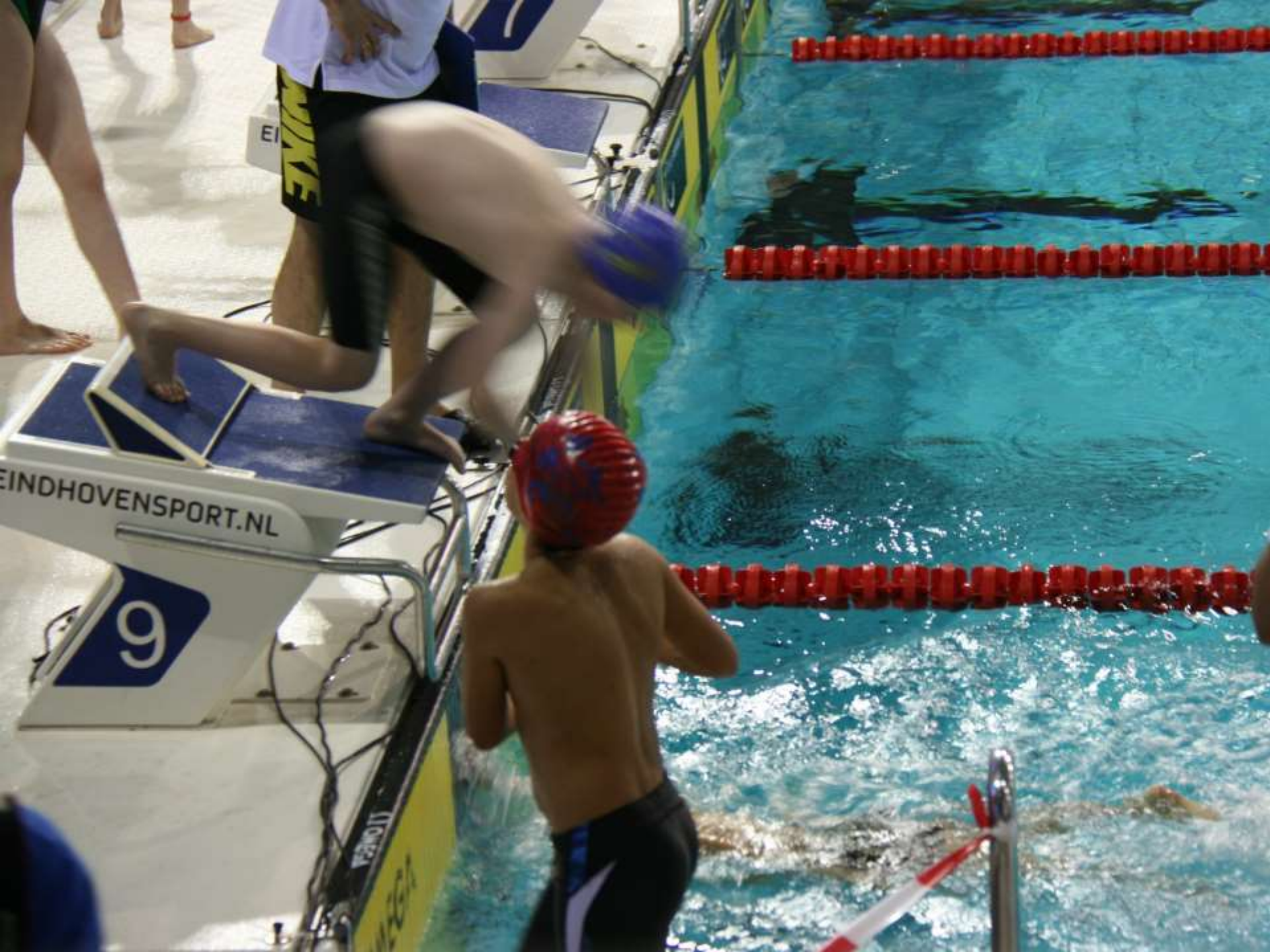




EFSL Southern Division Champions  
2007 • 2008 • 2009 • 2010 • 2011 • 2012 • 2013



















ROTA  
TIBURONES  
RSC RSC  
We Swim Where The Bulls Run

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OMEGA



The ESB Swimming Team is a **non-for-profit activity**, and is financed with the swimmers' yearly fees. These fees make it possible to rent pools for our competitions, to pay Coaches, to pay the fee of our affiliation to the EFSL and alike.

The Team is **entirely managed by volunteer parents**. **Without volunteer parents, the ESB Swimming Team would not exist.**

We are constantly seeking volunteer parents to run the Committee, to help during competitions, to organise specific events.

*Willing to help? Let us know: [president@esboctopus.eu](mailto:president@esboctopus.eu)*

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