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GENERAL  
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# Proficiency in Swimming

## SECOND-CLASS CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that

*Laura Quickender.*

a pupil at

*Wanborough Council School*

has passed elementary tests in Distance  
and Style Swimming, Diving and Life-Saving

*K.S. Jones.*

Director of Education

*W.E. Stevens*

Chairman

*1941*

Season

## **Laura Quickenden**

Laura Quickenden was born on the 26th October 1928 in Wanborough. She was the daughter of Ernest Richard & Ida W. Quickenden (Nee Hollis). Her father worked as a plasterer.

In 1939 Laura was living at Sunnydale, Rotten Row, Wanborough with her parents and was recorded as being at school.

Two years later in 1941 Laura was awarded the certificate shown above whilst attending the Wanborough Council School.

On 5th February 1951 Laura married Yvonne Randolph Dance. Possibly in Wanborough Parish Church. [To Be Confirmed]

In 1955 Laura and Yvonne became parents to Hilary Dance.

Between 2002 and 2008 Laura lived at 1 High Street, Wanborough, SN4 0AE where she had been resident for 23 years. Randolph Dance was also resident, husband to Laura.

Laura died on the 9th July 2008 aged 80 in Wanborough.