

THE ILDSA SENIOR BEST NEWCOMER MALE & FEMALE AWARD

The ILDSA Senior Best Newcomer Award (Age 18 + in the year of the swim) is awarded to recognise the achievements of a swimmer that has completed their first marathon swim (10km+) or that has completed their first swim at either 10 miles+ or 25km+ in this season.

(Individual Male and Female awards have been presented since 2019)

| SEASON/ AWARDS YEAR | WINNER | | |
|------------------------|-----------------------------------|--|--|
| 2011 | Suzanne Harkins | | |
| 2012 | Ger Kennedy | | |
| 2013 | Lucas Kowalczyk | | |
| 2014 | Judith Spence | | |
| 2015 | Orls Houlihan | | |
| 2016 | Noel Grimes | | |
| 2017 | Brendan O'Brien | | |
| 2018 | Audrey Burkley | | |
| 2019 | David Conradie & Anne Barry | | |
| 2020 | No Awards | | |
| 2021 | Steven Grimley & Caroline Corkery | | |
| 2022 | John Curley & Denise Ganly | | |
| 2023 | | | |