

NES 14 & UNDER LCM CHAMPIONSHIPS WAS A WEEKEND OF BROKEN RECORDS!

Several old records set in the 1980's and 90's were broken this weekend at the 14 & Under Age Group Championships making for an exciting meet to watch!

Liam Egan, from Crimson Aquatics, walks away with the most records, by setting 5 Individual 13/14 event records:

100 Freestyle NE-RES record: 55.10 (broke the 1994 record set by Stephen Maher of BSC)

200 Freestyle NE-RES record: 1:58.36 (broke the 1997 record set by Nathan Bagnaschi of BGSC)

400 Freestyle NE & NE-RES record: 4:05.69 (broke old records by almost 5 seconds)

800 Freestyle NE record: 8:29.19 (broke the 1984 record of Alex Kostich by 7 seconds)

1500 Freestyle NE & NE-RES record: 16:19.02 (broke the 1984 record of Alex Kostich by 4 seconds)

FOUR swimmers broke the 13-13 **200 Backstroke NE RECORD** of 2:16.07 set in 2007 by Pat Myers:

Shawn Nee from SAC (2:14.81), **Ryan Harty** from GMSC (2:15.34), and **Connor Green** from BLUEFISH (2:15.47), but the top prize goes to **Robert Owen of CRIMSON AQUATICS** with a time of **2:13.79**.

RELAYS

The announcer had to stay alert during this meet, because it seemed like almost every relay event broke a record!

- Three teams broke the 13-14 Boys 400 Medley Relay on the last evening of the meet. **Crimson** and **Bluefish** gave **CHARLES RIVER AQUATICS** a great race to the finish. The 13-14 Year Old 400 Medley Relay of **Aidan Oi, Christopher Downing, Julian Asuaje-Solon** and **Dan Goudovitch** broke the 16 year old record of 4:23.95 that was set in 1994 by the Mass Bay Marlins, and included Olympic medalist Erik Vendt. It was a great way to end the evening on the last night of the meet!
- **BLUEFISH SWIM CLUB** racked up a bevy of records in relays:
The 11-12 Girl's 400 Medley Relay beat out **GMSC's** relay for a top NE and NE-RES record breaking finish with a time of 4:50.09, bettering the old records by almost 15 seconds!
Angela Foley, Caitlin Murphy, Elizabeth Zeiger and Emma Benkert are responsible for this awesome swim!
The **BLUEFISH** team of **Haley Cordery, Emma Benkert, Cailin Murphy**, and **Elizabeth Zeiger** broke the NE and NE-RES record in the 11/12 400 FREE Relay by 3 seconds!
The **BLUEFISH** 13-14 girls weren't to be outdone by their 11-12 teammates and broke a couple records of their own!
The 400 Medley Relay of **Emma Kao, Brooke Zeiger, Marisa Reidemeister** and **Abigail Benkert** broke the NE and NE-RES record set in 1999 by the MVP. The 800 Free Relay of **Abigail Benkert, Ana Maria Castellanos, Emma Kao** and **Brooke Zeiger** broke the 1999 MVP record with a time of 8:52.02.
- **CRIMSON AQUATICS** broke three relay records of their own:
On opening night, the **CRIMSON AQUATICS** 13-14 boys broke the NE & NE RES record in the 800 Free Relay. The team of **Robert Owen, Heson Oh, Brace Young** and **Liam Egan** swam a 8:14.23, beating the old records by 7 seconds!
The 11-12 Boy's 400 Medley Relay of **Joseph Turk, Eric Shi, Michael Walsh** and **Samuel Fromkin** beat out **BGSC's** relay team, and both broke the NE and NE-RES record set in 1989 by the Manchester Swim Club. The **CRIM** time of 4:56.61 beat the old records, again, by 7 seconds!
The 13-14 Boy's 400 Free Relay broke the 2007 NE and NE-RES record with a time of 3:49.67. **Heson Oh, Robert Owen, Brace Young** and **Liam Egan** teamed up again for another win!

CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL!!!