

NEWSLETTER-PLUS

AN OFFICIAL PUBLICATION OF THE NEAAU SWIMMING COMMITTEE

JANUARY, 1977

IN THIS ISSUE: "State of the Union"...A Dual Meet Request....Order Blank for 1977 National Rule Books....A Record....A Recommendation for the Executive Sub-Committee....A Certification Clinic....Rule Changes for OfficialsA Request for Equipment....A Request for Help....Some news about the All-Star Meet....A Personality....More Swimmers Moving Up....and Miscellaneous News.

Scattered throughout the Newsletter you will see items pertaining to the Seniors Meet to be held March 11, 12 and 13 at Southeastern Massachusetts University.

In addition to help at this meet we need the loan of a mimeograph machine for the three days of the meet. The machine will be picked up and delivered back to any club or individual that has one available to loan to the committee.

Entries for the Seniors Meet will be mailed the week of January 24th unless we hear from the University that the details describing the facility are unsatisfactory.

If you have a machine available please contact Glenna Griswold, 48 Brainard Rd, Wilbraham, MA., 01095 or (413) 596-4812.

A DUAL MEET REQUEST

One of the Swim Committee members has forwarded to us a request from the Beaconsfield Bluefins of Montreal to arrange for a dual meet. The team is an Age-Group team and is interested in a reciprocal meet. Anyone interested may contact the team coach at the address below:

Kenneth H. Royds
1935 Tupper St.
Apt. 8
Montreal, H3H1N6
Quebec
Phone: (514) 932-2581

ANOTHER CLUB: Village Green Aquatic Club
c/o Roy Siegfriedt
Village Racquet Club
Route 1
Danvers, MA 01960

Beginning with this issue of the Newsletter, publication will be on the 20th of each month. This will allow problems that come up at the Executive Sub-Committee meetings and solved immediately following these meetings to be conveyed to clubs and subscribers.

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The All-Star Meet will be held at Syracuse University. Qualifiers will come from Age-Group Championships (March 5 & 6) and Seniors (March 11, 12, & 13)

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Meet Managers - Please be prompt in sending your results to the Secretary. The efficiency of the Top Ten Times Chairman, the Age Group and Senior Records Chairman and the availability of information all depend on results being available. We would also like to request that results being sent to the Secretary be sent First Class. A recent meet sent Third Class took almost three weeks to reach our office.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION

At the executive meeting held January 12th a motion was passed to recommend to clubs running "B" and "C" meets that are over-subscribed to cut out-of-district swimmers first.

If you have strong feelings against this recommendation please write a Letter to the Editor of the Newsletter.

The next executive meeting will be February 9th. Agendas will go out the 1st. Any items you want on the agenda should reach this office before that time

We found another cooperative member of the NEAAAU Executive Sub-Committee to tell us a little about himself. We hope you will enjoy reading about BOB PYATT

Bob Pyatt the past Chairman of the New England Competitive Swimming Committee and the present Official Verification Chairman is the Aquatics Director and Swim Coach at the Belmont Hills Country Club.....Bob and his wife, Sue Ellen have no children.....Bob came East 3 1/2 years ago after graduating in 1970 from the University of Iowa and getting his Master's from the same school in 1973.....He was born in Pennsylvania, but his favorite places away from home are Iowa City, Iowa and San Francisco, California..... Bob's favorite sports besides swimming are watching college football and Frisbee although when he has time he also like scuba diving and underwater photography as well as reading and sleeping.....when you see Bob's neat red head purposefully walking down a deck or urging his swimmers to "finish" you would never guess that he tells us his ambition is first to retire.....he does list Councilman's job at Indiana as a second choice and that seems a little more like Bob.....his favorite book is The Rise and Fall of the Third Reich and he would pick an Irwin Shaw book over others given the choice.....Bob gets peeved with swimmers constantly late for practice and confusing high school swimming programs.....on TV he likes Superman, Rich Little and old movies.....he joins several other members of the Executive Committee in his taste for spaghetti and sloppy greasy pizza.....to drink he likes pineapple juice and an occasional Harvey Wallbanger.....those on the NEAAAU Executive Sub-Committee, and hardworking members of Belmont Hill Swim Association and Belmont High School Swim Teams will be flattered to know that they are Bob's favorite people outside his family.....Bob is anxious to fill out Official Verification Cards for many New England Swimmers....The times being verified are for Nationals.

GOING TO NATIONALS???

Meg Jordan of the New England Barracudas qualified for Nationals in the 200 Fly by going 2:08.370 at the Brockton "A" meet on January 1st.

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Paul Parenteau of the Aquamaids and Aquamen reports that a great many towels, t-shirts, warm-up jackets, etc. were left behind after Eastern Sprints. If you are looking for something you may call Paul at (617) 756-3268 or write to him at 128 Brookline St., Worcester, MA 01603.

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I CAN'T BELIEVE THAT NONE OF YOU HAVE ANY NEWS FOR THIS PAPER. PLEASE CONTACT US AT 48 Brainard Road, Wilbraham, MA. 01095 or (413)596-4812

ANOTHER RECORD

Elinor Doty, 10 & Under from the Dedham Morning Starfish set a new New England and Resident Record in the 100 Breast. Elinor's time of 1:22.3 broke the existing record of 1:23.2 set in February 1974. Elinor did her super time at the Eastern Sprints on December 18th in Worcester.

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H E L P !!! We have three issues of Newsletter Plus for Paul Kelley whose address must be wrong in our files. Does anyone know him or his address so that we can send him his Newsletters. He doesn't realize what he has been missing.

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BOYS STATE HIGH SCHOOL CHAMPIONSHIPS WILL BE February 25th & 26th at Springfield College.

Below is an order blank for 1977 rule books. These are the official swimming rules for 1977 and every club should have at least one copy. The Swimming Committee has ordered enough so that anyone in New England who wants a copy should be able to have one.

We are expecting our order shortly. They were supposed to come off the press January 15th. Please fill in all the blanks in the order form.

SENIORS MEET

The committee working on the Senior Championship Meet is anxious to see that the officiating standards are high.

Clubs sending swimmers to this meet are being asked to submit the names of starters, stroke and turn people, lane judges and back-up timers who they feel will do a good job maintaining high standards.

Please send these names to Kim Bierwert, 286 Prospect Street, Northampton, MA 01060.

They are also looking for people to type, work the table, work on scoring, sell programs, and an announcer. There are six sessions of this meet. If we have enough people no one will have to work more than one session.

Each job has been broken down into parts and directions written so that individuals

Seniors cont'd

will know exactly what to do and who to report to.

Clubs are being asked to line up volunteers in advance. By February 15, you will be contacted for names.

If you wish to volunteer before this time, please contact Glenna Griswold or Jean Johnson, 29 Liberty Avenue, Lexington, MA. 02173

NOTES: Please change the address of the Westfield "Y" Whips from 3 Sunbriar Drive to 23 Sunbriar Drive

The Attleboro Bluefish have been mistakenly identified as Bluefins. We are sorry. Please make this correction on your lists.

PLEASE SEND ME _____ COPIES OF THE 1977 NATIONAL AAU SWIMMING RULE BOOK

ENCLOSED IS \$ _____ TO COVER THE COST AT \$3.00 PER COPY.

Mail to: Glenna Griswold, 48 Brainard Road, Milbraham, MA, 01095

NAME _____ STREET ADDRESS _____
CITY _____
STATE _____ ZIP CODE _____

These books will be sent 3rd Class

State of the Union - Joe Thompson

It would seem that our communications problems are pretty much over here in New England. We are now getting the information out to those who want it. The problem I see is those that should receive it are not getting it, namely, Newspapers, industry, contributors to your local program, or people other than swim coaches and swim parents. If we had large advertisers for our Newsletter we could probably afford to send it all over the country, but until then I would like to suggest that clubs try to set up local people and news agencies either by buying them or having them buy a subscription to our Newsletter. This way we can show people other than swimmers that our New England swim organization is and is working.

If you heard rumors to the fact that the Executive Sub-Committee has been having closed meetings I guess we can say it was true, but it was all a mistake. It seems that at the last meeting held Wednesday, January 12th on the 17th floor of the Plaza building in Worcester, some night workers took the liberty of locking the doors to the meeting room area and those that came after the doors were locked were unable to get our attention. This was a sad happening and it held down the productiveness of our meeting.

One strong point brought out at the meeting was the old By-Law problem and I have sent Bob Pyatt of Belmont Hill Swim Association out to solve the two main problems which are:

1. Just what can the Executive Sub-Committee do in changing the rules of New England Swimming?
2. Up-date and take out ambiguities and repeats from our present rules of swimming.

To do this properly is a very difficult task and anyone wanting to help may call B.b or myself with information and/or services.

The "Letters of Intent" should be in your hands by now and should be used for the next swim season. The last meeting has been set up to complete a meet packet and this will be sent to those who have been awarded a meet in the future.

NEW CLUB LISTING:

Marr-Linn Swim Club of Dorchester
c/o Dianne Madden
35 Deer Street
Dorchester, MA 02125

MEET MANAGERS - Please use current club listings to mail your entries. Some clubs and the office are not receiving them because of address changes.

NEWS FROM THE CERTIFICATION CHAIRMAN

Kim Bierwert, Certification Chairman asks that those planning on holding clinics submit an application form by the 3rd day of the month preceding the clinic date to ensure that the clinic may be included in Newsletter Plus. Applications have been sent to all clubs on the Swim Committee. Those who did not receive them and would like one may write Glenna Griswold at 48 Brainard Road, Wilbraham, MA, 01095.

The following are rules changes and /or clarifications included in the 1977 AAU rule books. The rules are in effect beginning January 1, 1977 so all officials should take note.

1. The new backstroke starting blocks (Moriarty Co.) will be allowed for Short Course meets.
2. Breaststroke Rule - The arms extended and drifting apart after the underwater pull and kick and before the head surfaces does not constitute an infraction unless the hands have begun a sideward or downward press - a very subtle judgement so think about this change carefully.
3. Butterfly Rule - Any squeezing of the legs in the straight position shall not constitute an infraction.
4. Counters in individual events of 400 meters or longer except the 100 shall be permitted to use stop watches and may signal (visular or verbal) intermediate times.
5. In Across-the-Board - Place Judging a judge may call a tie if no distinction can be made among the finishes.
6. A competitor shall not be disqualified if the judge calling the infraction does not raise his/her hand.
7. If a race is started and one or more swimmers has used an illegal starting position gone unseen by the Starter, then the swimmer(s) cannot be disqualified by a stroke judge or the Referee.

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Hanover Swim Team will conduct a clinic in February. Interested persons should contact the Hanover Swim Team at the address below for information:

Hanover Swim Team
c/o Joan Astley
Box 1 White River Junction
Vermont, 05701

Cert- cont'd

Certification clinic held in Burlington Vermont.

The clinic, run by Joe was attended by 35 people from the Lake Champlain Swim Club. Fred Blais, club president and others hosting the clinic were pleased at the Friday night and Saturday turnout for the clinic.

Certification Note:

Joe Thompson, the Competitive Swimming Chairman recently attended a two day

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TAKEN FROM THE RESULTS WE HAVE RECEIVED FROM RECENT MEETS, BELOW IS A LIST OF SWIMMERS WHO IMPROVED THEIR TIMES AT THE WHITINSVILLE MINI "C" MEET AND THE SUNRISE "C" MEET. CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL OF THEM.

WHITINSVILLE MINI "C" MEET10 & Under Boys "B" Time

Andy Owen	GISC
Scott Suidema	WGC
Keith Hayes	WBD
Mike Frei	WBD

10 & Under Girls "B" Time

Jeanne Oliva	WGC
Christine Palmer	WGC
S. Ferris	LYM
Shawn Mulcahy	SBST

11-12 Boys "A" Time

Mark Madden	NEB
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11-12 Boys "B" Time

Mark Madden	NEB
Roy Bushey	GISC
Dan Fowler	WBD
Tim Danisienka	GISC
Sean O'Connell	ABF
B. Scalia	LYM

11-12 Girls "B" Time

Tracey Moreau	AMM
MaryLou O'Connor	CCSC
Carolyn Pesare	CRY
Beth Hayes	WBD
Ellen Puishys	WGC
Cynthia Bialicki	WGC

SUNRISE "C" MEET10 & Under Girls "B" Time

Jane Winston	HRV
Beth Harding	MSC
Debbie Donovan	WGAC
Lynne Anderson	MSC
KellyAnne Madden	PSCD
Patty Urdzela	SSC
Debbie Andrade	HRV
Gretchen Hayden	SAC
Karen Griswold	SSC
Kathy White	HRV
Melissa Peters	HRV

10 & Under Boys "B" Time

Brian Letourneau	MSC
Andy Owen	GISC
Andy Fischer	SSC
Scott Suidema	WGC
Mike Frei	WBD
Eric Boulais	SSC
Brian Stephanik	UNATT.
Brian Candido	SSC
Jamie Patillo	SSC
Brian Gauthier	LOBC

11-12 Girls "B" Time

Kari Scott	MSC
Lisa Gentile	UN
J. Flynn	DMS
Karen Fraser	SSC
Lisa Boulais	SSC
Michelle Dube	SSC
Bonnie Arel	HRV
Melissa Quinn	HRV
Alison Akert	MSC
Wendy Anderson	MSC

11-12 Boys "B" Time

J. Brawley	DMS
Jim Dobkowski	UN
Andy French	WYM
Andy Dirats	SSC
John Griffin	SSC

11-12 Boys Sunrise "C" cont

Brian Semle	SSC
Eric Stroshine	SSC
Roy Bushey	GISC
Brian Arsenault	GISC
P. Hemmer	DMS
Tim Danisienka	GISC

13-14 Girls "B" Time

Debbie VanHeynigen	WYM
Jill Cloran	SSC
Rose McCarthy	SSC
C. Cochrane	DMS
Leslie Barlow	SSC
Jackie Suprenaut	TRIY
Kathy Griffin	SSC
Nancy Patillo	SSC
Dawn Zuidema	WGC
C. Cochrane	DMS

13-14 Boys "B" Time

Rich Hennessy	SSC
Dave Letourneau	MSC
Doug Littlejohn	TRIY
Mike Cook	TRIY

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IN THIS ISSUE: New England Meet schedule through April....More swimmers moving up.... State of the Union....An Explanation....Letter to the Editor....New England Games....A distance Swim....Seniors Meet Progress....Free Film Available....More club listings....Club NewsA couple of reminders and miscellaneous news....Address request....

