

The Splash Club

News about you and your teammates.

Spirit!

February 2009

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Allison Biddinger

Age: 9

Parents: David and Margaret Biddinger

Hobbies outside the pool: Piano, violin & dance

Favorite food: Shrimp Cocktail

Favorite Book: True Blue

Favorite Swim Event: 50 Breast

Favorite Saying: "Be who you want to be"

Favorite Breakfast before a meet: Chocolate chip pancakes & eggs

Favorite school subject: Reading

Favorite song: "Life is a Highway" by Rascal Flatts

Nickname: Ally

Pets: 2 Cats, Gandy and Shy

When I grow up, I want to be: A veterinarian



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Virginia Drummond

Age: 12

Parents: Ford and Vanessa Drummond

Team: Silver 1

Hobbies outside the pool: Reading, playing with friends & my dog

Favorite food: Hamburgers

Favorite book: Twilight

Favorite swim event: 100 Breast

Favorite saying: "Kill them with kindness"

Favorite Breakfast before a meet: Eggs, bacon and cinnamon roll

Favorite summer activity: Swimming

Favorite school subject: English and Art

Pets: Bart, a dog

When I grow up, I want to be: An artist/writer



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Lisa Freeman

Age: 14

Parents: Bruce and Julie Freeman

Team: Gold 2

Favorite book: Harry Potter , Twilight

Favorite swim event: 1650 Free

Favorite Breakfast before a meet: Chocolate chip muffins

Favorite school subject: Math

Favorite summer activity: Traveling

Nickname: Lisa Bear

Pets: Heidi, a dog

When I grow up, I want to be: An Engineer or Pilot



Each month will spotlight randomly selected swimmers who filled out a questionnaire. If you need another questionnaire, contact Becky Olsen at okolsens@sbcglobal.net.

Swim Cheers

Try this one at your next meet

Down by the river (repeat/echo)
We took a little walk (repeat)
We met up with some teams (repeat)
And we had a little talk (repeat)
We threw them in the river (repeat)
We hung them on a line (repeat)
We can beat the other teams (repeat)

Any old time! (repeat)



GO SPLASH CLUB!

February Birthdays!

Katie Stanley 2/7

Lisa Freeman 2/7


Evan French 2/12

Egan Galvin 2/19 (Sweet 16!)

Sarah Covell 2/23

Splash Club Talent Spotlight

See if you can guess the swimmers who have physical talents other than swimming (as witnessed between events at swim meets).

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1. Who can open a refrigerator with his/her shoulder blade?
 - A. Coach Ben
 - B. Mabel Parker
 - C. Brogan Hansen
 - D. Peyton Stambeck
 2. Who is an expert at popping toes?
 - A. Coach Ben
 - B. Rabeka Lashbrook
 - C. Nathania Santoso
 - D. Egan Galvin
 3. Who can turn his eyelids inside out?
 - A. Coach Ben
 - B. Mason McCauley
 - C. Colton Krause
 - D. John David Lancaster

Answers: 1. C 2. D 3. B

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SwimJokes

Q: Why do you keep doing the backstroke?

A: I just had lunch and don't want to swim on a full stomach!

Q: What kind of race is never run?



A: A swimming race!



"Individual commitment to a group effort -- that is what makes a team work, a company work, a society work, a civilization work."

- Vince Lombardi

Spectacular Saturday Swim!



Spring Break Workouts
with Stroke Emphasis
Mon-Fly, Tues-Back
Wed-Breast, Thur-Free
March 16th-19th
1:15-2:45pm
All teams

The Splash Club *Spirit* is a newsletter just for you. If any Splash Club swimmer has photos, stories, or ideas to contribute, contact Becky at okolsens@sbcglobal.net or put in the swim team mailbox and label it "Newsletter." All suggestions and comments are welcome!