

Diving in to conquer autism



THE 2008 Team Sprint Cup is expecting more from donors and swimmers this year.

Organisers hope to raise more than \$100,000 – double the amount raised last year – for Autism West Support and teams will swim six 50m sprints with two less swimmers than last year.

The cup is a family event that aims to promote sprint swimming and raise money and awareness for autism.

This year's event will be launched at the Claremont Hotel on Thursday, November 20 from 6pm.

The competition itself is on February 15 at the Christchurch Grammar School

swimming pool from 3pm.

"The corporate challenge is a real chance for Perth's corporate to race each other for the title of Perth's fastest relay team," organiser and Olympic gold medalist Bill Kirby said.

The current title holders are Mack Hall and Associates.

As well as the corporate challenge, there will be a Battle of the Codes and a family relay event.

For more information, please visit www.teamsprintcup.com.

Bill Kirby and Karl Paganin with (in pool) Tom Stone, Charles Winning, Luke Andrews and Michael Tobin.
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