AN EXPLANATION

There still seems to be confusion among clubs about who belongs to the Swim Committee and who doesn't.

The New England AAU is the parent organization for all the AAU Sports Sub-Committees in Massachusetts, Rhode Island, Vermont, and New Hampshire.

The NEAAAU Competitive Swimming Committee is a sport sub-committee whose function is to guide swimming in this area. AAU Swimming Clubs are not automatically members of the Committee. Swimming Committee membership is a separate thing from AAU membership. Only AAU Clubs may belong to the Swimming Committee, but these clubs pay a yearly fee of \$5.00 for twelve month membership. Membership on the Swimming Committee begins and ends in May. Clubs joining mid-year pay the same membership much the same as swimmers joining the AAU pay the same no matter when they join, and their memberships all expire at the end of the year.

This year about half of the AAU Swimming Clubs in New England are Swimming Committee members. This ratio is up from last year. It is the hope of the Competitive Swimming Committee to have a larger ratio in the coming year. Those working on the committee hope that when the time rolls around again for clubs to decide whether or not to join the Swimming sub-committee those clubs that are not members will seriously consider becoming members.

AAU RULEBOOKS

The 1977 AAU Swimming rule books are in and we urge those of you who don't have them to get them. Send a check for \$3.00 made out to: NEAAAU COMPETITIVE SWIMMING COMMITTEE to Glenna Griswold, 48 Brainard Road, Wilbraham, MA. 01095.

Anyone who ordered a rule book and did not receive it should also contact Glenna. We think that all those ordered were mailed, but we have had some odd things happen with various mailings and we never know unless you tell us.

The books are mailed third class.

TOP TEN TIMES

The Top Ten Times Committee is working very hard to stay current so that the times may be published as soon as possible after the end of the season.

The next two Newsletters will have order blanks for TOP TEN TIMES in them. The committee expects to have them ready about three weeks after the end of the season.

ALL ENTRIES TO AGE GROUP CHAMPIONSHIPS THAT ARE PROPERLY POSTMARKED AND HAVE THE RIGHT CUT-OFF TIMES WILL BE ACCEPTED.

News From Clubs:

The Cranston "Y" is very proud of Nancy Galvin, 10 who has made National times in four events:

100 Meter Fly - 1:19.2 at the Barracuda Long Course "A" in August, 1976

50 Yard Fly 31.6 at Eastern Sprints in December, 1976

50 Yard Free 27.7 at the Rhode Island State Championships in January, 1977

100 Yard Fly 1:08.30 at Barracuda " at Brown in January, 1977

Congratulations to a SUPER young swimmer

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The Haverhill Swim Club is sponsoring a Fund Raising Dance on March 5th, 1977 at the Northern Essex Community College in Haverhill, Mass. The "Surrenders will be the starring attraction. Everyone is welcome and we would like to extend an invitation to other clubs to attend. For ticket information contact Mrs. Lovely, 17 Fernwood Ave., Bradford, MA. 01830. Tel: (617) 372-5742 or Mrs. Wentworth, 19 Claremont Ave., Haverhill, MA. 01830, Tel: (617) 372-7503.

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On July 31st there will be an Open Swim from the Boston Light to the New England Aquarium. Swimmers are expected to be able to swim for six hours in order to be allowed in the competition. Each swimmer has a boat assigned to them. There will be a \$30.00 fee for entrance which will be returned once the swimmer shows up at the starting line. Applications to be mailed by June 1st to participants. Anyone interested may contact Jim Doty, Patterson, Wylde & Windeler, Inc., One Washington Mall, Boston, MA. 02108

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News From Clubs cont'd:

The New England Games Committee is being formed for the purpose of organizing an annual multisport competition modeled after the Olympic Games. It is hoped that the event will see competition over a two week span in as many as 30 or more sports and games. In adherence to Olympic tradition and to the Olympic Creed the emphasis will be on participation. Entry will be open to any amateur.

Membership on the committee will be open to anyone willing and able to serve.

The 1977 New England Games will probably be held in Greater Boston in the last two weeks of August or the first two weeks of September.

Anyone who would like to volunteer to help should contact: Charles Ciciarella, 2 Fairmount Terrace, Wakefield, MA. 01880 and include an addressed, stamped envelope. Volunteer may also call (617) 245-1962

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SWIMMERS "C" Continued from back pages

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"B" Times

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Brockton "A" - High Point Winners

Congratulations to the following winners of the High Point Trophies at the Brockton "A" meet on January 1st & 2nd, 1977.

8 & Under

Brian Stephanie UN
Sue Perrone BSC

10 & Under

Mike Landa UN
Nancy Galvin CRY

11-12

Sue Schafer USC
Jay Mahoney NEB

13-14

Jody Ochab CSC
Scott Whitelaw CEC

Open

Elaine Palmer HSYU
Charlie Johnson NEB

More Club Listings:

Mendall P. Clark Memorial
c/o Swim Coach
155 Central Street
Winchendon, MA 01475

Cape Cod YMCA Swim Team
c/o Karen Medve
47 Naubought Rd.
So. Yarmouth, MA 02664

In January there were seven clubs given AAU charters. If anyone has the addresses of these seven clubs we would appreciate hearing from you.

Sign Up To
Work At Seniors

Notice: In a recent issue of the Newsletter we asked that clubs send a roster of their swimmers to the Competitive Swimming Office. We would like the rosters to include birthdates. In addition to having a record for the office these rosters are invaluable to the Top Ten Times committee who find it very difficult to keep track of swimmers in Open events and 10 & Under events at the various meets when the ages of those competing are not included on the results.

WE NEED YOU

REMINDER TO COACHES AND MEET MANAGERS

Coaches please put the ages of your swimmers in the space provided on meet entries.

Meet Managers if you have 10 & Under Events, or Open events at your meet please see that the ages of the swimmers are on the results for at least these events.

Misc.

The New Bedford YMCA likes being a YMCA and requests that those mailing to them address their mail to the YMCA not YMCA.

Another Barracuda Going to Nationals?

Chris Hogan, NEB set a New England Resident Record, a meet record and qualified for Nationals with her 2:08.46 in the 200 Fly at the Barracuda "A" meet.

WORKERS NEEDED FOR SENIORS!!!

THIS YEAR THE SENIORS ARE SPONSORED BY THE NEW ENGLAND COMPETITIVE SWIMMING COMMITTEE. In the past this meet has been run by coaches and officials. This means that the success of the meet as a well run meet depends on every club of the Swimming Committee.

Joe Thompson has taken on the responsibility of acquiring the workers for the meet and is now asking for volunteers to make it go as smoothly as it should. We have a great start with Ginny Gauthier acting as Meet Director on Friday and Jay Cronen acting as meet director on Saturday and Sunday. Dean Poli, Sally Collins and Ed Wingfield will be Referees.

We need Clerks, Program Sellers, Starters, Stroke and Turn Judges, Back-Up Timers, Marshals and Runners. This is your chance to offer your services by contacting Joe Thompson at (617) 853-8143 or writing to him at 6 Pompano Road, Worcester, MA. 01605.

PLEASE DON'T WAIT UNTIL THE LAST MINUTE. HE CANNOT STAND THE SUSPENSE AND HIS ULCERS WILL PROBABLY BEGIN ACTING UP. HURRY AND SEND IN YOUR NAME.

The meet will be held at Southeastern Massachusetts University March 11, 12 & 13.

FREE FILM AVAILABLE

A promotional film on swimming has been given to the NEAAAU Swimming Committee by Phillips 66 and it is yours to use at your clubs if you want it.

It is 16 mm and runs for 26 minutes. If you care to show it in your area please fill out the form at the bottom of this page and send it to Glenna Griswold, 48 Brainard Road, Milbraham, MA. 01095 by March 1. We will send it out to you.

It will be important that you follow directions and send this film back, on or to the next user promptly.

You may ask for more than one day if needed, but put in alternate dates so that we can set up a calendar and all clubs may use it as soon as possible.

LAST MINUTE

At the Barracuda "A" meet a brand new pair of Speedo sweat pants size large. The pants are the bottom of Debbie Sullivan's new sweatsuit. They have three white stripes on the leg and the pocket has a piece of orange cloth sewn in with Debbie's name on them.

If anyone knows where they are please contact Phil Sullivan at (617) 587-6425

SWIMMING FILM

CLUB _____ PRESIDENT _____ TEL. # _____

We would like to use the film on the following date(s): 1st Choice _____

2nd Choice _____ 3rd Choice _____ Please mail this film to me and I will follow your directions by sending it on promptly. I will also let you know how many people viewed the film and any comments pertaining to the value of the film.

Signed _____

Address: _____ State _____ Zip _____

Below is a "LETTER TO THE EDITOR" sent to us by Jay Mogavero, Senior Coach, New England Barracudas. We always welcome comments from our readers.....

The challenge of the next few years is whether we have the wisdom to enrich and elevate swimming on the Senior level and advance the quality of our training programs. Imagination, initiative and indignation will determine whether we build New England Senior Swimming where progress and perfection is the servant of our needs or Seniors where old values and new visions are buried beneath the antiquated undergrowth of tangled, provincial attitudes. For in this time we have the opportunity and obligation to move not only to the Challenging Seniors and the richness of the Regionals, but upward to the greatness of the Nationals.

Swimmers who qualify to compete in our AAU Nationals represent the top 3% of swimmers throughout the world. Without question, this should be one goal of each and every swimmer.

The Nationals must rest high on our list of goals, and it demands an immediate end to negative squabbles, watered down meets and a swimmer's failure to pay the price; to mention but a few of the injustices to the great world of swimming. We hold a distinct honor just to be a part of the long and majestic tradition Of United States Swimming.

The Nationals is a meet where swimmers can find knowledge to enrich their minds and enlarge upon their talents. It is a place where a total commitment to swimming is a welcome change upon which to build and reflect, not a feared cause of boredom and restlessness. It is a place where the excessive desire to achieve serves not only the massive needs of the mind and the demands of the body, but the desire for beauty and hunger for representing the best in a community of excellence. It is a meet where swimmers can renew contact with other aquatic warriors; it is a meet which honors swimming for its own sake and for what it adds to the understanding of its beautiful mystique. It is a place where swimmers are more concerned with the quality of their goals than quantity of their goods. But most importantly, the Nationals is not a security blanket, a resting place, a final objective, a finished work. It is a beautiful challenge constantly renewed, beckoning us toward a destiny where the meaning of our lives matches the marvelous products of our labor.

I write for the dignity of New England Senior Swimming, and its drive for perfection. I urge every member of each faction, swimmers, coaches, and parent to join in that cause.

True, we have come a long way, but a longer road yet remains. The mountain to be climbed is the measure of the tremendous unfinished work of cooperation among all factions.

Swimming, the institution we so proudly represent beneath a gleaming banner of vibrant red, white and blue; and a tradition of excellence which echoes throughout chlorine scented natatoriums; and a driving desire to reach the end of the rainbow: the United States Senior AAU Championships.

Respectfully submitted,

Jay Mogavero

STATE OF THE UNION.....

JOE THOMPSON

New England Competitive Swimming is a very large and complex organization. I am now in a position to appreciate the preceding chairmen of the group knowing that their task was a difficult one. Every decision made has to be weighed and scrutinized for every angle in order to be fair to the majority of swimmers and clubs. I know that if I were doing this alone and completing all that has been done I would have to quit my regular job to find the time.

It is at this time that I want all New England to know that without the help of our secretary, Glenna Griswold, we would not have progressed as far as we are at the present. She has put so many hours into the dedication of helping Swimming that I have fear that she may be recalled any time now by her family. I hope all New England swimmers will get to know Glenna and thank her for her time and efforts when they see her. She will definitely be seen at the Seniors meet working her heart out along with other dedicated parents that will help in making it a success.

