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FROM THE PRESIDENT

Hello to everyone at the Clem Jones Centre Triathlon Club.

Don't forget that Club sign on day is this **Saturday June 17** from **8am** at the Clem Jones Centre. The sign on has been advertised to run for the general public from 9am until 11am. Please make sure you pay for your TQ membership as well. The Club will run a barbeque and there will be Hammergels on sale.

For those Club members that have requested accommodation for the Noosa Triathlon, minimum \$100 deposits have to be paid on sign on day, to Warwick or Treasurer, Ian Critchley

Unfortunately, due to lack of numbers, the Kenilworth preseason training camp has been cancelled. The camp required 40 participants so that we broke even. Interest from the swim club was not as strong as we'd hoped. I would like to commend Warwick and Steve Heald for their efforts in getting the camp organised, hopefully next year it will happen.

I would like to thank all the Club members who gave up their Thursday night last week, to help out waiting tables and serving drinks at the Cracker Jack Ball. The large number of volunteers from the Club has been noticed and your efforts reduced the work load for everyone, helping to make the Ball run very smoothly. Thanks to Steve Heald, Ian Critchley, Christine Andersen, Trudianne Maeder, Rob Foxley-Connely, Steve Foster, Brandom Gengelbach and Warwick Dalziel.

The Cracker Jack Carnival was not the fund raising success that we'd hoped it would be, and there was minimal interest in the Triathlon Club stand. However, our large numbers in the March Past was noted and we weren't out done by the All Gauge Model Railway Club! Who I might add, provided hours of amusement to those hardy soles who manned our Club stand in the Trade Hall. Thanks to the Chittick's, Salthouse's, Critchley's, Maeder's, Heald's, Beattie's, Lorna Hepburn, Steve Foster, Scott Macgregor and Warwick Dalziel and everyone else who lent a hand. Also thanks to the swimmers with their help selling raffle tickets.



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I am pleased to see that many of you have got behind our Coach, by providing letters to Triathlon Queensland, to support Warwick's nomination for the Junior Development Award. I know we all think very highly of Warwick for his knowledge, skills and expertise at coaching triathletes. It would be a fitting reward for him to be recognised by our governing body with the Junior Development Award.

Trudianne Maeder and Melissa Kline are in charge of a sub committee looking at clothing issues for the Club. With our new sponsorship we will be able to purchase some items of uniform, to kit ourselves out as a Club. If you would like to have some in put, please see Trudianne or Melissa.

If you have any issues concerning the Club that you wish to discuss please feel free to approach either myself in person or you can e mail me at dkbeat@bigpond.net.au, or your Vice President Steve Heald, or your Treasurer Ian Critchley or your secretary Christine Andersen.

The next Clem Jones Centre Triathlon Club General Meeting will be held at **7:00pm on Tuesday June 20, 2006 at the Carina Sports Club.**
All welcome.

David Beattie

President - Clem Jones Centre Triathlon Club