the right reasons. are again putting the LUTON'S youngsters town on the map for all

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the community.

they've done it again. bers of the Mitalee Youth nal award and this week Association won a natio-Only weeks ago mem-

School Project was pre-sented with the Philip don the Mitalee Summer In a ceremony in Lon-

prizemoney which they

group by the TV news-reader Sir Trevor McDon-They also won £1,000 retary Charles Clarke on ald - and that's Home Secthree girls from the youth standing achievement in Lawrence Award for out-The gong was handed to will use to help develop

zenship by groups of young people aged 11 to 20 in projects that help procelebrate outstanding citiand counter crime, viomote community safety lence and racism.

The Mitalee summer

They were designed to set up in memory of the trying to stop a fight outcharity 4Children, were and run by children's teers. The awards, suprecruit 15 more volunkilled ten years ago while ported by the Home Office headteacher who was the project further and

unteering chances. sports activities school provides kids with martial arts, residentia games, swimming trips film production and vol programmes, drama and

Winner 2005

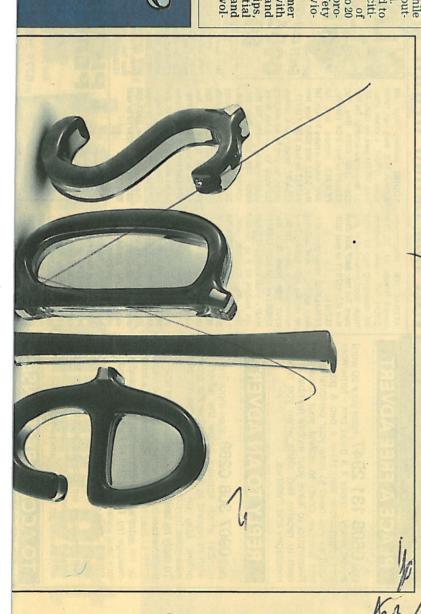


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named the best in the country by the Amateur Swimming Association (ASA). A LUTON swimming school made a splash when it was

school in England, to the delight of owner Sherrie Hur-combe. The school holds classes at Lealands High School and Challney High School for Girls. Some of its swimmers have gone on to compete at county and national level. bicked up the Swimtastic award for the top private swim Emerald Road-based Luton Penguins Swim Schools

award from Tony the Tiger (Frosties sponsor the awards). Sherrie launched Luton Penguins in 2000 after many years of teaching swimming and is pictured receiving her



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