I would like all interested coaches to take note of NESCO. Mark O'Reilly is now trying to rebuild the committee back to top form. I feel that the NEAAAU Competitive committee is responsible for NESCO's loss in punch and HE should be responsible for getting it back to normal. NESCO and NEAAAU Swim Committee had a lot in common, especially since the members were practically the same people. They were dedicated to helping our committee run many activities in New England. The New England Swimming Committee then proceeded to take away their usefulness such as Seniors, Top Ten Times, banquets, etc. and now NESCO and Mark O'Reilly are waiting patiently to grow.

I feel that their main purpose and effort in coordinating all officials in all categories was a very worthwhile effort and I hate to see all the work that Dr. Tocci and Dave Cook and others have done go to waste because of lack of interest. If there is someone out there that wants to know more about this, please feel free to contact Mark or myself at any time.

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Dear Editor,

Last year when I was watching the Olympics I got very interested in swimming because I thought it was neat with all those American swimmers winning in all those events. I got so excited that I joined a swim club in my city so that maybe I could make the Olympics when I was older. I have been practicing hard six days a week. I even go to some morning practices. Right now I would like to find out how good I am but my coach tells me that my entry has been rejected every time because all of the "C" meets have been oversubscribed. I don't know what that means, but I know I would rather go back to baseball or other sports where I get a chance to play every so often.

QUITE A FEW SWIMMERS BEGINNING
THIS YEAR

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Letter continued.....

Although the letter on the preceding page is not true, it could have been written this year. We are not running enough "C" meets to accomodate all the swimmers. If your club has this problem, you probably haven't thought that you could run a "C" meet to help us solve it. If you fear the problems of running a meet the Competitive Swimming Committee has developed a packet to help you. From now on we are going to do some double sanctioning of "C" meets with geographic locations in mind. Maybe you could help?

One of the major problems is long course season because we don't have many long course pools. I can only think of eleven. If I miss any would you please let me know. Brown, Springfield, Dover, Cedardale, Hanscom, Manchester, Somerville and Warwick are chlorinated and controlled pools while only Brown and Springfield are enclosed. The others at Gardner, Worcester and Sunset Beach are in ponds and lakes. When you see the summer calendar next month, see if you can fill in the holes. AND, LET ME KNOW.

Joe Thompson

Below is a list of the meets for March and April that have been sanctioned.

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| March 4 & 5 | Age Group Championships , Keefe High School, Framingham, MA.
Contact: Cynthia Parsons, 41 Oldfield Drive, Sherborn, MA
01770 |
| March 5 & 6 | New Bedford YMCA "B" and "C", Southeastern Mass Univ. Pool,
North Dartmouth, MA.
Contact: Trix Whalen, 62 Sherman Street, New Bedford, MA,
02740 |
| March 11,12 & 13 | Senior Championships, Southeastern Mass University, North
Dartmouth, MA
Contact: Glenna Griswold, 48 Brainard Road, Wilbraham, MA,
01095 |
| March 13 | Bedford Community Stars and Stripes Relay Carnival, Bedford
High School
Contact: Mrs. Esther Geehan, 55 Linwood St., Bedford, MA
02155 |
| March 19 & 20 | Hanover Swim Team "A" & "B", Dartmouth College Pool
Contact: Mrs. Joan Astley, Box #1, White River Junction,
VT. 05001 |
| March 26 | Attleboro Bluefish "B" Meet , Attleboro High School Pool
Contact: Mr. Victor Bonneville, 69 Robert St., Attleboro
MA 02703 |
| March 25,26,27 | Region I Championships, Brown University, Providence RI
Contact: New England Barracudas 18 Old Stagecoach Road,
Bedford, MA 01730 |

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Meet List continued

- March 27 Haverhill Mini-Fleet, Haverhill High School, Monument Street,
Haverhill, MA
Contact: William Hardy, 43 Haverhill St., Haverhill, MA 01830
- March 27 Greenwood Memorial "A" Meet, Greenwood Memorial, Gardner, MA.
Contact: Frank Pansienka, 84 Euclid St., Gardner, MA 01440
- April 2 Barracuda and Brookline "C" Meet, Brookline Pool, Tappan Center
Brookline, MA
Contact: Lori Bates, New England Barracuda Secretary, 18 Old
Stagecoach Road, Bedford, MA 01730
- Tentative: Gardner Mini-Fleet at Greenwood Memorial, Gardner, MA.
April 10 Contact: George Erickson, 69 Park Street, Gardner, MA 01440

OUT OF DISTRICT MEET:

- April 8, 9, 10 Orono "A" (some "B") Meet, University of Maine Pool, Orono Maine
Contact: Alan Switzer, Athletic Department, University of Maine
Orono, Maine 04473

There may be one more "C" meet before May. We will put it in the next newsletter as soon as we find out for sure about it.

In the past few issues of the Newsletter we have tried to list swimmers moving up at the various meets when we see the results. In this issue we only have room for one meet that has come in since the last issue. March will have HRY "C" Cape Cod "B", Attleboro "C" and any others we receive. Beginning below is Shawmut "C". 450 individual "B" and "C" cards were issued at this meet.
CONGRATULATIONS SWIMMERS!!!
SHAWMUT "C"

8 & Under Girls "A" Times

A. Cook	QSC
T. Diodati	LOBC
J. Hatem	LYT
P. Hansen	NEB
K. Hoods	MAKY

8 & Under Girls "B" Times

V. Young	QSC
E. Reilly	BHSA
V. O'Connell	HRY
L. Bettez	QSC
A. Owen	QSC
C. Desmarais	SAC

8 & Under Girls cont'd

L. Weaving	UN
J. Lesperance	QSC
R. Bushey	QSC
P. Hansen	NEB
J. Jones	SAC
J. Parnell	UN
D. Frenier	QSC
T. Bryant	QSC
D. Salvatone	DST
D. Fitzgerald	NEB
K. Grady	ATM
L. Tienny	NSYV
K. Hoods	MAKY
M. Callahan	UN

8 & Under Girls cont'd.

P. Cohen	SAC
D. Forand	TRIP
T. Diodati	LOBC

8 & Under Boys"A" Times

M. McSweeney	UN
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"B" Times

D. Kisler	BHSA
D. Robinson	BHSA
D. McSweeney	UN
J. Carter	NEB

cont'd.

SHAWMUT "C" CONT'D8 & Under Boys contd.

P. Cicarelli DST
 A. McLean SBST
 C. Botka UN
 A. Shaw NEB
 J. Schuler UN
 B. Deacon GISC
 D. Eisenhaur CSSM
 E. Frei MBD
 R. Ryan NEB
 M. LeVarn LOBC
 D. Baldwin MBD
 P. Duffy NSVV
 P. Noonan NSVV
 D. McDowell LOBC
 S. Baran NEB
 H. Sullivan LOBC
 D. Mackwell LOBC
 M. Barsanti WAKY

10 & Under Girls"A" Times

L. Jacobs SAC
 K. Belavitch LYH
 M. O'Neil DST
 A. Bates CSSM
 S. Norton NEB
 T. Londay LYH
 L. Gailuis NEB

"B" Times

A. Bates CSSM
 T. Londay LYH
 R. Belevitch LYH
 P. Grady HRY
 J. Winston HRY
 H. Doyle LOBC
 L. McElrath NEB
 G. Pinutoli BHSA
 C. Palmer MGC
 P. Fitzgerald LYH
 H. McCluskey MGC
 K. Andrade HRY
 H. Brown SAC
 H. Gibbons SAC
 D. Crissom DST
 K. Doyle LOBC
 G. O'Neil DST
 J. Olive MGC
 S. Cook QSC
 K. Griswold SSC

10 & Under Girls contd.

P. Urdzela SSC
 S. Norton NEB
 J. VanderStoep WAKY

10 & Under Boys"A" Times

M. Rentz LOBC
 A. Deleo CSSM

"B" Times

T. Callahan SAC
 T. Spendlus DST
 J. Kelley NEDY
 B. Delaney SAC
 J. Collins HRY
 J. Lamothe NEB
 H. Seasholes NEB
 T. Collins HRY
 H. Finnie LOBC
 K. Finch GISC
 H. Hubert LOBC
 H. Pentz LOBC
 D. Scheffer LOBC
 R. Shaw NEB
 A. Deleo CSSM
 B. Gauthier LOBC
 J. Cronen BHSA
 T. Sayers LOBC
 T. Pierce LOBC
 J. Patillo SSC
 R. Melia
 J. Kevorkian WAKY

11-12 Girls"A" Times

P. Leehan NEB
 D. Smith SAC
 S. Melucci LYH
 K. Hesse NEB
 H.E. Belovitch LYH

"B" Times

L. Gelluceio NEB
 C. Ramsdell GISC
 C. Christen NEB
 A. Leehan NEB
 H. Elias NEB
 P. Sullivan UN

11-12 Girls contd

S. Chact UN
 E. Tafuri SAC
 J. McGinnes NEB
 L. McCarthy UN
 J. Little NEB
 C. McLaughlin DST
 C. Morrison GISC
 K. Smokler SAC
 L. Lapointe MGC
 D. Weaving UN
 L. Anderson DHS
 S. Hundley BHSA
 H. Oliva MGS
 E. Grady AMU
 K. Essick BHSA
 C. Bialecki MGC
 R. Judd NEB
 P. Leehan NEB
 A. Callanan NEB
 H. Deedy BHSA
 B. Weigel MBD
 C. Surratt NEB
 J. Fanton NEB
 C. Sheehan NEB
 K. Hesse NEB
 K. Flaherty NEB
 T. Ravanis NEB
 L. Thompson SAC
 K. Pratt UN
 S. Deacon GISC
 C. Sheehan NEB
 B. Anel HEY
 R. Lebreque SSC
 L. Gauthier LOBC
 H. Hansen NEB
 J. Gudeman NEB
 M. T. Murphy NEB
 D. Smith SAC
 K. Gauthier LOBC
 P. O'Connell SAC
 E. Sullivan NEB
 L. Banon NEB
 H. Berkovits SAC
 L. Buchan NEB
 P. Jacobs NEB
 D. McAndrew LYH
 B. Hayes MBD
 K. Whitney NEB
 S. Beck LYH

continued

SHAMMUT "C" CONTD.

11-12 Boys

"B" Times

T. Reid HRY
 B. McElrath NEB
 D. Messer HRY
 D. Bates LOBC
 B. Sullivan SSC
 Ray Bushey GNSC
 Roy Bushey GNSC
 J. Brawley DMS
 R. Pease LOBC
 S. Travers LOBC
 J. Deady DMS
 C. Berriam SAC
 J. Keevil NEB
 R. Jones BGSY
 S. Mann TRIY
 J. Cameron BCSY
 J. Keevil NEB
 T. Danisienka GNSC
 B. Scalia LYI
 E. Sullivan BCSY
 B. Gavin NEB
 C. Hoar DMS
 J. Sullivan BCSY
 M. Johansson LOBC

13-14 Girls

"A" Times

S. Tafuri SAC

"B" Times

K. Edson NEB
 C. Cochrane DMS
 P. Berkovits SAC
 P. Brown NEB
 P. Lannan DST
 D. Zuidema WGC
 H. Nexler SAC
 E. Welch SAC
 S. Cutter NEB
 H. Patillo SSC
 M. Collette UN
 L. Chobanian BHSA
 L. McCluskey WGC
 K. Foley NEB
 N. Lemarbre HBD
 M. Tetreault TRIY
 E. Rippy SAC

13-14 Girls contd.

T. Clouthier QSC
 M. Boulais SSC
 C. Jones SAC
 L. Lloyd SAC
 D. Collin BHSA
 J. Byrne SAC
 J. Finnie LOBC
 S. Sussman NEB
 D. Bates LOBC
 M. Devaney SAC
 L. Kotarski SSC
 E. Strombos SSC
 D. Giguere TRIY
 K. Pierce LOBC
 T. Peeling] NEB
 L. Coderre TRIY
 J. Bartlett SAC
 J. Holmes SAC

13-14 Boys

B. Macko NEB
 T. Zuidema WGC
 J. Landry GNSC
 G. Gailius NEB
 R. Hennessy SSC
 B. Coudreau NEB
 K. Pustis SBST
 R. Christian NEB
 T. Polito SAC
 K. Cloney NEB
 P. Jarvis BCSY
 S. Beaton NEB
 R. Sarson BCSY
 H. Johnson LYI
 T. Cameron BCSY

OPEN GIRLS

"A" Times

L. Buchan NEB
 S. Braverman SAC

"B" Times

V. Caron SAC
 L. Glasheen SAC
 L. Buchan NEB
 D. Collin BHSA
 D. Bates LOBC
 J. Clony NEB
 C. Schippert LOBC

Open Girls contd

Y. McLean SBST
 C. Schwarzer SAC
 C. Holmes SAC
 L. Euchan NEB
 K. Heard SAC
 M. Taxiera HBD
 J. Holmes SAC
 S. Ryan SAC
 S. Braverman SAC
 C. Jones SAC
 S. Gagnon SSC
 V. White SAC
 L. Lloyd SAC
 D. Kuong SAC
 J. Kunian SAC
 L. Petersen BCS
 V. Kotarski SSC
 J. Byrne SSC
 K. Schuppert SAC
 J. Coffi SAC
 E. Doty UN
 D. Giguere TRI
 J. Bartell SAC
 K. Poulaison LYI
 E. Rippy SAC
 L. Johansson] LOE
 M. Foster NEB
 S. Mulcahy SBS
 L. Sevigney LYI
 A. Swartz SAC
 J. Doherty NEB
 S. Beck LYI

OPEN Boys

"B" Times

M. Wade UN
 G. Ryan SAC
 T. Cronin SAC
 J. Doyle NEB
 B. Kutyna NEB
 M. Minutoli BH
 S. Bartell SA
 C. Shedd SA
 R. Sarson BC
 D. Bates LO
 P. Dowd BC
 P. Cura NE
 H. Johnson LY
 J. Pierce UN
 C. Farquet NEB

NEWSLETTER - PLUS

AN OFFICIAL PUBLICATION OF THE NEAAAU COMPETITIVE SWIMMING COMMITTEE

MARCH, 1977

IN THIS ISSUE: All-Star News....Age Group and SeniorsTOP TEN TIMES order blank....
Miscellaneous Club News....More National Swims....An Officials Clinic....
Swimmers moving up....State of the Union....Request for suggestions....
Lost and Found....More meets....A couple of reminders....

