

OA 2014-15 Mid-Season Collegiate Recap

Recap

Orinda Aquatics currently has an incredible 45 aquatic athletes (35 swimmers, eight water polo players, and two triathletes) competing for collegiate teams across the country. They are carrying on a tradition of excellence in academics, character, leadership (Courtney Whyte – Team Captain, Notre Dame), and team commitment, continuing to develop as both swimmers (yellow highlight shows a lifetime best time) and athletes. Midseason results represented peak meets for only a few of our alums. We look forward to seeing their Championship results!

National Connection: Training is ramping up for the collegiate swimmers with winter training trips finishing up shortly. Going into the last two months before February's Conference Championships (followed by NCAAs in March), Courtney Whyte has already received three NCAA D1 "B" Qualifying (100 Back, 100 Fly, 200 Fly) and is currently ranked 48th of all D1 swimmers in the 200 Fly. Andrea Ward ('10) continues to train with her collegiate coaches at the UCSB Gauchos targeting the 2016 US Olympic Trials. Kristen Cunnane remains the Associate Head Coach at Cal and Caroline Lukins joined her alma mater, Columbia University as an Assistant Head Coach. Megan Howard (Navy) and Allie Light (UCLA) were both finalists in the Collegiate Triathlon Championships held in Florida in November.

Freshmen (OA Class of 2014)

Talbot Jacobs:

Brown University – Ivy League

200 Free: 1:42.82
500 Free: 4:38.80
200 Back: 1:54.89

Jordan Owyong:

University of California, Davis – Mountain Pacific Sports Federation

100 Back: 1:02.08
200 Back: 2:12.56
100 Fly: 1:01.57

Gabe Ostler:

Notre Dame University – Big East Conference

50 Free: 21.43
100 Free: 46.51
100 Back: 52.55

Allie Stevens:

University of California, Santa Barbara – Mountain Pacific Sports Federation

100 Back: 56.87
200 Back: 2:04.85
100 Fly: 56.61
200 Fly: 2:08.32

Annie Larsen:

University of California, Santa Barbara – Mountain Pacific

500 Free: 4:59.44

1650 Free: 17:25.53

200 Fly: 2:08.65

400 IM: 4:29.39

Hannah Grubbs:

University of California, Los Angeles – Pacific 10 Conference

200 Back: 2:03.89

Erin Schoenfeld:

University of California, San Diego – Pacific College Swim Conference

50 Free: 24.80

100 Free: 54.63

100 Back: 1:00.52

100 Fly: 1:01.05

Cassidy Fuller:

Washington and Lee – Blue Grass Mountain/Old Dominion Athletic Conference

50 Free: 25.82

100 Free: 55.95

200 Free: 2:00.13

100 Fly: 59.75

Elise Goetzl:

California Polytechnic, San Luis Obispo – Mountain Pacific Sports Federation

50 Free: 24.75

100 Free: 53.85

100 Back: 1:01.68

Paige Matherson:

University of Alabama – South Eastern Conference

200 Free: 1:53.84

500 Free: 4:52.94

1650 Free: 16:55.15

200 Fly: 2:08.58

400 IM: 4:35.04

Anya Nugent:

Hamilton College – North East Small College Athletic Conference

50 Free: 28.11

200 Free: 2:12.64

100 Back: 1:05.26

200 Back: 2:19.31

Lucia Brammer:

Lewis and Clark College – Northwest Conference

200 Back: 2:19.34

100 Fly:	1:02.60
200 Fly:	2:19.27
200 IM:	2:20.89
400 IM:	5:02.05

Alex Shieman

Drury College – Great Lakes Valley Conference
(Injured in the fall)

- Miles Kalbus – UC Irvine Water Polo
- Annika Jensen – USC Water Polo
- Sam Mladjav – UC Santa Barbara Water Polo

Sophomore (Class of 2013)

