



## GLOBAL OPEN WATER SWIMMING CONFERENCE

CORK 2013

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Our Speakers –

### Kevin Murphy

‘The Great Duel –  
Murphy vs. Renford –  
Best of Three’

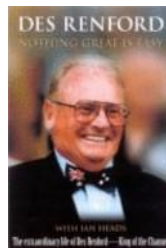
Kevin Murphy is the reigning King of the Channel,  
President International Marathon Swimming Hall of Fame  
(IMSHOF)

Hon. Secretary Channel Swimming & Piloting Federation (CS&PF)  
and an Inductee of the International Swimming Hall of Fame  
(ISHOF) and the IMSHOF Hall of Fame.

Kevin is going to tell us the story of the challenge between  
Des Renford MBE, King of the Channel til 1980 & author of

‘Nothing Great is Easy’

and himself as to  
who could best each other in the  
‘Best of Three’ Challenge.



This should be very interesting.

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Ossi Schmidt, Co-Chairman Conference Organising Committee.

Cork Lions Club &  
University College Cork  
in association with the  
International Marathon  
Swimming Hall of Fame  
(IMSHOF) and the World  
Open Water Swimming  
Association (WOWSA)  
are proud to present the

**Global Open  
Water Swimming  
Conference Cork  
2013**

**11th - 13th  
October 2013  
Cork/Ireland**

The conference will  
address topics of  
environmental, scientific &  
sporting relevance to  
Open Water Swimming  
as well as Peer-2-Peer  
reports & presentations  
from well-known and  
not-so-well-known  
Open Water Swimmers.

**Rochestown Park Hotel,  
Cork &  
Sandycove Island,  
Kinsale**



The Conference is a non-profit event.  
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for distribution to local Charities.

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