OFFICIALS CLINIC

The Cranston YMCA will run an officials clinic for certification at all levels on MARCH 23 at 7:00 PM.

Dr. Smith of Fall River, Mr. Vincent of the Cranston Y and Paul Rossi of the Cranston Y will be doing the clinic.

The Cranston Y is located at 1225 Park Avenue in Cranston. Telephone (401) 943-0444.

SUGGESTIONS NEEDED.....

Currently a committee headed by Mr. Sidney Solomon is looking for ways to finance the New England Competitive Swimming Committee which will make it solvent.

This year the committee will probably break even because the money budgeted for an office last year was not used. However, next year new ways of financing the committee must be found and your suggestions will help the committee form a proposal to be presented to Swimming Committee Members at the May meeting.

Send any suggestions you might have to Sidney Solomon, 25 Knollwood Circle, Longmeadow, MA., 01106 or call the Swim Committee office at (413) 596-4812.

SWIMMING COMMITTEE MEETING.....

THE FINAL DATE FOR THE SWIMMING COMMITTEE MEETING HAS NOT BEEN SET, BUT WATCH FOR THE ANNOUNCEMENT OF THIS IMPORTANT MEETING.

IT WILL BE SOMETIME IN MID-MAY. AT THE MEETING ELECTIONS WILL BE HELD FOR NEXT YEAR'S CHAIRMAN, SOME NEW RECOMMENDATIONS FOR THE NEXT SHORT COURSE SEASON WILL BE MADE AND POLICIES SET. IF YOUR CLUB IS A SWIM COMMITTEE MEMBER AND WANTS A VOICE IN WHAT IS HAPPENING, MAKE SURE THEY ARE REPRESENTED.

TOP TEN TIMES

The deadline for results to be included in the TOP TEN TIMES for this short course season is March 31. All others will be included in the next short course season.

Teams are reminded that copies of your rosters should be sent to the Swim Committee office immediately. Birthdates should be included.

Because of the recent Seniors Meet and the Swim Committees involvement, requests for information, etc. coming into the office had to be put aside until the paper work with Seniors was finished. We are now in the process of catching up again and hope you will forgive any delays....* * * * *

There are still a few rule books available to those who want them. Write to this office.

An order blank is available in this issue and will also be in the next issue for ordering TOP TEN TIMES. The publication will be available in late APRIL

REMINDER.....BIDS FOR SHORT COURSE SEASON MEETS WILL BE DUE JUNE 1, 1977. THIS WILL INCLUDE MEETS TO BE RUN SEPTEMBER THROUGH DECEMBER, 1977. JANUARY THROUGH APRIL, 1978 ARE DUE OCTOBER 1, 1977

THE ALL-STAR MEET

The All-Star meet which will be held on Saturday, April 9, 1977 against the Niagara Association at Syracuse University is in the final stages of planning.

Swimmers will spend the night at Sheraton Inn on Electronics Parkway in Syracuse. The motel has a pool and will serve a breakfast buffet on Sunday morning after the meet. On the way home the group will tour Howe Caverns.

Coaches for the All-Star team will be:

GIRLSBOYS

Joe McGuire	- Shawmut Aquatic Club	Debbie Mogavro	- NEW ENGLAND BARRACUDAS
Kim Bierwert	- Hampshire Regional Y	Mark O'Reilly	- BROCKTON COMMUNITY SCHOOL Y

Below are a few things All-Star swimmers should be aware of:

1. Busses will leave the parking lot of the Yankee Drummer Motel and Restaurant adjacent to the Mass Pike entrance #6 (Auburn) on Rte. 20 in Auburn at 8:30 AM.
2. There will be a stop in Springfield. Details are being worked out.
3. Swimmers will arrive in Syracuse at approximately 3:00 PM. The meet will begin at 4:30 PM.
4. Swimmers will have dinner and breakfast at the motel and will stop at Howe Caverns on the way home.
5. The busses are expected back at the Yankee Drummer at 7:30 PM on Sunday.
6. If there is a change in bus time back, Mrs. Schafer will know about it after 3:00 PM on Sunday and may be contacted at (617) 393-8940.
7. Those swimmers wishing to attend church on Sunday will be able to do so.
8. Swimmers should bring with them either money or a bag lunch on Saturday, and enough money for dinner on Saturday, breakfast and lunch on Sunday and personal needs and souvenirs.
9. All-Star T-Shirts will be given to those going on the trip.

Below is a tentative list of the swimmers going. If you are on the list and shouldn't be, or if you are not on the list and should be please contact either Dick Shafer (617) 393-8940 or Glenna Griswold 413-596-4812.

9-10 Girls

M. Powers	MELY
E. Doty	UI
A. Dembek	HPY
A. Josephson	CLPC
K. Murphy	NEB
M. Dion	CRY
L. Stuart	MEYD
K. Moxgminy	CLSC
S. Kuong	SAC
J. Lemone	MSYM

9-10 Boys

B. Padulo	NEB
P. Kane	HPY
G. Moll	NEB
D. Benson	LOBC
S. Ray	DYD
W. Hayes	MBD
F. Boulais	SSC
J. Spendly	DST

11-12 Girls

B. Letourneau	MSC
M. Kotarski	SSC
P. Burke	DYD
S. Schafer	UI
M. Bresnahan	NEB
M. Camarra	MSC
M. Samsel	HPY
J. Morrill	SAC
L. Ferande	BCSY
M. Galvin	CRY
S. Frietas	CCSC
A. Lamb	NEB

ALL-STAR TRIP CONTINUED11-12 BOYS

J. Griffin SSC
 J. Ehrlich NEB
 B. Dembek HPY
 S. Puitter NEB
 D. DuBerger CCSC
 S. Hayes BHSA
 T. Reid HPY

13-14 GIRLS

TMoll CCSC
 J. Ochab CCSC
 S. Harris NEB
 S. Harbern USC
 A. Dazan SSC
 L. Heisey UII
 J. Chase AMI
 V. Garon SAC
 L. Bayer SAC

13-14 BOYS

P. Jarvis BCSY
 C. Johnson NEB
 D. Mowry BSC
 C. Fraser SSC
 M. Cohen SAC
 C. Fuller BHSA

The roster for the 15-18 age group is incomplete at this date.

THIS MEET WILL BE FULLY CHAPERONED. THERE WILL BE EIGHT ADULT CHAPERONES ON THE TRIP.

Meets for April....

- April 2 Barracuda and Brookline "C" Meet, Brookline Pool, Tappan Center, Brookline, MA
 Contact: Lori Bates, New England Barracuda Secretary, 18 Old Stage-coach Road, Bedford, MA 01730
- April 10 Gardner Mini-Meet at Greenwood Memorial, Gardner, MA
 Contact: George Erickson, 69 Park Street, Gardner, MA 01440
- April 16 Rhode Island Coaches "C" and "B" at the Cranston Y, Cranston, Rhode and 17 Island
 Contact: Mrs. Donald McCann, 27 Lee Road, Barrington, R.I. 02806
- April 24 TRI-Y "C" Meet, at Southbridge Y"CA, Southbridge, MA.
 Contact: Jeff Archambault , Everett Street, Southbridge, MA 01550 (TRI-Y)

Club News

Haverhill Swim Club reports that their 8 & Under Relay Team for girls took second place in the District Championships on Feb. 25,26,& 27. Individual 8 & Under awards went to Michelle Hardy, and Pam Lovely. The relay swimmers were Michelle Hardy, Kristen Thompson, Heidi Hannenian and Pam Lovely.

In Class D, the Medley Relay team of Jane Phillips, Laura Downing, Carolyn Measey and Kathlenn Viglione took a 3rd. Laura Downing and Jane Phillips scored individual places.

BOYS HIGH SCHOOL

As expected the Boy's State Championship went to CATHEDRAL HIGH SCHOOL of Springfield coached by Pat Dardeene. LOUGHEADON HIGH SCHOOL coached by Mark Michelson scored a second place upset over B.C. HIGH with a tremendous freestyle relay finish.

CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL THE BOYS !!!

At the Danvers "A" Meet held on February 20th and 21st, the following individuals took the High Point Trophies:

10 & Under Girls:	Elinor Doty -U!
10 & Under Boys:	Jonathan Rowe (Stamford)
	Bobby Padulo -NEB
11-12 Girls:	Susan Schafer -U!
11-12 Boys:	Patrick Kennedy (North Baltimore)
13-14 Girls:	Jody Ochab- CCSC
13-14 Boys:	Scott Whitelaw -CCSC
	Chris Weissman (Westport)
15-18 Girls	Kate McCoy (Stamford)
15-18 Boys	Greg Bates - NEB
High Point Team Girls:	Stamford
High Point Team Boys	New England Barracudas

There were 13 New England Records broken at the Danvers Meet.

MORE NATIONAL TIMES:

At Seniors, Sabrina Cronen - NEB made National cuts in the 500 yard freestyle and the 1650 yard freestyle with times of 5:02.51 and 17:10.30 respectively.

Chris Hogan - NEB again made National Cut with 2:07.48 in the 200 Yard Fly.

DON'T FORGET
THE
MAY MEETING

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STATE OF THE UNION.....Joe Thompson

Gone are the days of the small entries at Seniors. The Seniors meet held at Southeastern Massachusetts University this year had its full complement of entries for a full Championship Meet. The meet was a success and I was pleased with all that occurred.

The competition was fierce and the decision for the men's high point team winner was not determined until the last relay.

I want to thank all of the swimmers for their total cooperation at the meet. Their cooperation was the biggest reason for the smoothness of the meet itself.

The Seniors were not without problems though, and I appreciated the coaches, swimmers and parents for accepting what inadequacies we had without too much harrassment. Our biggest problem came when we found we could not install touch pads at the meet because of the type of starting blocks at SMU. But, thanks to Paul McNamara (SSC) for solving the problem by finding other systems that we could use. My thanks go to Dick Lennon at Medford and Ed Reed of Brown for the loan of their systems. The latter had split readouts that were a big hit with the swimmers.

Lastly I want to thank all of the parents that assisted at the meet. Although I may have sounded like all parents were shirkers, I will say that this has been the best senior meet for parent participation without gripes I have seen. It was noticable that some coaches of participating clubs had parents available at the meet to make it easy for me to assign lanes and key positions. I thank you very much.

The largeness of this meet points out the importance of me appointing a Seniors Chairman for next year. At the present time I have no one in mind, so I would like you coaches to find some member of your team that knows the importance of Seniors and give their names to me for consideration.

See you at Region I.

Mother Note on Seniors.....

Because of the need to use parents for timing we were understaffed on the secretarial end of the meet. Jo Ann Thompson, Joe's youngest daughter, worked above and beyond the call of duty helping with the paperwork. Besides being our chief runner and "go-for" during all six sessions she also helped seed, print and collate programs into the early morning hours for three days. From me, a special thanks to Jo Ann.....

Glenna Griswold

NEWS FROM CLUBS.....

At the Boys Club Sectional Championships for Boys in Waltham on February 11 and 12 Lowell Boys Club was first in the 15-18 age group, second in the 13-14 age group, first in the 11-12 age group and tied with South Boston in 10 & Under for high points.

One month later at Sectionals for girls LOBC's 13-14 age group girls took first, 11-12 age group girls took second and 10 & Under age group girls took fourth.

CONGRATULATIONS LOBC.....

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Below are the point scores for clubs at Seniors.....

<u>WOMEN</u>	<u>CLUB</u>	<u>POINTS</u>
90	Brockton Comm School Y	67
28	Belmont Hill	5
-0-	Brown Swim Club	421
99	Cape Cod Swim Club	6
4	Cranston Y	-0-
123	Danvers Y	95
28	Fall River Y	-0-
174	Hampshire Regional Y	7
-0-	Lowell Boys Club	13
13	Lawrence Y	-0-
11	Manchester Swim Team	55
468	New England Barracudas	261
100	North Shore Swim Club	-0-
107	Shammut Aquatic Club	277
-0-	Seekonk Dolphins	28
230	Sunrise Swim Club	421
-0-	Waltham Boys Club	1
146	Worcester Swim Club	105

High Point Girls

1. Jody Ochab CCSC 76
2. Chris Hogan NEB 70
3. Sheila Dembek HPY 63

High Point Boys

1. Kendall McCarthy SSC 65
2. Jim Phelan BSC 60
3. Flip Sleeman BSC 56

High Point Girls Team

1. New England Barracudas 468
2. Sunrise Swim Club 236
3. Hampshire Regional Y 174

Seniors cont....

