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**“Basic teaching and understanding of learner
with autism & learner with Dyspraxia in an
aquatic environment ”**

Mr Danny Ong

Aquatic Educator for Special Needs

17 March 2014 (Monday)

9.00am to 1.00pm

Pasir Ris SRC

For registration, download form at

<http://www.aquafins.com.sg/finsworkshop.html>



Speaker's Profile

Mr Danny Ong, founder of AquaFins, started coaching and teaching Swimming & Aquatic Movement to People with Special Needs since the year 1993. Holding a Diploma in Special Education from the National Institutes of Education, Singapore (NIE), he worked as a Special Education Teacher in a local Special School for 4 years. He also holds the following National and International certification in teaching and coaching.



1. AUSTSWIM – Teacher of Aquatics: Swimming and Water Safer
2. AUSTSWIM – Teacher of Aquatics: Access and Inclusion
3. AUSTSWIM – Assessor
4. Australia – Certificate 4 in training and assessment
5. SSC NROC – Level 1 Swim Coach
6. SLSS – Life Saving Instructor
7. STA (UK) – Level 2, Certificate in Aquatic Teaching for Special Needs
8. Singapore – Advance Certificate in training and assessment
9. SSC SwimSafer – Instructor, Instructor's Trainer & Assessor
10. Youth Sports Trust (UK) – TOP Presenter

He was the Team Manager for Team Singapore, Swimming at the Beijing 2008, Paralympic Games. The team came home with Singapore First Paralympic Gold Medal. He is the designer and planner for AquaFins Early Intervention Program (Aquatic) that is registered with National Council of Social Service (NCSS) and an Approved Institution under the Ministry of Social & Family Development (MSF), Baby Bonus Scheme. AquaFins is the first and only centre in Singapore that has our aquatic programme endorsed by government agency with annual audit for quality assurance by SG Enable. Danny is also a trainer for the Parent-Child Fundamental Movement Skills (FMS) workshop by the Singapore Sports Council.

Workshop Objectives

1. To understand and appreciate the characteristics of learners with autism and learners with dyspraxia
2. To understand and implement teaching strategies to assist them to have better fulfillment in aquatic education.

Workshop Outline

1. Understanding autism; understanding dyspraxia
2. What is sensory processing and how it affects learning?
3. Building strong learning base for learners using Aquatic Readiness Principles
4. Practical experience on teaching learners in an aquatic environment

Target Audience

Swim educators, teachers, coaches or instructors

Workshop Fees & Closing Dates

Closing Date	Fees (S\$)	Fees (S\$) – Members of SDSC*
07 March 2014 (Friday)	120	96

* Singapore Disability Sports Council - SDSC

Available Training slot

For this training workshop, only 20 training seats are available.

Programme

8.30am – 9.00am	Registration
9.00am – 11.00am	Dry Session Understanding Autism Understanding Dyspraxia Sensory Processing Aquatic Readiness Principle Case studies
11.00am – 1.00pm	Wet Session Understanding and implementing routine system Understanding and implementing visual aid system Understanding and implementing teaching strategies to aid learner's unique learning pattern

Getting to Pasir Ris SRC

Address

Pasir Ris Sports and Recreation Centre

120 Pasir Ris Central
Singapore 519640

Tel: 65838557 / 65832696

By Bus

Nearest bus stop is B77009, about 3 - 5 mins walking distance to Pasir Ris SRC. Bus Service number 3, 4N, 5, 6, 12, 15, 17, 21, 58, 88, 354, 358, 359, and 403

By Train

Take the East-West Line and alight at the Pasir Ris MRT (EW1) Station.

By Car

Drive along Pasir Ris Central and park at Pasir Ris SRC carpark.

**Please register early to avoid disappointment.
Kindly fill up the registration form and post it back to us.
If you have any enquires, kindly contact us @ 9675 7531
or email enquiry@aquafins.com.sg**



Registration Form

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NAME <IN BLOCK>		NRIC/FIN
OCCUPATION	NATIONALITY	GENDER
ADDRESS <IN BLOCK>		POSTAL CODE
CONTACT (HOME)	CONTACT (OFFICE)	CONTACT (MOBILE)
EMAIL		

PRE-WORKSHOP QUESTIONNAIRES

1. Have you teach/coach People with Disability (PWD) before? Yes / No

2. Rate your understanding about “Learn to Swim”for PWD _____
(1 to 10, 1 means Not at all, 10 means In dept understanding)

3. What do you want to achieve from this workshop?

Terms and Conditions

1. Kindly note that registration will be based on a first-come-first-served and fees must be paid prior to the closing date to reserve a placement.
2. Payment of fees is not a guarantee for the above workshop. Should the workshop be cancelled for any reason, a full refund will be made to all registered participants and no other claims are allowed. AquaFins disclaims responsibility should any changes in the above workshop occur for any reason.
3. All information provided in this brochure is accurate to the closing date of normal registration.
4. Registration will be taken as confirmed upon issuance of invoice. Any cancellation is not allowed. However, a replacement can be notified to AquaFins.
5. Registrations received after seats are filled will be returned with regrets.
6. Your registration is confirmed only upon receipt of a complete registration form with Sing Dollars (S\$) Cheque payment to: **AQUAFINS**. *Mailing Address: BLK 491B #10-402 TAMPINES AVE 9 SINGAPORE 521491.*