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## **2007 WPFG BOARD MEMBER JUMPS IN THE DEEP END.**

District Officer William 'Bill' Jamieson is more than just a competitor in the 2007 World Police and Fire Games (2007 WPFG).

Considering he is on the Board of the 2007 WPFG and responsible for much of the organisation of this event it is no surprise that when it comes to training Bill admits, "I didn't do as much as I would like."

Despite this, Bill is having a very successful Games, winning silver in the open water swimming on Tuesday and silver in the triathlon team event and will compete in the kayaking later this week. As well as the time constraints on his training regime Bill also suffered another setback: a partially torn achillis tendon.

When asked how he managed to complete the triathlon with this injury he jokes, "I did the running section very slowly."

It seems the MFS is making the most of the home town Games with Bill estimating 35 to 36 per cent of fire fighters competing in the games and another 30 per cent acting as volunteers.

"This level of participation is a huge boost in morale for all members of the MFS, it's just great being a firefighter". said Bill Jamieson.

The 2007 WPFG continue tomorrow with the Ultimate Firefighter competition being staged at MFS Adelaide Station at 99 Wakefield Street Adelaide from 9.00am



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