High Point Boys Team

1. Sunrise Swim Club 421)
- Brown Swim Club 421) TIE
3. New England Barracudas 261

Age Group Championships.....

High Point Team Scores Girls

1. Shammut Aquatic Club 179
2. Cape Cod Swim Club 101
3. New England Barracudas 99

High Point Team Scores Boys

1. New England Barracudas 228
2. Shammut Aquatic Club 133
3. Lowell Boys Club 130

Individual High Point

<u>Girls</u>	<u>Age Group</u>	<u>Boys</u>
K. LaChance CLBC	8 & Under	J. Brown BSC
E. Doty DMS	10 & Under	B. Padulo NEB
S. Schafer LPI	11-12	B. Dembek HPY
J. Ochab CCSC	13-14	S. Whitelaw CCSC

A Correction..... On Age Group Championship results Mac LeVarn of LOBC in the 8 & Under Age Group had an individual total of 18 points.

Get your clubs on the May agenda - Send them to Joe Thompson or Phyllis Groswald

With this issue we will try to catch up on swimmers moving up. Included are Cape Cod "B", Greenwood Memorial "B" and "C", Hampshire Regional "C" Community Stars and Stripes "B" and Attleboro "C". A glance at the number of improvements in any one of these meets illustrates graphically the need for more of all classes of meets.

CONGRATULATIONS SWIMMERS !!!

Cape Cod "B" 1/9/77

<u>1650 Only</u>	
Girls "AA"	
T. Toll	CCSC
J. Ehsary	BCSY
M. Bresnahan	NEB
"A"	
S. Kitchen	FPY
D. DuBerger	CCSC
D. Sullivan	BCSY
Boys "A"	
J. Willis	BCSY
P. Pope	BCSY
R. Sarson	BCSY
<u>10 & Under Girls</u>	
"A"	
T. Landry	LYM
K. Belavitch	LYM
S. Cook	OSC
M. Chalifoux	MSC
D. Scott	MSC
J. Collins	CCSC
S. Cass	BCSY
<u>10 & Under Boys</u>	
"A"	
G. Toll	NEB
C. Crowley	SAC
P. Burke	LOBC
D. Meene	BCSY
B. Lataille	TRIY
S. Larabee	NEB
S. Harrington	DST
J. Johnson	ABF
D. Williams	UN
<u>11-12 Girls</u>	
"A"	
S. Smith	FRY
J. Cloney	NEB
K. Hesse	NEB
K. Hayden	SAC
P. Gallent	MBD
D. Deignan	NEB
S. Ryan	SAC

(cont'd)

11-12 Girls CCSC
(cont'd)

S. Beck	LYM
J. Morrison	LYM
L. Sevigny	LYM
<u>11-12 Boys</u>	
"A"	
R. Sherman	ABF
J. Ehrlich	NEB
D. Landry	LBC
K. Fleming	DMS
T. Reid	FPY
E. Sullivan	BCSY
D. DuBerger	CCSC
<u>13-14 Girls</u>	
"A"	
H. Walz	CCSC
G. Penhane	NEB
D. DuBerger	CCSC
L. Munise	BCSY
P. McHamara	BCSY
J. Ehsary	BCSY
D. Sabina	BCSY
L. Mitchell	GYSC
D. Gallagher	MSYV
D. Williams	BCSY
<u>13-14 Boys</u>	
"AAA"	
S. Whitelaw	CCSC
"A"	
M. Shippert	LOBC
K. Hunt	LOBC
J. Willis	BCSY
D. Sarson	BCSY
J. Moran	BHSA
E. Melanson	OSC
M. Cohen	SAC
P. Jarvis	BCSY
J. Doyle	NEB
T. Cronin	SAC
C. Clark	LYM
T. Cameron	BCSY

OPEN GIRLS CCSC

"A"	
S. Reid	HPY
K. Tobiason	BHSA
L. Tulimiert	MSYV
L. Lloyd	SAC
S. Stevens	SAC
K. Shuppert	SAC
P. Paine	NEB
D. DuBerger	CCSC
<u>OPEN BOYS</u>	
"A"	
M. Tetreault	TRIY
D. Beals	TRIY
B. Johansson	LOBC
M. Paine	NEB
P. Pope	BCSY
P. Jarvis	BCSY
B. Temme	NEB
C. Farquet	NEB
C. Fuller	BHSA

GREENWOOD MEMORIAL
"B" 1/16/77

8 & Under Girls

"A"	
T. O'Dea	GM
P. Gauvin	MASHY
V. Young	GYSC
D. Nestor	MASHY
J. Strojny	CSC

8 & Under Boys

"A"	
K. Ralph	SBC
B. Cohurn	MASHY
D. Slavin	CSC
T. Griesner	MAKY
M. LeClerc	ECBS

10 & Under Girls

"A"	
T. Landry	LYM
K. Dolan	SBC
J. Oliva	MCC

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10 & Under Girls
cont'd)

M. Chalifoux	MSC
K. Harr	UN
K. Belavitch	LYM
K. Viglione	HYST

10 & Under Boys

"A"	
B. Richards	ECBS
C. Zuidema	MCC
J. Dufour	SBC

11-12 Girls

"A"	
C. Schinpert	LOBC
M. Cloutier	OSC
L. VanUrmerson	MSYV
D. Manfreda	MSC
J. Morrison	LYM
A. Meymaris	MSC
L. Cutter	MAKY
L. Sevigny	LYM
C. Ramsdell	GYSC
S. Beck	LYM

11-12 Boys

"A"	
D. Arsenault	GYSC
T. Belletete	

13-14 Girls

"A"	
L. Mitchell	GYSC
K. Hatem	LYM
K. Tobiason	LYM
P. Burns	ECBS

13-14 Boys

"A"	
H. Johnson	LYM
P. Louis	HYMCA

15-18 Girls

"A"	
K. Viglione	HYMCA
C. Sullivan	LYM
K. Alexandrowicz	GYSC
C. Sullivan	LYM

MORE STRIPES MOVING UP!!!!

HAMPSHIRE Y "C"

1/16/77

10 & Under Girls

"B"
 J. Billins HYH
 B. Hardin MSC
 K. White HPY
 M. Kennedy HPY
 M. Peters HPY
 S. VanMeter HYH

10 & Under Boys

"A"
 E. Andrew DUX
 S. Zuidema MSC
 "B"
 M. Buonomo GYSC
 M. Sommerville NEB
 K. Hilt HPY
 T. Callahan SAC
 J. Collins HPY
 S. Georgoulis LOBC
 K. Flynn HPY
 M. Monfredo MSC

11-12 Girls

"A"
 A. Akert MSC
 "B"
 C. Girouard GYSC
 L. Borlund MSC
 M. Thurber TRIY
 A. Martocci SBST
 B. Arel HPY
 D. Tetreault TRIY
 M. Anderson MSC
 A. Akert MSC
 E. Offner HPY

11-12 Boys

"A"
 T. Reid HPY
 "B"
 D. Fesser HPY
 T. Holland MSC
 P. Clarkson GYD
 T. Reid HPY
 J. Dobkowski UN

13-14 Girls

"B"
 J. Benoit HYH
 J. Rockliff HPY
 P. Brown NEB
 K. Leck TRIY
 C. Pentheny NEB
 S. English HYH

13-14 Boys

"B"
 P. Clark LOBC
 C. Reid HPY
 M. Cook TRIY
 C. Burke LOBC
 D. Littlejohn TRIY

OPEN GIRLS

"B"
 S. VanHevniagen HYH
 S. Gardiner HPY
 M. Quinn HPY
 A. Swartz SAC

OPEN BOYS

"B"
 E. Lizotte HYH
 D. Driscoll DUS
 J. Collins HPY

COMMUNITY STARS & STRIPES "B" 1/28/77

10 & Under Girls

"A"
 C. Wexler SAC
 P. Schuld ABF
 A. Bates CSSC
 D. Donovan MSC

10 & Under Boys

"A"
 P. Tibbetts UN

11-12 Girls

"A"
 J. Towle UN
 J. Cloney NEB
 L. Bonneville ABF
 M. T. Murphy NEB
 P. O'Connor CCSC
 J. Fellbaum SBST
 H. Wilson SBST

11-12 Boys

"A"
 D. Pomerleau UN

13-14 Girls

"A"
 L. Stetson SAC
 C. Jones SAC
 S. Mulcahy SBST

13-14 Boys

B. Bonneville ABF
 J. Weiss SAC

GREENWOOD MEMORIAL

"C" 2/29/77

8 & Under Girls

"A"
 D. LeFrenier GY
 A. Sosik TRIY

"B"

K. Quelch ECB
 M. Arruda BSC
 L. Galante BCSY
 C. Tardo CED

J. Hagen ECB
 B. Handlin ECB
 M. Martocci SBST

L. Gustafson ECB
 L. Moore GY
 B. Carmody MSC
 D. LaFrenier GY
 L. Moore GY
 J. Strojny CED
 C. Tardo CED

L. Rettencourt CED
 K. Silva MSC
 M. Bernard GY
 A. DiLardi MBD

8 & Under Boys

"A"
 J. Detarando TRIY
 "B"
 M. King CED
 J. Detarando TRIY
 T. Lunaczyk GY
 D. Slavin CED

8 & Under Boys (contd)

T. Broukas BCSY
 M. King CED

10 & Under Girls

"B"
 M. Picard LYD
 S. Burns LYD
 M. Joly BSC
 J. Martocci SBST
 L. Christensen LYD
 J. Quelch ECB
 S. Ferris LYD
 M. Danato LYD
 K. Theriot LYD

10 & Under Boys

"B"
 J. Lafferiere LYD
 C. Minor GY
 C. Yard MSC
 D. Smith MBD
 B. Lataille TRIY
 L. Letourneau MSC
 C. Hadwen ECB
 M. Monfredo MSC

11-12 Girls

"A"
 B. Gibson TRIY
 "B"

S. Deacon GY
 K. Gauthier LOBC
 L. Borlund MSC
 J. Desmarais GY
 A. Uzzo BCSY

K. Scott MSC
 C. Girouard GY
 B. Costello BCSY
 K. McBride LYD
 D. Theriot LYD
 K. O'Brien ECB

11-12 Boys

"B"
 K. Latona TRIY
 C. Ferriam SAC
 B. Arsenault GY
 C. Swirbliss TRIY

Still more swimmers moving up.....

GREENWOOD MEMORIAL
"C" (cont'd)13-14 Girls

"B"	
L. Harr	ECB
D. Deacon	GM
P. Burns	ECB
K. Kidd	TRIV
C. Handlin	ECB
J. Gardner	ECB
A. Donato	MSC
K. Hartsell	BCSY

13-14 Boys=

"B"	
J. Landry	GM
A. Landry	LABC
J. De'leo	GM
P. Clark	LOBC

15-18 Girls

"B"	
J. Harmon	LYM
A. Picard	LYM
S. Harmone	LYM

15-18 Boys

"B"	
J. Hill	ECB

ATTLEBORO "C"
2/5/778 & Under Girls

"A"	
P. Kapper	SSC
M. Pray	NSA
M. Salvatore	DST
E. Reilly	BHSA
J. Strojny	CSS

"B"

B. Carmody	MSC
E. Reilly	BHSA
G. Tardo	CSS
P. Pray	NSA
K. Silva	MSC
M. Hoy	FRY
K. Walsh	NSA
J. Strojny	CSS
M. Arruda	BSC
P. Brown	BSC
M. Nello	ABF
K. Grady	AMM

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8 & Under Girls
cont'd

M. Rauhut	NEB
K. Simons	BSSC
D. LaChance	ABF

8 & Under Boys

"A"	
M. Levie	BCSY
D. Ellinwood	MAKY
J. Carter	NEB
M. Kapp	BCSY
T. Griesmar	MAKY

"B"

M. Barsanti	MAKY
T. Corcoran	BCSY
B. Fullerton	BSSY
D. Ellinwood	MAKY
M. Kelleher	BCSY
J. Carter	NEB
J. Benjamin	BCSY
C. Kine	DST
D. Slavin	CEDAR
D. Peilly	BHSA
T. Griesmer	MAKY
J. Coyne	GYSC
M. Levie	BCSY
M. Buckley	MAKY
T. Peterson	LOBC
D. Sack	BCSY
M. Vinkus	BCSY
T. Droukas	BCSY
C. Kelley	CSS
C. Hull	MAKY

10 & Under Girls

"A"	
L. Whalen	CCSC

"B"

K. Demoor	GYSC
M. Brown	SAC
M. McCluskey	HCC
M. Maughton	GYSC
C. Minutoli	BHSA
P. Grady	AMM
M. O'Neil	DST
S. Marrieur	ABF
M. Torres	FRY
E. Vergano	ABF
S. Prescott	NSA

