

2024 South Gate Meet Recap

SWIMMERS OF THE MEET

Beach 4—Bridget Sullivan

Bridget has been working really hard a focusing on pushing herself out of her comfort zone at practice and during dryland. She comes to every practice with a good attitude and does her best to get better each and every day. Her hard work paid off in a big way at the South Gate meet where she notched 3 out of 4 lifetime bests including drops of 7 seconds in the 100 Backstroke, 12 seconds in the 100 Butterfly, and 14.5 seconds in the 100 Breaststroke! Great work, Bridget!

Intro to Senior—Anthony Zheng

Anthony came into the meet with a great attitude and ready to take on 3 events for the first time in competition. He's been working hard, focusing on his strokes, and doing a great job at practice, and we knew he was ready for a great meet. His hard work paid off as he had great swims in the 100 Breaststroke, the 100 Freestyle, and the 50 Freestyle! I'm excited to see him continue to add more events to his lineup in the future, and I can't wait to get back to practice and get back to working hard. Keep it up, Anthony!

Senior 1—Dylan Luppo

Dylan did such a great job this weekend! He came in with the mindset that he wanted to swim as fast as he could, and he did just that (even though I think he can go even faster soon)! Dylan swam every event to his fullest and came out with 4 New B Times, 100% Best Times, and fifth overall in total time dropped (second in our group) with 18.57 seconds. I have a feeling BB time will be coming soon! Good Luck Dylan, we are so excited for your future swimming!

Senior 2—Diego Valenzuela

Diego had an absolutely amazing performance at the South Gate meet! He swam 3 events, and posted lifetime bests in all 3, dropping 3 seconds in his 100 Backstroke, ~5 seconds in his 100 Freestyle, and more than SIXTEEN SECONDS in his 200 Freestyle! It was great to see all of his hard work pay off, and I know if he keeps working hard there are more great meets in his future.

Congratulations, Diego!

100% LIFETIME BESTS

Sienna Chen, Alex Chernyshov, Asher Greenspon, Yi Han, Louis Haynes, Lucy Hendrickson, Milo Ikeda, Dheekshana Kamalakannan, Jonathan Kipp, Dylan Luppo, Kavi Matthews, Paul McGrath, Brandon Padar, Clarissa Ramirez, Cevastian Ramos Ramirez, Zoey Rubinson, Eran Shemza, Tate Stabile, Ivy Stanley, Jack Stimpson, Anush Tsatrian, Tate Stabile, Jack Stimpson, Zailee Tucker, Diego Valenzuela, Eva Whitaker, Anthony Zheng

BCS EVENT WINNERS

Mia Kuwabara 200 IM

BCS EVENT RUNNER-UPS

Zailee Tucker

ALL-BUT-1 LIFETIME BESTS

Keira Goss, Mui Jameson, Mia Kuwabara, Alex Nimick, Megan Ostrick, Bridget Sullivan, Reagan Vieira, Soleil Wicks

LARGEST SINGLE EVENT DROPS

(in seconds)

Reagan Vieira, 200 Freestyle-18.36
Diego Valenzuela, 200 Freestyle-16.12
Bridget Sullivan, 100 Breaststroke-14.67
Jack Stimpson, 200 Freestyle-13.83
Jonathan Kipp, 100 Breaststroke-13.54
Kavi Matthews, 200 IM-12.87
Bridget Sullivan, 100 Butterfly-12.35
Jonathan Kipp, 100 Freestyle-11.77
Alex Nimick, 200 Freestyle-10.60
Zailee Tucker, 200 IM, 9.91

TOP 10 TOTAL TIME DROPPED

(in seconds)

Bridget Sullivan-33.97 Jonathan Kipp-26.95 Diego Valenzuela-24.28 Reagan Vieira-24.23

Dylan Luppo-18.57

Alex Nimick-17.65

Mia Kuwabara-15.49 Jack Stimpson-14.34

Zailee Tucker-13.45

Kavi Matthews-12.96