



**Media Release**  
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## **Top UK females re-sign with Orca**

- Vicky Holland, Jodie Stimpson and Sky Draper re-sign sponsorship contracts with Orca
- Promising British triathletes will race in Orca wetsuits and apparel in 2011
- Holland and Stimpson build on ITU success in 2010 and work towards 2012 Olympics
- Draper to continue barnstorming success at age group level

Orca has re-secured the sponsorship of three of the United Kingdom's most promising young female triathletes, with Vicky Holland, Jodie Stimpson and Sky Draper signing new contracts. Holland and Stimpson both experienced success amongst the triathlon elite in 2010 with strong races in short course racing domestically and internationally. Draper took out the national under 17 triathlon, aquathlon and duathlon titles, and ran the fastest 3km time of any under 15 athlete in the country.

Holland, Stimpson and Draper have all signed one year extensions to their contracts, covering Orca wetsuits, race and training apparel.

"We're delighted that Vicky, Jodie and Sky have chosen to continue to race and train in Orca," says Orca UK Sales Manager Chuck Cosman. "Last year was Vicky and Jodie's first full season on the World Championship circuit, they're both looking really strong going into 2011 and hoping to build on their experience. Sky had an unbelievable year, essentially winning everything she entered – she has to be one of the most promising young triathletes in the world at the moment.

"Triathlon at the elite level for women in the UK is very strong right now and we're looking forward to supporting their quest to succeed in ITU racing and qualification for the Olympics."

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#### **Athlete Career Highlights**

##### **Jodie Stimpson**

2010 Reigning British Super Series Champion  
2010 Reigning Garmin Barcelona Triathlon Champion

##### **Vicky Holland**

2010 2<sup>nd</sup> Ranked British Female in Olympic distance  
8<sup>th</sup> Overall Dextro Energy World Championship Series (in her first year on the circuit).  
6<sup>th</sup> Overall Dextro Energy World Championship Grand Final

##### **Sky Draper**

U17 National Duathlon Champion  
U17 National Aquathlon Champion  
U17 National Triathlon Champion  
U17 Mazda London Winner  
Windsor Adult Sprint Winner

GB International at U18 level  
Fastest 3k by an U15 female athlete