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10 & Under Girls
cont'd

M. McSally	BSC
L. Whalen	CCSC
B. Dromsky	ABF
M. Kine	DST

10 & Under Boys

"A"	
T. Handfield	BSC
A. Fischer	SSC
D. Meene	BCSY

"B"

T. Corcoran	BCSY
A. Sack	BCSY
M. Hubert	LOBC
M. Monfredo	MSC
A. Fischer	SSC
J. Rusher	NSA
T. Williams	BSSY
T. Handfield	BSC
T. Schippert	LOBC

11-12 Girls

"B"	
L. Simons	BSSC
T. Murphy	NEB
K. Whitney	NEB
L. Hansen	NEB
C. Surret	NEB
L. Jacobs	SAC
L. Boulais	SSC
K. Gauthier	LOBC
J. St. Pierre	FRY
H. Hansen	NEB
H. Berkovits	SAC
E. Sullivan	NEB
J. McGinnis	NEB
C. Schippert	LOBC
J. Flynn	AMM
L. Bonneville	ABF
S. Pratt	FRY

11-12 Boys

"B"	
J. Griffin	SSC
J. Brawley	DMS
J. Bowers	SSC
S. Travers	LOBC
T. Ferrari	CCSC
J. Schuld	ABF
J. Deady	DMS
P. Bushey	CCSC

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11-12 Boys cont'd

C. McDonald	NEB
B. Benjamin	BCSY
C. Merriam	SAC
J. Dobkowski	UN
K. La'arshe	GYSC
R. Connor	BCSY
J. Hoar	DMS
D. Hjerpe	ABF
D. McDonald	NEB
A. Tong	NEB
B. Besse	CCSC

13-14 Girls

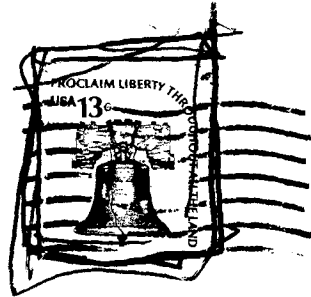
"B"	
L. Barlow	SSC
J. Cloren	SSC
L. McCarthy	
C. Cochrane	DMS
K. Fegley	SSC
C. Heath	GYSC
D. Barrett	BCSY
D. Zuidema	HCC
S. Pratt	FRY
K. Curtis	GYSC
K. Williamson	NEB
M. St. Pierre	FRY
K. Hierpe	ABF

13-14 Boys

"B"	
P. Dowd	BCSY
T. Connors	NSA
D. Mahoney	NSA
M. Vergano	ABF
M. Macsko	NEB
B. Goudreau	NEB
T. Kelleher	BSSY
C. Bourke	LOBC
K. Evans	NEB
S. Jacobsen	CCSC
H. Hungerford	ABF

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Longmeadow, MA 01106



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NEWSLETTER - PLUS

AN OFFICIAL PUBLICATION OF THE NEAAAU COMPETITIVE SWIMMING COMMITTEE

APRIL, 1977

IN THIS ISSUE: Summer Meet List.....1977 Time Standards (These start on June 1, 1977 in New England).....Certification Clinic....May Semi-Annual Meeting Date... All-Star T-Shirts....Swimmers Moving Up....State of the Union....News from Clubs....More Club Addresses....Corrections from Last Month.... Reminders....

SEMI-ANNUAL MEETING TO BE MAY 11

The Semi Annual Meeting of the NEAAAU Competitive Swimming Committee will be held Wednesday, May 11 in the conference room of the Administration Building of Quinsigamond Community College in Worcester.

In addition to electing a chairman for the coming year clubs will have a chance to make into "law" recommendations that have been suggested by the Executive Committee during this year.

In the first week of May all member clubs will receive an agenda along with all the items to be voted on. To make this meeting a productive one please review these items and be ready to discuss them rationally not emotionally.

This years committee has forty-seven members. Those wishing to join the committee for next year may do so at the meeting. Elections will be held with those clubs who are members plus the executive committee voting. Each club will receive a ballot to write on at the meeting.

Please try to attend this important meeting.

CERTIFICATION CLINIC

The East Coast Blues will run a certification clinic on May 15 (Sunday) for Timer, Stroke and Turn, Starter and Referee. The clinic will begin at 4:30 PM.

Anyone interested in attending this clinic should contact:

Larry Harr
6 Prospect Ct.
Dover, NH 03820

Phone: (603) 749-2466

ALL-STAR TEE SHIRTS

There are some tee-shirts left over from the All-Star trip that are now available at \$4.50 each on a first come, first served basis to the following people:

1. Those who actually made the trip and would like to buy another shirt.
2. Those who made 1st - 3rd in an All-Star event but could not attend because they were going to Nationals, National J.O.'s, or "Y" Nationals.

If you would like one of these Tee Shirts send a check made out to: NEAAAU Competitive Swimming to Glenna Griswold, 48 Brainard Road, Wilbraham, MA., 01095.

Please include size desired. We have

All-Star Tee Shirts cont.

available 1 ex. lg. (46-48), 19 lg (42-44), 2 med. (38 -40), 5 small (34-36) and 4 children size 14 - 16

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CORRECTIONS

There were several mistakes in last month's Newsletter Plus reporting of Age Group and Senior Championships. Below are the ones I know about:

Jim Ehrlich, MEB, tied with Bobby Dembek, HRY, for the 11-12 Boys High Point Trophy.

Cumberland Lincoln Boys Club took second place for the Girls High Point Team Score not Cape Cod as reported. Cape Cod took third.

The High Point Boys Team (Third Place at Seniors) went to Shawmut Aquatic with 277 points not New England Barracudas as reported.

ADDITIONAL CLUBS FOR YOUR LIST

Addison Area Swim Team
c/o Mrs. S.H. Brydon
30 Pleasant Street
Bristol, VT 05443

East Side YMCA
c/o Ms. Leisa Bone Swim Coach
438 Hope Street
Providence, RI 02906

Dalton CRA Youth Team
c/o Phylliss Hoxie
Dalton, MA 01226

Address Changes:

Brockton Comm School Y Swim Team
c/o Mark O'Peilly
470 Forest Ave.
Brockton, MA 02401

Dover Bluefins
c/o Michael W. Balok
P. O. Box 671
Dover, NH 03820

THE TOP TEN TIMES BANQUET IS TENTATIVELY SET FOR JUNE 5th AT ROCKY POINT IN RHODE ISLAND. THERE WILL BE MORE INFORMATION ON THIS COMING OUT SHORTLY. WATCH FOR IT.

NEWS FROM CLUBS

Nancy Galvin of Cranston, swimming for the Cranston YMCA in the girls 9-10 age group, set three New England records and one national mark on April 2 in the New England YMCA Championship Swimming Meet at Brown University.

In the 50 yard freestyle, she set a national and New England record with a time of 27.3. She also set New England marks in the 50 yard backstroke - 33.4 and the 50 yard butterfly - 30.7. In the boys 9-10 category, Paul Mangilli of Cranston finished first in the 100 yd. IM with a 1:12.0 and the 100 yd. Freewith a 1:05.0.

The Haverhill Swim Club is pleased with their recent Mini-Fleet and would like to acknowledge the assistance in timing and officiating by members of the Danvers Y Dolphins, Brown Swim Club, Salem Boys Club and Village Green Aquatic Club. In particular they would like to acknowledge the efforts of Pat Bresnahan of the New England Barracudas for the fine job she did as one of their Stroke and Turn Judges.

THE EAST COAST BLUES OF DOVER NEW HAMPSHIRE are looking for B and C level dual meets against interested teams. They have available a six-lane pool and would welcome any inquiries. Those interested should contact: Mr. Charles Watkins
5 Strafford Lane
Dover, NH 03820
Phone: (603) 742-7601

Trix Whalen of the New Bedford Y writes that the help of her many volunteers in running New Bedford's "B" and "C" meets were invaluable. She also mentions that without Dr. Smith of Fall River they would have been lost.

RESULTS OF THE ALL-STAR MEET WILL BE PUBLISHED IN THE NEXT ISSUE OF NEWSLETTER PLUS. THE KIDS DID A SUPER JOB WINNING FOR NEW ENGLAND.

MEET SCHEDULE - SUMMER, 1977

- May 21 and 22
Saturday and Sunday AGE GROUP "A" (Long Course)
Facility: Brown University, Providence Rhode Island
Contact: Mr. Edward Reed, Brown Swim Club, Box 1874
Brown Univ., Providence, P.I. 02912
- May 29
Saturday Age Group "B" (Long Course)
Facility: Brown University, Providence, Rhode Island
Contact: Mr. Edward Reed, Brown Swim Club, Box 1874
Brown Univ., Providence, Rhode Island. 02912
- May 29
Sunday AGE GROUP "C" (Long Course)
Facility: Brown University, Providence Rhode Island
Contact: Mr. Edward Reed, Brown Swim Club, Box 1874
Brown Univ., Providence, P.I. 02912
- June 11 and 12
Saturday and Sunday AGE GROUP "C" (Short Course)
Facility: Keefe High School, Framingham, MA.
Contact: Cynthia Parsons, 41 Oldfield Drive, Sherborn,
MA, 01770
- June 18
Saturday AGE GROUP "B" (Short Course)
Facility: Taunton High School Pool, Taunton, MA.
Contact: Richard Robinson, Director, Cedar Swim Club,
46 Cedar Street, Taunton, MA 02780
- June 24, 25, 26 *
Fri. night, Sat. & Sun. AGE GROUP "A" (Long Course)
Facility: Springfield College Pool, Springfield, MA.
Contact: Mark Michelson, Sunrise Swim Club, c/o Springfield
Boys Club, 481 Carew Street, Springfield, MA
01104
- June 26
Sunday AGE GROUP "B" (Short Course)
Facility: Melrose YMCA, Melrose, MA
Contact: Richard Whitworth, Aquatics Director, Melrose
YMCA, 497 Main Street, Melrose, MA 02176
- July 2, 3, and 4
Saturday, Sunday, Monday AGE GROUP "A" AND "B" (Long Course)
Facility: Gardner, MA
Contact: Frank Danisienka, 84 Euclid Street, Gardner, MA
01440
- July 9 and 10
Saturday and Sunday
MORNING ONLY AGE GROUP AND OPEN "C" (Long Course)
Facility: Manscom Field, Lexington, MA.
Contact: Lori Bates, Secretary, New England Barracudas,
18 Old Stagecoach Road, Bedford, MA 01730
- July 8, 9, and 10 *
Fri., Sat. and Sunday NEW ENGLAND SENIOR LONG COURSE CHAMPIONSHIPS
Facility: Brown University, Providence, Rhode Island
Contact: Mr. Edward Reed, Brown Swim Club, Box 1874
Brown University, Providence, Rhode Island 02912
- July 9
Saturday AGE GROUP "B" (short Course)
Facility: Barrington YMCA
Contact: Mrs. Donald McCann, 27 Lee Road, Barrington, RI
02806

Summer Meet Schedule continued:

- July 15, 16, and 17 AGE GROUP "A" (Long Course)
Friday, Saturday & Sunday Facility: Cedardale Swim Club
Contact: Jay Hogavero, 12th Walnut Road, Tewksbury, MA
01876
- July 17 AGE GROUP "C" (Long Course)
Sunday Facility: McDermott Pool, Warwick, Rhode Island
Contact: John Brown, 129 Caldenwood Dr., Warwick, RI
02086
- July 22, 23, and 24 REGION I LONG COURSE CHAMPIONSHIPS
Friday, Saturday and Sun. Facility: Brown University, Providence, Rhode Island
Contact: Mr. Edward Reed, Brown Swim Club, Box 1874
Brown University, Providence, Rhode Island
02912
- July 29, 30 and 31 AGE GROUP "A" AND "B" (Long Course)
Friday, Saturday and Sun. Facility: Quinsigamond Pond, Worcester, MA
Contact: Worcester Swim Club, 30 Walworth Street,
Worcester, MA 01602
- July 30 and 31 AGE GROUP "B" AND "C" (Long Course)
Saturday and Sunday Facility: Outdoor 50 Meter Pool, Dover, New Hampshire
Contact: Mr. Charles Watkins, 5 Strafford Road, Dover,
New Hampshire, 03020
- August 5, 6, and 7 REGION I, II, III, LONG COURSE CHAMPIONSHIPS
Fri., Sat., and Sunday Facility: Brown University, Providence, Rhode Island
Contact: Mr. Edward Reed, Brown Swim Club, Box 1874
Brown Univ., Providence, Rhode Island, 02912
- August 6 and 7 AGE GROUP "B" (Long Course)
Saturday and Sunday Facility: Hanscom Field, Lexington, MA
MORNING ONLY Contact: Lori Bates, Secretary, New England Barracudas,
18 Old Stagecoach Road, Bedford, MA 01730
- August 6 AGE GROUP "C" (Short Course)
Saturday Facility: Brockton Outdoor Pool, Brockton, MA
Contact: Mark O'Brien, Brockton Comm. School Y Swim
Team, Brockton High School, 470 Forest Ave,
Brockton, MA 02401
- August 14 AGE GROUP "A" (Metric Short Course)
Sunday Facility: Camp Simchah, Middleton, MA
Contact: Jack Hayden, 59 Sculpin Way, Swampscott, MA
01997
- August 20 and 21 AGE GROUP "A" (Long Course)
Saturday and Sunday Facility: Brown University, Providence, Rhode Island
Contact: Lori Bates, Secretary, New England Barracudas,
18 Old Stagecoach Road, Bedford, MA 01730

IF THERE ARE ANY ADDITIONAL MEETS, THEY WILL BE REPORTED IN THE NEWSLETTER AT THE TIME THEY COME UP

More Club News.....

