2018 Regional Championships – OSSC Recap

EVENT WINNERS

Suzie Shultz
Carrie Furbee
Rhiannon Root
Sasha Slauson
Nadia Slauson
Audrey Butcher
Sydney Boone-McDougall

Jada Heren
Mya Slones
Ashlyn Morr
Lucia Cherok
Ava Row

Phoebe Ferguson Anna McGrath Teagan Price Abbigail Di-Nardo Elyse Bergmann Jack McGrath Gino Prabhu
Mario Bondy
Pierce Bateman
Campbell Williams
Julian Cherok
Liam Miller
Yuriy Gorobchuk
Collin Morr
Brady Farren
Brady McInerney
Spencer Aurnou-Rhees
Darden Spychalski

Gabe Nervez

Gunnar Byas

Wyatt Rathgaber

Blaine Huddleston

Zoe Wolfe

Katelynn Wesley Karissa Smrecansky Peyton Graham Logan Fields Ava Fortney **Braden Hopkins** Raul de Mesa Sophie Khelashvili Tyler Kropp Vlad Gorobchuk Alavna Butler Catherine Cartmell Lauren Arledge Ella de Mesa Davynn Miller Cameron Graham Evan Prabhu Marcus Schwartz



SWIMMERS OF THE MEET

Bronze

- Cameron Graham At 8 years old Cameron punched herself a ticket to the Junior Olympic Championships in the 50 freestyle, swimming to a blazing fast 31.46. Great work, Cameron!
- Matthew Sagle Matthew earned over 90 points for the OSSC this weekend. He picked up two
 more JO cuts in the 50 back and 50 free, and narrowly missed a few more. He played a key role in
 our 9-10 boys relays, competed in finals in numerous events, and also dropped 37 seconds in his
 200 IM! Nice job, Matthew!

Silver

- **Ishayu Chakroborty** Ish had an amazing meet! He dropped in every single event, including 8 seconds in his 200 IM! He approached each race with a positive attitude and a focused mindset. He wasn't afraid to go out there and race. A great example of how hard work pays off! Congrats, Ish!
- Adeline McCusker Addi was on fire this weekend! She dropped in every event, including 34 seconds in her 200 breast! Her attention to detail in practice really showed, her technique looked amazing in all four strokes! Proud of you, Addi!

Gold

- Peyton Graham Peyton had a great Regional Meet where her efforts and competitiveness were simply outstanding. With a newfound attitude towards racing, she achieved multiple JO cuts in her events and came away with a new specialties in Backstroke and mid-distance freestyle. Way to go, Peyton! Awesome job!
- Liam Miller Liam had a fantastic Regional Meet, earning all best times and achieving 3 JO cuts. He's been patient with his results and his hard work finally paid off with some huge swims, particularly in his 500 free and backstroke events. Keep up the racing spirit, Liam! Great job!

Platinum

- Elyse Bergmann Elyse had one of the hardest lineups in the group this weekend, swimming the 200 back and breast, 400 IM, 500 free, and the 1650. Not only did she get best times in all of them, but she got 5 new JO cuts and, after a monster 200 backstroke, she is also staring down some Sectional cuts as well. I had a blast watching her compete this weekend and can't wait to see what she does at JOs.
- Anna McGrath Anna had an awesome weekend. She finished with seven new JO cuts and best times in every single event she swam. She also was able to best her 200 back prelim time less than 30 minutes after swimming the mile which is quite impressive. She even asked to time trial the 200 fly to gain the JO cut, which she did, and I will never deny a request to swim the 200 fly. Awesome job.
- Marcus Schwartz Marcus also got best times in all of his events and got two new JO cuts, including a 50 free cut that I certainly didn't expect. Marcus struggled a bit during finals on Friday and Saturday, but after making a few adjustments to his overall game-plan and event preparation, he was able to come back for Sunday finals and drop even more time from his prelims swims. Being able to make changes like that mid-meet is a skill that all seasoned swimmers must have. Congrats.

Senior

- Logan Fields After coming off the HS Season, Logan's goal was to achieve additional JO cuts and
 new lifetime bests. Logan swam very well this weekend as she was able to obtain an additional JO
 cut in the 50 free. In addition, she achieved 5 new lifetime bests and swam the 1650 free for the first
 time where she beat her goal time she set at the beginning of the season in her first swim and with
 her 1000 Split was only off the JO qualifying time by 2 seconds! Nice job, Logan!
- Sydney Hopkins After swimming the HS season, Sydney had the same goal of obtaining additional
 JO cuts and achieving new best times this weekend. Sydney was able to obtain the 100 back JO cut
 and swam to 4 new lifetime bests in the 100 back, 50 back (leading off the Relay), 100 breast, and
 200 IM. Great job, Syd!