Steven Stumph

University of Southern California – Pacific 10 Conference

100 Breast	55.36	NCAA D1 “B” Time
200 Breast	2:00.30	
100 Fly	49.32	
200 IM	1:52.37	

Sven Campbell

University of California, Berkeley – Pacific 10 Conference

50 Free	20.55
200 Free	1:40.33
100 Back	49.01
200 Back	1:47.52

Albert Miao

University of California, Santa Barbara – Mountain Pacific

100 Back	50.73
200 Back	1:50.15
200 IM	1:53.77

Megan Fuqua

Boston College – Atlantic Coast Conference

500 Free	5:15.45
1650 Free	18:15.12
200 Back	2:14.09
400 IM	4:39.35

Megan Liang

Franklin and Marshall College – Centennial Conference

100 Free	1:05.83
200 Free	2:18.35
500 Free	6:03.13

Megan Giambastini

University of Indianapolis – Great Lakes Conference

100 Back	59.92
200 Back	2:10.03
200 IM	2:15.48

Emily Giambastini

University of New Hampshire – America East Conference

100 Free	54.43
100 Back	1:01.64
200 Back	2:10.37
200 IM	2:12.05

Meghan Bicomong

University of California, Santa Barbara – Mountain Pacific Sports Federation

50 Free:	23.82
100 Free:	51.35
200 Free:	1:52.69

Cameron Hoyh

Rider University – Metro Atlantic Athletic Conference

200 Fly	2:00.70
200 IM	2:04.46

Erica Muller

Pacific Lutheran University – Northwest Conference

200 Free	1:57.29
1650 Free	17:46.81
200 IM	2:14.58
400 IM	4:45.80

Colleen O'Brien

Hamilton College – New England Small College Athletic Conference

50 Free	27.39
100 Free	1:01.96
200 Free	2:18.15

Dominic Baldwin

Diablo Valley College – Golden Gate Conference

Red shirt year – training with OA

- Megan Howard – Collegiate Triathlon Team, US Naval Academy
- JD Ratchford, Water Polo, UC Berkeley

Juniors (OA Class of 2012)

Jenna Haufler

Pomona/Pitzer Colleges– Southern Calif Interscholastic Athletic Conf

Studied abroad Fall Semester

Shannon Herman

San Diego State University – Mountain West Conference

100 Breast: 1:06.49
200 Breast: 2:20.18
200 IM: 2:04.53
400 IM: 4:24.90

Samantha Swinton

Tufts University – Northeast Small College Athletic Conference

200 Free 2:07.82
100 Fly 1:03.63

Megan Freeman

Emory University: University Athletic Association

100 Breast: 1:12.27
200 Breast: 2:32.49
200 IM: 2:17.57

Devin Kennedy

Pitzer – Water Polo & Swimming (just returned)

- Tor Jensen – Water Polo UC Santa Barbara
- Alexandra Spencer-Wong – Water Polo Middlebury
- Allie Light – Collegiate Triathlon Team, UCLA

Seniors (OA Class of 2011)

Courtney Whyte

University of Notre Dame – Big East Conference

100 Back: 54.76
100 Fly: 54.19
200 Fly: 1:58.46

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Currently ranked 48th of D1 College Swimmers

200 IM: 2:03.93

Clay Sanders

Duke University – ACC Conference

100 fly: 50.64
200 Fly: 1:50.86

Chris Leon

University of California, Berkeley – Pacific 12 Conference

100 Breast: 57.30
200 Breast: 2:06.20
200 IM: 1:58.85

Jeffrey Strausser

Brown University – Ivy League Conference

50 Free: 20.68

100 Free: 45.60

100 Fly 48.49

Padon Sivesind

California Polytechnic San Luis Obispo – Mountain Pacific Sports Federation

100 free: 59.20

100 back: 1:02.73

200 back: 2:19.98

Sloan Caldwell

Claremont McKenna College – Southern California Interscholastic Athletic Conference

100 Fly: 1:03.03