The Worcester County Swim League is proud to announce that their All-Star Team just returned from a fantastic 5-day trip to St. Croix in the U.S. Virgin Islands. Participating Member Clubs were: Aquamadis and Aquamen, Greendale Y, Fitchburg - Leominster Y, Whitinsville, Worcester Girls Club, Worcester Swim Club, Sunset Beach, and Southbridge Y. In all 56 swimmers, 6 coaches and 26 parents attended the meet against the St. Croix Dolphins.

Coach Paul Paronbeau of the Aquamadis and Aquamen originally contacted the St. Croix coach while attending the coach's clinic last September in New Orleans. After that all 8 clubs participated in planning and fund raising for the trip. Jeff Archambault of Southbridge was appointed Head Coach and Coordinator, assisted by Marilyn Mulcahy of Sunset Beach and Lillian Bibeau, President of the Worcester County League.

The children were so successful in fund raising that the cost of the trip per child was extremely small. Raffles, Swim-A-Longs, Tea days, Flea Markets and Industrial Solicitation were utilized.

All 56 children were housed by the St. Croix team while the coaches and parents stayed at a nearby hotel. The St. Croix hospitality was tremendous. There was a two day swim meet allowing plenty of time for sight-seeing, shopping and partying. Times done by the Worcester County All-Star Team were phenomenal, considering that none of them had been in a 50 meter pool since last summer, if at all. Most swimmers did their fastest times ever.

14 year old Randy Beals of Southbridge set 2 pool records and Craig Zuidema and Keith Hayes each set one record. 8 year old Craig Zuidema of the Worcester Girls Club took 3 first places, 16 year old Shawn Mulcahy of Sunset Beach took 2 as did Keith Hayes. Scott Gleason of Worcester Swim Club took 3 first places while Randy Beals placed first in four events. Other first place finishers were Steve Mann, Kim Kalil, Claire Madden, Jennifer Chase, Linda Mitchell, Donnie Halberg and Neal Bibeau. Karen Alexandrowicz of Greendale took first place in 2 events.

The trip was so exciting and so successful that discussion is already underway regarding another trip in the near future.

Last month we printed a form to order the TOP TEN TIMES when it is available. Below is another chance to get your order in. Remember we are printing to order this year. It looks now that we will have them printed by the first week in May. Order now for your copy.

Make checks payable to: NEAAMU COMPETITIVE SWIMMING
 Mail to: Glenna Griswold
 48 Brainard Road
 Milbraham, MA 01045
 Copies are \$2.00 each

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STATE OF THE UNIONJoe Thompson

This month CONGRATULATIONS go to Meg Jordan, 17, NEB, Chris Hogan, 16, NEB, Jack Gauthier, 17, NEB, Sabrina Cronin, 16, NEB, and Jodi Ochab 13, CCSC. These five represented New England at the National Indoor Championships held in Canton, Ohio. I hope these five and five more make it to the Long Course Championships in August.

At least 20 New England Swimmers qualified for the National Junior Olympics and I hope they all did well down in Dallas.

The All-Star meet with Niagara was a sweet victory for the NEAANU with Anita Bembek, 10, HPY, doing a National Reportable Time in the 50 Fly. The score was New England 559 and Niagara 306. Thanks to the swimmers and especially the coaches, Joe Maguire, Kim Bierwert, Debbie Mogavro, and Tom McCutchan. I also want to give a badge of merit to the chaperones for their yeoman's job.

I am inviting all interested parents to the May annual meeting. You may come and participate although you won't be able to vote. It is going to be a tough meeting for we are going to be discussing constitutional and by-law changes along with the regular reports and the election. See your coach or the president of your club if you are interested in the agenda. It will be mailed sometime in the first week of May.

I would also like to see some swimmer's input. If you have anything to say, see me at a meet and let me know or drop me a line.

With the exception of the oversubscribed meets I am very pleased with my first year as your chairman. It has been a challenge and the road was rocky but I feel that I would like to try to continue to help New England Swimming to organize to be a top National Contender.

CONGRATULATIONS to the following swimmers who moved up in their respective age groups. Included this month are results from the Barracuda "B" meet 2/27/77, Hanover "B" - 3/19/77, Attleboro "B" - 3/26/77 and Barracuda "C" - 4/2/77. Also included are New Bedford "B" and "C" 3/5 and 6/77.

BARRACUDA "B" 2/27/778 & Under Girls

W.A. Tine	
B. Carmody	MSC
T. Diodati	LOBC
P. Gauvin	MSY
J. Parnell	SAC
D. Nestor	MSY
M. Pray	MSA
P. Hansen	NEB
C. Desmarias	SAC
V. Young	MSY
M. Larkin	MST

8 & Under Boys

A. Price	DST
C. Ciccarelli	DST
P. Noonan	MSY
J. Gahoury	BCSY
C. Pierce	LOBC
M. Karp	DYD
D. Mackwell	LOBC
T. Proukas	BCSY
J. Benjamin	BCSY
J. Fellbaum	MST
J. Tulimieri	MSY
A. Cooper	SST
M. McSweeney	UP
C. Kipe	MST
H. Read	NEB
E. Pesare	CRY

10 & Under Girls

K. Murphy	NEB
L. Gallius	NEB
K. Belavitch	LYM
K. Schafer	UP
S. Mulcahy	SBST
M. Carter	NEB
H. O'Neill	DST
K. Ehrlich	UP
P. Grady	AMV
V. Young	MSY
M. Larkin	MST
K. Miglione	HAVY

10 & Under Boys

M. Williams	BCSY
B. Stefanik	UP
P. Tibbetts	UP
B. Gauthier	LOBC
E. Sharkansky	BCSY
J. Cronen	DHSA
B. Letourneau	MSC
T. Spendley	DST
A. Sack	BCSY
M. Williams	BCSY
A. Svenson	BCSY
B. Pentz	LOBC
D. Hamblet	SST
S. Larrabee	NEB
T. Pierce	LOBC
H. Sommerville	NEB
C. Crowley	SAC

11-12 Girls

V. Johnson	NEB
H. Hansen	NEB
C. Moll	CCSC
J. Churbuck	LYM
H. Stevens	NEB
K. Hesse	NEB
L. Higgins	LYM
J. Lindstrom	DST
K. Pesare	CRY
K. Pratt	UP
D. Geissler	NEB
K. Hayden	SAC
D. Kuong	SAC
D. Miller	LYM
C. Christen	NEB
A. Meymaris	MSC
H. Wilson	MST
D. Letourneau	MSC

11-12 Boys

B. Arsenault	MSY
H. Jensen	LOBC
D. Besse	CCSC
M. Johansson	LOBC
D. Pufferger	CCSC
P. Fay	SST

11-12 Boys cont'd

K. Froedman	LABC
T. Holland	MSC
J. Ehrlich	NEB
D. Georgoulis	LOBC
J. Beady	DMS
K. Hill	DYD
J. Gjemann	SAC
D. Bates	LOBC
H. Murray	MSY
B. Sullivan	SAC

13-14 Girls

L. Johansson	LOBC
H. Valz	CCSC
C. Mulcahy	SBST
T. Zimler	NEB
L. Wong	CAT
P. Madden	MST
M. Pattillo	SSC
A. Donato	MSC
M. Taxiera	MBD
D. Bernard	MSY
J. Gott	SSC
C. Penthyeny	NEB

13-14 Boys

K. Cronin	HAVY
B. Christen	NEB
J. Weigel	MBD
K. Hunt	LOBC
S. Randall	HAVY
J. Nicoll	MST
D. Johnson	NEB
D. Driscoll	DMS
P. Christen	NEB
S. Beaton	NEB
T. Long	NEB
L. Duba	SSC

OPEN Girls

J. Morrison	LYM
V. Raszka	DST
J. Thiebe	SSC

continued.

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Barracuda "B" contd.Open Boys

T. Michaud	NEB
B. Temme	NEB
P. Garanz	NEB
T. French	LOSC
B. Johansson	LODC
S. Randall	HAVY
J. Buss	LODC

Hanover "D" - 3/19/778 & Under Girls

HAH

Karen Quinn	HST
Kelley Sanford	LOSC
L. Kulum	MKDC
E. Amak	DDNJ
P. Haynesworth	MKDC
P. Brown	ESC
L. Kroder	MKDC
M. Leonoid	LOSC
B. Sterrett	HST
S. Proetti	MKDC

8 & Under Boys

E. Schroeder	DDNJ
M. Geer	MSC
D. Slavin	CEDAR
G. Gustafson	MSC
C. Sumpano	HST
P. Cook	MKDC
D. Bothner	UI
C. Pierce	LODC
P. Knapp	MSC
J. McKean	MKDC

10 & Under Girls

M. O'Neil	DST
H. Helmrath	SAC
P. Moore	DSC
K. Harr	UI
S. Gustafson	MSC
K. Viglione	HYST
J. Phillips	HYST
L. Frattini	LOSC

10 & Under Boys

HAH

T. Buskey	HST
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10 & Under Boys contd.

HAH

L. Harper	MKDC
S. Giese	MKDC
J. Kovill	VISC
J. Pritch	MKDC
T. Spendley	DST
J. Herrow	HST
C. Morgan	MKDC
S. MacHardy	UI

11-12 Girls

HAH

T. Fiore	MKDC
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J. Wildman	MKDC
J. Grimes	SSTNY
M. Clouthier	QSC
A. Forrest	MKDC
J. Lewis	UI
J. Delaney	DYD
J. Collins	CCSC
D. Buchana	DSC
P. Theriot	LYM
T. Fiore	MKDC
L. Riordan	MKDC
M. Holliday	MASY
D. Manniger	MKDC
M. Williams	QSC
M. Deady	DMS
L. Olson	DYD
B. Trontman	SSTNY
J. Fowle	UI
M. Ouellette	UI
D. Kuong	SAC
M. Elias	LYM
M. O'Connor	CCSC
V. White	SAC
E. McKerna	DDNJ
K. Quinn	HST
J. Grimes	ECB
C. McLaughlin	DST
C. Sheehan	NEB

11-12 Boys

HAH

B. Kelley	CONY
A. Magg	LODC
B. King	MKDC

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11-12 Boys contd

HAH

G. Haynesworth	MKDC
D. Schell	MKDC
D. White	SST
S. Travers	LODC
M. Johansson	LODC
D. Foley	LOSC
T. Dobkowski	VISC
B. Arsenault	GMSC
P. Fay	SST
D. Hill	CONY
P. Shade	SUNYA

13-14 Girls

HAH

L. Provencher	LOSC
M. Phillips	SAC
K. Shuppert	SAC

B. Hargraves	HST
A. LeVarn	LODC
D. Edwards	UI
J. Saylor	GYSC
L. Lloyd	SAC
L. Trayers	SST
P. Leddy	SAC
E. Welch	SAC
L. Nelson	MKDC
L. Taraszka	DDNJ
J. Byrne	SAC
J. Murphy	LODC
J. LeBlanc	GMSC
S. Astley	HST
M. Monaghan	SSTNY
M. Phillips	SAC
B. Carlson	LYM
M. Wood	HST
M. Manganiello	NELY
K. Bahney	LOSC
L. Harr	ECB
S. Harris	HYST
M. Kenny	MKDC
M. Boyd	FRY

13-14 Boys

HAH

B. Smith	SAC
T. Picknell	LOSC
S. Curtis	HST

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Hanover "B" continued13-14 Boys

HAN
 R. Cram UM
 T. Pheland CRY
 K. Hunt LOBC
 E. Stern DBNJ
 D. Otherton LCSC
 C. Clarke LYM
 S. Bartell SAC
 B. Bonneville ABF
 D. Dawson UN
 A. Renshaw SUNYA
 P. Kodzis MELY
 B. Hungerford ABF
 D. Smith SAC
 F. Burke LYM
 D. Stern DBNJ
 T. Dicknell LCSC
 P. Kenny MKBC

15-18 Girls

B. Dix HST
 P. Bingham LCSC
 M. Rudolph MELY
 A. Salvis EBY
 S. Swank SST
 C. Beck LYM
 J. Landry SST
 P. Poque SSTNY
 C. Kenny MKBC
 S. Stevens SAC
 M. Leddy SAC
 J. Scarzello DBNJ
 K. Walsh CRY
 K. Viglione HYST
 K. Hudner FRY
 A. Megbaw NED

15-18 Boys

HAN
 J. Buss LOBC
 T. Kelley LCSC
 HAN
 P. Aman DBNJ
 J. Oatis SSTNY
 J. De'leo GMSC
 W. Dunley SAC
 T. Vari DBNJ
 P. Ferray DBNJ
 P. Creteau MELY

contd

15-18 Boys contd

J. Buss LOBC
 G. Ryan SAC
 T. Lowery MELY
 M. Quinn HST
 B. Johansson LOBC
 S. Foley LCSC
 S. Hoff DSC
 T. Mollica DSC
 J. Pandya SAC
 M. Bickerton DSC
 T. Evans QSC
 B. Murphy LOBC

ATTLEBORO "B" 3/26/77

HAN

9 & Under Girls

B. Jennings MID
 D. Forand TRIY
 J. Strodny CSC

9 & Under Boys

J. Winston HRY
 S. Melia MEDY
 S. Robinson BHSA
 J. Rebinowitz CRY
 M. Pead NED
 J. McDonald QSC

10 & Under Girls

J. Oliva WGC
 E. Dromsky ABF
 M. McCluskey WGC
 J. Winston HRY

10 & Under Boys

E. Rae DMS
 J. Cronen BHSA
 P. Stubblebine NED
 C. Giglio BARY
 S. Proia ABF
 D. Gilroy UNST
 M. Hubert LOBC

11-12 Girls

P. Sherlock PBC
 D. Kuong SAC

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11-12 Girls contd

K. Patrick NED
 K. Gauthier LOBC
 L. Bonneville ABF

11-12 Boys

B. Dates NED
 C. McDonald NED
 J. Dobkowski WGC
 D. Jonkins ESY
 P. Dates LOBC

13-14 Girls

D. Dates LOBC
 M. Lawrence FRY
 K. Hjerpe ABF

OPEN Girls

K. Malloy FRY
 L. Harriman BSC
 P. Grazulis WGC
 P. Paine NED

OPEN Boys

S. Ravnis CAT
 P. Temme NED

NEW BEDFORD "B" 3/5/77

HAN

8 & Under Girls

P. Freilich UMAC
 G. Tardo CEDAR
 A. Schipper BCSY
 M. Arruda DSC
 E. Reilly BHSA
 P. Carmoda USC

8 & Under Boys

J. Beedel UMAC
 P. Berg UNST
 J. Droukas BCSY
 J. Benjamin BCSY
 J. Carter SBST

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NEWBEDFORD "B" contd.

