

2013 Makos Holiday Classic – OSSC Recap

EVENT WINNERS

Jordan Aurnou-Rhees
Mia Lachey
Logan Lawhorn
Kate Saczawa
Ava Lachey
Riley Huddleston
Isabella Anton
Rylee Kreinbrink
Kaitlyn Sims
Spencer Aurnou-Rhees
Dylan Kropp

SWIMMERS OF THE MEET

Bronze

- **Andy Litle** – He showed great improvement with his stroke technique and swam all lifetime bests!
- **Carina Villalona** – She dropped huge amounts of time and did much better with her stroke technique as well!

Silver

- **Isabella Anton** – Isabella had a great Makos meet with huge time drops in her 100 back and 100 breast!
- **Spencer Aurnou-Rhees** – Spencer did a great job racing against some fast competition, including a win in the 50 free with a 28.17!

Gold

- **Emma Thompson** – For achieving her first 11-12 JO cut in the 50 breast, for breaking 6 minutes in the 500 and for having best times in all of her other events. Emma is also a wonderful teammate and is always positive.
- **Lonnie Lawhorn** – For achieving his first ever JO cut and then receiving a second! Lonnie is also incredibly close to several other cuts and had an outstanding meet! Lonnie has been working incredibly hard in practice to get faster and to make stroke changes.

Platinum

- **Natalie Merryman** – Natalie swam to best times in all 7 of her races over the weekend. She had two JO qualifying times and made it back to finals in both of her backstroke events. She also got within reach of a few other JO qualifying cuts in her freestyle events. In total, Natalie dropped over 20 seconds throughout the weekend.
- **Michael Gutman** – Michael swam to all best times. He achieved best times in all 12 of his races, dropping a total of 45 seconds. He add three more JO qualifying times to his list and can officially call himself a breaststroker along with already being considered a flyer and freestyler.