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It's ballet with a splash

A picture of liquid elegance, Stephanie Chen, 14, (left) strikes a pose at the inaugural Inter-school Synchronised Swimming Competition yesterday.

The Singapore Sports School student won her Secondary B Division Solo Event with 71.625 points.

Organised by the Singapore Swimming Association, the meet saw 35 schools taking part in the primary, secondary and Open categories at the Co-Curricular Activities Branch swimming pool.

The young swimmers served up a visual spectacle for the 100-strong crowd, and not just with their efforts in the pool. Shiny hand-sewn costumes and careful make-up provided a dazzling edge to their balletic artistry.

The two-day meet concludes with the team events today, which will see up to eight swimmers per team performing in sync to accompanying music.

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