2016 Thanks for Giving - OSSC Recap

EVENT WINNERS

Mia Lachey Rachel Peroni Sophie Khelashvili Hannah Routh Sydney Boone-McDougall

Martina Peroni Ava Lachey Marie Belli Cameron Kuriger Jordan Aurnou-Rhees Grace Butcher Rylee Kreinbrink
Miranda Donley
Bridget Parker
Kate Saczawa
Janessa Mathews
Kelsey Morgan
Hans Kabelka
Jackson Turnbull
Brady Farren
JJ Rennie

Liam Miller
Spencer Aurnou-Rhees
Brady McInerney
Hudson Williams
Chase Swearingen
Mason Peck
Antonio Ramirez
Jason Mathews
Ben Kuriger
Pearson Spychalski

SWIMMERS OF THE MEET

Novice

• Maggie Zook – Maggie swam the 25 back and 25 free. She had fun, swam well, and had a great attitude. Congrats, Maggie!

Bronze

• Christopher Lee – Chris had a great meet on Sunday, dropping time in all of his events. His biggest drop of the day was over 12 seconds in the 100 freestyle! Keep up the great work, Chris!

Silver

- Catherine Cartmell Catherine had a great meet! She got a best time in the 100 breast, crushing the JO in the process! She also achieved best times in the 100 IM and 100 free. Catherine's focus and continuous positive attitude during workouts led to her great results. Congratulations, Catherine!
- **Jaron Schwartz** Jaron took what he learned at Fall Frenzy and put it into action, getting best times in the 50 free, 100 back, 100 fly, as well as his JO in the 100 breast. He stayed tough the whole meet and worked on the tiny details. Great work, Jaron!

Gold

- **Julie Aslaner** Julie had all great swims at the recent Thanks-for-Giving meet, dropping significant time in everything she swam. In practice she's been focused on all four strokes and with effort she's 'climbed' her lane, moving towards the front. Her hard work showed at this meet with some impressive results. Keep up the good work, Julie!
- **Braden Hopkins** Braden had several impressive time-drops for the Thanks-for-Giving meet after having several impressive time-drops at the Fall Frenzy meet two weekends ago. He's shown an aggressive racing spirit in practice and he doesn't shy away from challenges. Most impressive was his achievement in the 100 fly and also dropping over 10 seconds in the 200 free. Way to go, Braden!

Platinum

- Marie Belli Marie had another good early season meet. She had 3 out of 5 events with personal best times. Two of those times were new Thanks for Giving Meet records from 2013. Her hard work at practices, day in and day out, really shows when it comes time to race at meets. Good job! Congrats! Keep up the hard work!
- **Brady McInerney** Brady had a great meet. He swam to all best times and ended up winning the 11&12 year old High Point award. Congrats! Keep up the hard work!

Senior

Sarah Anderson – Sarah has been making great strides all season. This meet she stepped
outside of her comfort zone and swam off events. With her first time swimming the 1650 she did
a great job as she was able to hold her pace consistent and focus on her dolphin kick off of every
wall. Great job, Sarah!

National Team

- Bridget Parker Bridget swam to new best times in all four of her events! To say that Bridget strongly didn't want to swim the 1650 would be an understatement. © I predict a future litigator after listening to her impassioned reasons why she shouldn't swim the mile; however, she not only swam it, but she gave it her typical great effort. Seeing her big time drops in all of her events was exciting! Congrats!
- Calvin Furbee Although part of our goal at this meet is to focus on "off" events, it's still rewarding
 to see swimmers achieve new best times. Calvin always pushes himself to get better, and his
 performance in these events is a testament to that hard work. Congrats, Calvin!