



THE SANDPIPER SKINNY

Sandpipers of Nevada

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2018 Nevada State Championship

Sandpipers Depth on Full Display at State Meet

This past Veteran's Day weekend, more than 180 Sandpipers competed in the *Nevada State Championships* hosted at Heritage Park in Henderson. The Sandpipers dominated the meet with swimmers placing in high point in multiple age groups.

White 1 swimmers Teagan Sacco and Lewis Bateman represented our youngest age group with Sacco placing 2nd and Bateman placing 1st in high point for 8 and under. Brooklyn Smith placed 2nd in the 9-10 girls age group with Yellow 1 team mate Riley Christensen placing third. Gabe Manteufel placed 1st and Jack White placed 2nd for the boys 9-10 category. Katie Grimes and Luke Ellis took top honors in the 11-12 age group. National Age Group Swimmer Caleb Kattau also placed third within the boys 11-12 age group. Senior 1 swimmers Arabella Sims, 3rd, and Brice Barrieault, 1st, represented the Sandpipers in the 13-14 age group.

In addition to taking 11 of the possible 30 high point awards, three team records were broken over the course of the meet. **Katie Grimes** broke the only individual team record at the meet. Katie downed her own 11-12 girls 200 Freestyle record with a time of 1:54.11.

Two female relay records were also erased from the books. The first was

the 8-Under 100 Free Relay which stood for 16 years and 1 day! The team of Jaylen Angelias, Lola Angotti, Makena Manteufel, and Teagan Sacco took over 2.5 seconds from the old record. The second group of record breakers is a familiar sight in the record books. The team of Bella Sims, Audrey Yu, Paige Kuwata and Kamika Francis combined to break the 13-14 400 Medley Relay team record by more than 3 seconds.

Although team scores at the State Meet aren't officially kept, the Sandpipers clearly out swam the competition across all age groups. Our success on the State level was not possible without the time, effort and dedication each swimmer, family and coach has put in these past few months. The season isn't over just yet, so let's continue to work hard to achieve our goals!

Sandpiper Highpoint Recap:
-Teagan Sacco – 8-U 2nd
-Lewis Bateman – 8-U 1st
-Brooklyn Smith – 9-10 2nd
-Riley Christiansen – 9-10 3rd
-Gabe Maneufel – 9-10 1st
-Jack White – 9-10 2nd
-Katie Grimes – 11-12 1st
-Luke Ellis – 11-12 1st
-Caleb Kattau – 11-12 3rd
-Arabella Sims – 13-14 3rd
-Brice Barrieault – 13-14 1st

UPCOMING EVENTS

- Winter Nationals
 Nov. 28-Dec. 1 / Greensboro, NC
 Hosted by USA Swimming
- Las Vegas Super Finals Invite Nov. 29-Dec. 2 / Pavilion Center Hosted by *Sandpipers*
- Winter RTB Championship Dec. 1-2 / Desert Breeze Hosted by *Sandpipers*
- KMSC Pro-Am Classic Dec. 13-16 / Lewisville, TX Hosted by *KMSC*
- **Dual Meet vs Canyons**Jan. 26-27 / Pavilion Center
 Hosted by *Sandpipers*
- Team Banquet Feb. 2 / Santa Fe Hotel & Casino
- **Desert Champs**Feb. 16-18 / Heritage Park
 Hosted by *BCH*
- February Rock the Blocks Feb. 22 / Desert Breeze Hosted by *Sandpipers*
- SCS 14&U JOs March 14-17 / Pasadena, CA Hosted by *ROSE*
- March Rock the Blocks March 22 / Desert Breeze Hosted by Sandpipers
- Long Course Intrasquad April 7 / Pavilion Center Hosted by *Sandpipers*
- April Rock the Blocks April 26 / Desert Breeze Hosted by *Sandpipers*
- Cinco de Mayo Invite
 May 3-5 / Pavilion Center
 Hosted by Sandpipers

WELCOME COACH EMILY

New Senior Coach for YMCA

The Sandpipers of Nevada would like to welcome Coach Emily Foust to the Coaching Staff. Coach Emily began coaching with us last month, working with the senior athletes at Centennial YMCA. Emily began competitive swimming when she was five years old. She graduated from Western Illinois with a degree in History and Political Science. Following college, she moved to Las Vegas from Illinois in 2013 where she began teaching History at Arbor View High School. This is her 3rd year as the Head Swim Coach for the Aggies.



LOOKING TO GET MORE INVOLVED IN SWIMMING? BECOME AN OFFICIAL!

Sandpiper Officiating Program Trains 10 New Officials Since Implementation

Calling ALL Sandpiper parents and family members! Are you interested in receiving...

- ✓ Full credit for all volunteer hours for the year?
- ✓ Credit against monthly Sandpiper invoices?
- ✓ Reserved parking at all Sandpiper meets?
- ✓ Free food during Sandpiper meets?
- ✓ And the best seats in the house to watch races?

If so, become a certified Swim Official for Sandpiper Meets and/or Rock the Block Meets!

The team is launching a new and improved **Parent Official Program**. Flexible scheduling is available for both training and meets. Training is even available during our regular practices! Adding new officials is incredibly important to the growth of the Sandpipers Team and our ability to offer more Sandpiper hosted meets. **No experience** as an official or as a competitive swimmer is necessary.

Call or Email Daniel Dolan at (619) 654-0000 or daniel@danielgdolan.com for more details.

Still not convinced? See what other parents enjoy about being an official! "Front row seat."

"Too cheap to pay for heat sheets."

"I wanted to DQ my kids."



For up-to-date news, event information and more, visit the team website: www.sandpipersofnevada.com

TEAM RECORD UPDATE

Sixteen-Year-Old Relay Record Smashed; 2018 Team Total to 132

Pumpkin Invite [SCY]

Katie Grimes: 11-12 1650 Free – 17:14.84 **SCS RECORD**

Erica Sullivan: 17-18 200 Back - 2:00.68

Nevada State Championship [SCY] Katie Grimes: 11-12 200 Free – 1:54.11

Women 8-U 100 Free Relay: J. Angelias, L. Angotti, M. Manteufel, T. Sacco – 1:04.62 Women 13-14 400 Medley Relay: B. Sims, A. Yu, P. Kuwata, K. Francis – 4:00.08

SANDPIPER PARENTS STEP UP AT STATE MEET

A Message from the Volunteer Team

The Volunteer Team would to thank all the families that helped time at the State Swim Meet. We had many chairs to fill, and we had some amazing families that stepped up and helped time many hours, especially the middle session families. The following families deserve special recognition for going above and beyond their volunteer requirements at State:

Ashworth Rampoldi
Ludtke Sacco
Mamola Savarda
McDade Smith
Vannah

Thank you again to EVERYONE that stepped up and helped out your time is greatly appreciated.

The Las Vegas Super Finals Invite and Rock the Blocks Winter Championship are this weekend. We will need all hands-on-deck from our membership to run successfully run both competitions. Please remember that there are not many more chances to get your 12 hours of service complete after this weekend.

Want access to your time database, Sandpiper news, workout log and more on the go?

Make sure to download TeamUnify's *OnDeck* app to access to the Sandpipers from your mobile device! (Available in the Apple and Google Play stores)



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