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Lane Cove makes a move

The resurgence of one of the state's oldest swimming clubs continued at the recent Sydney Metropolitan Championships – jumping more than 30 placings!

A team of 15 swimmers took to the water at the Sydney Olympic Park Aquatic Centre finishing 31st out of 61 clubs that scored points at the meet. That compares to finishing 63rd out of 63 point scoring club last year.

“We are not where we want to be but we are definitely headed in the right direction” said the club's head coach, John Thompson.

He paid tribute to the club for its support and the team of coaches that has driven the success of the swimmers over the past few months.

“Without the support of the club and the enthusiasm and experience of Phil Hughes, Scott Farnell and Luigi Sarkissian none of this success would be happening right now” said Thompson.

A staggering 92% of all swims by Lane Cove swimmers were personal best times. Many qualified for the State Championships at Homebush next month and the National Open Short Course titles in Melbourne at the end of August.

The finalists:

FOURTH	
Joseph Hilsberg (10)	100 Bk
Josh Talvi (12)	200 Fs
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SIXTH	
Sally Gilbert (14)	200 Br
Joseph Hilsberg (10)	100 Fs
Josh Talvi (12)	100 Fly
SEVENTH	
Sally Gilbert (14)	100 Br
EIGHTH	
Tim Antalfy (20)	50 Fly
TENTH	
Sally Gilbert (14)	400 IM
Joseph Hilsberg (10)	100 Fly
Ben Lau (15)	100 Br

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