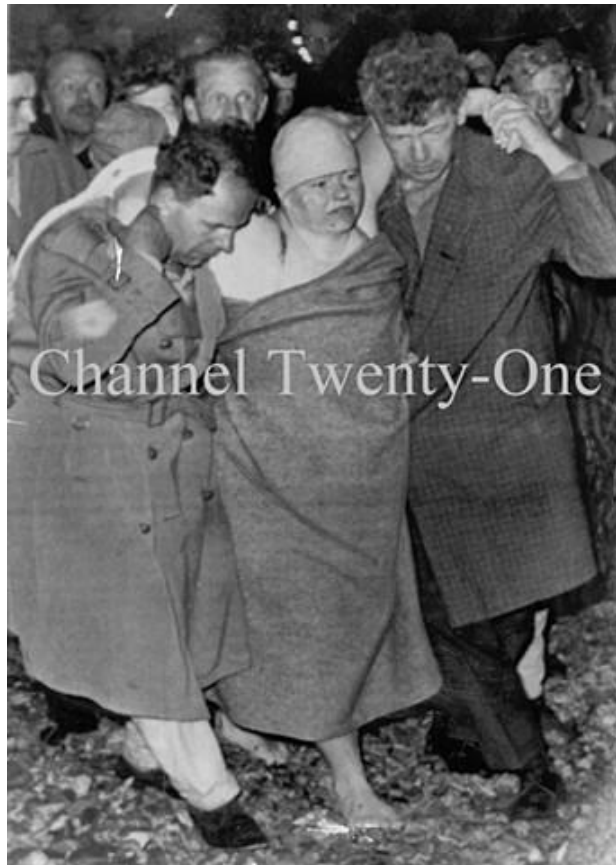




**Brenda Sherratt, Honor Swimmer, Great Britain, 1970**



Videos (please help if you can find any)

**Brenda Sherratt** was the first to swim 36.2 km along the length of Loch Ness in Scotland in 31 hours and 27 minutes in July 1966, at the age of 18.

Prior to that she completed other British lake swims: 5 km Bala and 8 km Coniston swim; 17 km Windemere crossing in 1965 as a 16-year-old; and 16 km two way crossing of Coniston at the end of June 1966 – her first night swim. The Loch Ness swim was heavily covered by television and newspapers such as the Scottish Daily Mail. Following recognition at the annual event of the IMSHOF Honor Organization the British Long Distance Swimming Associate, Brenda retired from marathon swimming and coached swimming for more than forty years.

[Expanded Biography \(Openwaterpedia\)](#)

[Long Swims Database \(Marathon Swimmers Federation\)](#)