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#### TASMANIAN RECORD BREAKERS ON THE NATIONAL SCENE

By 31 December 2020, 47 Tasmanian club members had broken 290 national masters swimming records\*.

Topping the list is Sue Mayne with 69 national records, the earliest of which goes back to 6 July 1997 in the 400m Breaststroke.

Over the years Sue has broken records at all distances from 50m to 1,500m and in breaststroke, butterfly and individual medley events. 55 of Sue's national marks have been set while swimming for Talays MSC and 14 for her 2<sup>nd</sup> claim club, Hobart Aquatic MSC.

Sue Mayne's National records to 31 December 2020

		Stroke								
Club and		Individual								
Course	Breaststroke	Butterfly	Medley	Total						
TTL	33	9	13	55						
LC	11	3	4	18						
SC	22	6	9	37						
TAC	13		1	14						
LC	4			4						
SC	9		1	10						
Total	46	9	14	69						

Four Tasmanians have each broken at least ten national records. Between them they have set 157 new marks. These represent nearly 55% of the of the total of 290 new records. Sue Mayne, Brent Walker and Maciej Slugocki are still swimming for Tasmanian clubs.

Members of Tasmanian MSCs that have broken more than 10 National records

	Club								
Name	TTL	TAC	TSB	THB	Total				
Sue Mayne	55	14			69				
Glenise Gale			37		37				
Brent Walker		7		13	20				
Maciej Slugocki	4	14			18				
Justine Bamford				13	13				
Total	59	35	37	26	157				

A full listing of all record breakers is set out at the end of this news item.

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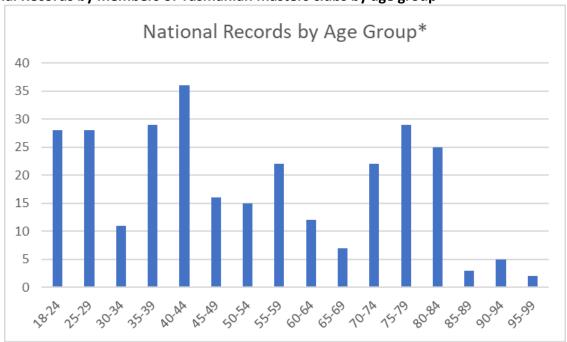
2020 was the first year since 1990 that a national record had not been broken by a member of a Tasmanian club.

Masters Swimming Tasmania managed to complete its 2020 championship program. The impacts of the pandemic had a significant effect on the ability of members to train during the year and this affected the standard of competition with the number of Tasmanian records was also significantly down on previous years\*\*.

Mywaterworld. Iife also looked back over the years at the record breaking by age group and by year.

There is an identifiable pattern in the distribution of records by age group in the chart below. While **mywaterworld.life** could resort to in tuition an examination of the underlying data will be undertaken to establish reasons, if any, for the pattern of the age group distribution of those records.

National Records by members of Tasmanian masters clubs by age group

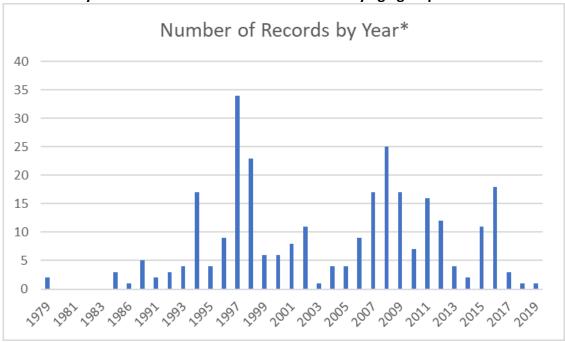


Age group	282A	2529	303A	3539	AO AA	4549	505A	4459	606A	6569	1074	1579	808A	85389	90 <sup>94</sup>	9599
National Records by																
Age Group*	28	28	11	29	36	16	15	22	12	7	22	29	25	3	5	2

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Once again there is an identifiable pattern in the distribution of records by year. In a future news item, **mywaterworld.life** will set out any discernible reasons for this pattern of records broken mt year based on the underlying data.

#### Notes:

On request by email, mywaterworld.life can provide clubs or individuals with listings of national records.

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<sup>\*</sup> The data used in this report was current at 1 January 2021

<sup>\*\*</sup> See the mywaterworld.life news story of 1 January 2021 - 93 INDIVIDUAL AND 17 RELAY MST RECORDS BROKEN IN 2020

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Name	TTL	TAC	TSB	ТНВ	TLC	TVA	TDP	TTS	Total
Sue Mayne	55	14							69
Glenise Gale			37						37
Brent Walker		7		13					20
Maciej Slugocki	4	14							18
Justine Bamford				13					13
Mark Thompson		9							9
Garth Slade	6		1		1				8
John Pugh					8				8
John Brice	2		6						8
Ketrina Clarke					7				7
Shane Gould					6				6
Costan Magnussen						6			6
Karl Wurzer		6							6
Terry Smithurst	5								5
Julia Allston		5							5
Janet Pugh		_			5				5
Mal Innes	5								5
David Glass	3	4							4
Diane Perndt	1	3							4
Mia Blignaut	_	3						4	4
Susan Cure			3					7	3
Rachel White			3				3		3
Matthew Orr		1				2	3		3
Nan Lewis	3	1				۷			3
Gavin Singleton	3						3		3
Alex Lysenko				2			3		2
Ron Lucas			1	2 1					2
Katrina Archer			1	1	2				2
					2	2			
Joshua McDermott	2					2			2 2
Andrew Horner	2			2					
Neil Hickey Rachelle Isakov		1		2					2
		1							1
Erin Arnol		1	4						1
Richard Gard			1		4				1
David Gerrard					1				1
Karen Aiken				1					1
Anne Steele		1							1
Ray Winstanley	1								1
Craig Shepherd								1	1
Christine Palmer	1								1
Tina Smit				1					1
Jacob Chamberlain					1				1
Peter Tonkin					1				1
Karon Aiken				1					1
Pam Gray					1				1
Peter Bourjau				1					1
Don Marsh	1								1
Total	86	66	49	35	33	10	6	5	290

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