

## 2017 Regional Championships – OSSC Recap

### EVENT WINNERS

Lola Zimpfer	Jaron Schwartz	Brooke Davis
Emily Schiele	Mircea Butnariu	Pierce Bateman
Catherine Cartmell	Alejandro Soto	Tyler Kropp
Mya Slones	Aidan Miller	Gino Prabhu
Ava Row	Samuel Elsrod	Chase Peck
Sydney Boone-McDougall	JJ Rennie	Ellen Staton
Zoe Wolfe	Andy Lu	Sammy Sims
Cosette Persall	Andrew Levine	Raul de Mesa
Lucia Cherok	Brady McInerney	Chase Bateman
Anna McGrath	Preston Kuriger	Abby Di-Nardo
Alexandra Butnariu	Sergio Suarez	Jada Heren
Amelia Purdum	Atila Bekdemir	Logan Fields
Phoebe Ferguson	Brady Farren	Aaron Chen
Evan Prabhu		

### SWIMMERS OF THE MEET

#### Bronze

- **Suzie Shultz** – After missing her 50 Breast JO cut by mere hundredths at Kicker Classic, Suzie demolished the cut time of 42.09 with a 41.36 in Prelims, and then again with a 41.21 that same night at finals. She also swam to personal bests in all but two of her events! Great job, Suzie!
- **Gino Prabhu** – Gino Prabhu also punched his ticket to the Junior Olympic championships by doing the unthinkable and TYING the JO 50 fly cut of 36.89! After Regionals he has also achieved his tenth BB cut. Nice work, Gino!
- **Tessa Rolfe** – Tess has come such a long way this year! It's been so exciting to watch her improve. After lowering her 50 back time by almost two seconds, Tess missed the JO cut by several tenths. The next morning she swam a time trial and earned herself a spot on the JO team with a 36.62! Terrific job, Tess!

#### Silver

- **Jayci Kacsandi** – Jayci had an awesome meet! She had a lot of time drops, including 8 seconds in her 500 free! She also implemented the perfect race plan to go under 30 seconds in the 50 free. Her willingness to give it her all and be disciplined really showed this past weekend. Congratulations, Jayci!
- **Evan Prabhu** – Evan crushed this meet! He was deliberate and focused in all his races. Not only did he drop time in all his events, he got 5 more JO cuts! Great job, Evan!

#### Gold

- **Mya Slones** – Mya had a fantastic Regional Meet earning 5 new JO cuts and additionally, 2 AAA Zone cuts. She finished 1st place in 5 out of 6 events and her friendly competitive spirit helped to inspire others around her toward great results. Great job on your Regional accomplishments, Mya!
- **Andy Lu** – Andy had an unbelievable Regional Meet achieving JO cuts in all of his events but one. His efforts in practice showed with his great racing ability, allowing him to place no lower than 2nd place in all the events he swam. Way to go, Andy! Great job!

## Platinum

- **Anna McGrath** – Anna had an incredible Regional meet this weekend. She had all best times and qualified for 3 more JO events. All of her hard work this season is paying off. Now get ready for an awesome JO meet. Keep focused on your technique.
- **Phoebe Ferguson** – After a hard start to the Short Course season by breaking her wrist, she had been working extra hard to get to mid-season form so she would perform well during championship season. She swam to all best times with large time drops in each event. She qualified for JOs in a few more events and had a great Regional meet.
- **Preston Kuriger** – Preston also swam to all best times and qualified for JOs in each event he competed in this weekend at Regionals. His hard work all season is paying off. Now it's time to turn it up even more at JOs.
- **Andrew Levine** – Andrew was in the zone all weekend. He swam to all best times and qualified for JOs in 4 more events. He also finally broke the minute barrier in the 100 fly. Keep up the hard work and stay focused on all the little things at practice.