10 & Under Girls

S. Mulcahy SBST
M. O'Neill UN

10 & Under Boys

J. Cronen BHSA
M. Bowden BSC

11-12 Girls

D. Hodgson FRY
A. Donovan UMAC
K. Patrick NEB

11-12 Boys

C. McDonald NEB
A. Tong NEB
J. Bobkowski MCC

13-14 Girls

M. Boyd FRY
S. Pratt FRY
B. Carlson LOWY

13-14 Boys

T. Cameron BCSY
K. Conoy NEB
J. Brown SAC
S. Kester UMAC

OPEN Girls

A. Smith FRY

OPEN Boys

C. Pockett FRY

NEW BEDFORD "C" 3/6/77

UN

9 & Under Girls

C. Foster NBVW
M. Hoy FRY
G. Haas UMAC
S. Hammer UMAC
K. Porter NBVW
J. Totte BCSY
A. Di'ardi MBD

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9 & Under Girls contd

S. Frelich UMAC
S. Polanik SBST
C. Foster NBVW
K. Courter NNST
S. Sylvia NBVW
M. Dennis FRY
M. Martocci SBST
C. Charlson CSS

9 & Under Boys

D. Hazleth HSSC
M. King CSC
C. Kenney CEDAP
C. Golden UN
J. Crawford UN
B. Porter NBVW
A. Shaw NEB
B. Wightman BU
M. King CSC
C. Redding CSC
S. Tinkham CSC
J. Lemaire CSC

10 & Under Girls

M. Robbins SAC
L. Chylack DST
L. Anderson MSC
C. Cote LOGC
V. Lumbford NNST
S. St.Pierre FRY
C. Manning DMS
K. Camp NNST
T. Cronan DMS
L. McElrath NEB

10 & Under Boys

E. Rae DMS
S. Harrington UN
C. Yard MSC
S. Charlson CSS
D. Gilroy NNST
C. DeMaily NBVW
L. Pinstein BCSY
J. Danisi UMAC
P. Harnett FRY
D. Cull UMAC
D. Smith BADC
D. Linskey UN
M. Donneville ABF
D. Howles UN

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11-12 Girls

E. Tafuri SAC
K. Bishop NNST
L. Folsom UMAC
L. Borglund MSC
H. Berkovits SAC
K. Grubbs NNST
J. McGinnis NEB
M. Deady DMS
H. Hanson NEB
B. Perry DMS
J. St.Pierre FRY
K. Yaunches NNST
S. Layport NBVW
L. LaPointe MSC
L. Anderson DMS
D. McCoy NNST
L. Nelson UMAC
K. Flaherty NEB
D. Fall NBVW
J. Marquet NEB
L. Williams BCSY
S. Vanderhey NBVW
M. Cyr FRY
C. Johnson NBVW
B. Tudd NEB
L. Piper NBVW
M. Glinn DMS
D. Tetrault TRIY

11-12 Boys

D. Wong CAT
A. Robbins SAC
D. Dowermaster SAC
S. Proukas BSC
C. Moore MSC
C. Long NEB
S. Andrew UN
P. Cardoza SCS
C. McDonald NEB
J. McGowan BU
F. Cordoneer NEB
T. Daley AMW
J. Nabors NNST
T. Marino MCC
M. Caldeira CSC
S. Proukas BCSY
P. Connor BSC

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NEW BEDFORD "C" continued13-14 Girls

F. Welch	SAC
P. Lanmor	UN
B. Costa	FRY
J. Foster	BOSY
K. DeViney	UMAC
K. Lack	TRIY
L. Scheidmantel	CAT
M. Callahan	NEB
K. Rousseau	FRY
S. Rousseau	FRY

13-14 Boys

D. Brown	UN
G. Rogers	BOSY
J. Pease	LODC
L. McSweeney	SAC
J. Keovil	NEB
T. Long	NEB
B. Cabral	NDHS
N. Ribeau	TRIY
S. Kester	UMAC
L. Andrews	CEDAR
D. Letourneau	MSC
A. Vinegard	BSC

OPEN Girls

A. Swartz	SAC
J. Feitelberger	FRY
C. Higley	UN
H. Foster	NEB
M. StPierre	FRY

OPEN Boys

S. Walsh	NDYM
M. Cura	NEB
D. Briscoll	DMS
H. Touhey	NDHS

Barracuda "C" 4/2/77

UN

10 & Under Girls

B. Laton	CAT
M. Hackel	BRST
K. Harrington	QSC
C. Balas	LVM

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10 & Under Girls contd.

J. Giguere	TRIY
M. Curran	DMS
S. Ferris	LVM
L. Frattini	VGSC
L. Melanson	SST
S. Haake	LCSC

10 & Under Boys

J. Lamothe	NEB
S. Douchard	SST
J. Hoar	DMS
E. Rae	DMS

11-12 Girls

UN	
J. Miller	BRST
L. Tobin	BRST

UN

L. Tobin Brst	
M. Glynn	DMS
K. Dolan	SST
L. Buchan	NEB
E. Grady	AMU
A. Golodotz	LCSC
E. Sullivan	NEB
D. Judd	NEB
C. Surette	NEB
M. Swindal	LCSC
T. Murphy	NEB

11-12 Boys

C. O'Neil	LCSC
K. Latona	TRIY
P. Perrera	LVM
D. Wong	CAT
H. Brown	NEB
A. Tong	NEB
J. Morgan	NEB
M. Thomas	LCSC

13-14 Girls

J. Morin	CCSC
L. Lefleur	CCSC
B. Hedberg	BOSY
E. Petersen	MELY
C. McCaleb	MELY
S. Godfrey	TRIY
B. Griffin	MELY

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13-14 Boys

P. Tobin	BRST
S. Gauthier	LODC
C. Cronin	DMS
T. Bowker	LCSC
P. deMoor	GYSC
G. Michel	UN

OPEN Girls

UN	
K. Shaeffer	UN
L. McAvoy	UN
S. Herskowitz	UN

UN

S. Herskovitz	UN
L. McAvoy	UN
M. Griffin	MELY
G. Larson	NEB
C. Phillips	LCSC

OPEN Boys

M. Kane	MST
J. Lavery	NEB
D. Murphy	LODC
C. Marquet	NEB

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NEWSLETTER-PLUS

AN OFFICIAL PUBLICATION OF THE NEAAAU COMPETITIVE SWIMMING COMMITTEE

MAY, 1977

TOP TEN TIMES TOP TEN TIMES ARE NOW COMPLETE AND ON STENCIL AND WILL BE MAILED ON MONDAY, MAY 23. THOSE WHO ORDERED THEM WILL GET A BONUS. AN ANONYMOUS ANGEL DID TOP TEN FROM LONG COURSE LAST YEAR AND THEY WILL BE INCLUDED WITH THIS SEASON'S SHORT COURSE TOP TEN. MANY THANKS TO THE INDIVIDUAL WHO SPENT UNTOLD HOURS DOING THE LONG COURSE TIMES ALONE. ON ANOTHER PAGE OF THE NEWSLETTER YOU WILL FIND LISTED THE OUTSTANDING SWIMMERS FROM BOTH LONG COURSE 1976 AND SHORT COURSE 1976-77. ALSO ON ANOTHER PAGE YOU WILL FIND THE DETAILS OF THE BANQUET WHICH WILL BE HELD AT ROCKY POINT IN RHODE ISLAND ON JUNE 5TH. CERTIFICATES WILL BE AWARDED TO THOSE MAKING TOP TEN TIMES AT THE BANQUET.

News Note: We are very pleased to note the increase in Newsletter Plus subscriptions. Our circulation is now over 200 and growing.

CONGRATULATIONS TO ~~JIM~~ THOMPSON ON HIS REELECTION

IT'S MAY.....

Membership on the Swimming Committee begins and ends in May. With this issue of Newsletter Plus all clubs will receive a bill for their dues for the coming year. This past year a total of 51 clubs were Swimming Committee members and we hope that the coming year will see more active participation by all clubs.

Send your membership checks marked with your club's name and made out to: NEAAAU COMPETITIVE SWIMMING to Glenna Griswold, 48 Brainard Road Wilbraham, MA., 01095.

REMEMBER CLUBS!!! Your newsletter subscription stops with this issue if you do not renew by June 20th.

Membership to clubs is \$5.00/year. Member clubs must be AAU clubs.

IMPROVEMENT MEETS

A new type of meet will be run for the first time this summer. It will be called an improvement meet and is designed to give those in all classes "A", "B", and "C", a chance to improve their times.

Basically, the cut-offs will be "C", lower "B" and lower "A".

The Dover Bluefins will run the first of this type meet on July 17th in a 50 meter outdoor pool. If you have any ideas on this please contact this office or the Dover Bluefins.

COACHING POSITION AVAILABLE

The North Shore Swim Club sponsored by the North Shore Jewish Community Center of Marblehead, MA. is looking for a new coach.

Anyone interested in this position should contact Mr. Ernest M. Rosenthal, 13 Pilgrim Road, Marblehead, Ma., 01945.

HELP NEEDED.....The Melrose Y is having unexpected difficulty getting a referee starter for their June 26th meet. Please

RECORD BOOKS.... THE NEW ENGLAND RECORD BOOK INCLUDING RECORDS FROM MAY OF LAST YEAR THROUGH APRIL OF THIS YEAR BOTH LONG AND SHORT COURSE IS NOW AVAILABLE. JOE DROLETTE HAS SPENT MANY HOURS COMPILING THESE RECORDS AND MRS. DROLETTE THE SAME TYPING THEM. THE BOOKS WILL BE AVAILABLE AT THE BANQUET IN JUNE, OR MAY BE OBTAINED BY WRITING TO GLENNA GRISWOLD AND ENCLOSING A CHECK FOR TWO DOLLARS MADE OUT TO NEAAAU COMPETITIVE SWIMMING AND NOTING WHAT YOU ARE ORDERING.

Melrose continued.....

this office (413) 596-4812 or Dick Whitworth at the Melrose Y, 497 Main St., Melrose, MA 02176, (413) 665-4360 if you can help him out.

MISTAKE CORRECTION.....

The New England Barracuda "B" and "C" meets to be held this summer will be at Hanscom Field which is located in Bedford, MA not Lexington as noted in the meet list.

ADDRESS CHANGES:

The NEW ENGLAND BARRACUDAS have contacted this office with the following changes of address. Please make a note of them on your lists.

For information concerning Barracuda meets: Jan Ehrlich
70 Pond Street
Natick, MA 01760

Other information including meet entries for other club's meets:

Pat Bresnahan
9 Balmoral Road
Boxford, MA 01921

New Club Listings:

Please add to your lists for meet entries:

New Hampshire Senior Swim Team.
c/o Peter G. Markos
8 Renaud Avenue
Dover, NH 03820

T-SHIRTS

We still have available a few All-Star T-Shirts for those who were not able to attend the meet but would like one. Send \$4.50 to Glenna Griswold, 48 Brainard Road, Wilbraham, MA. 01095. Make checks payable to: NEAAAU Competitive Swimming Committee. Anyone who ordered a shirt and did not receive it should contact the above address.

JUNIOR OLYMPICS: Below are results of New England Swimmers attending the Junior Olympic Meet in Dallas last month.

Those not listed did not make their cut-off times.

If we missed someone please let this office know and we will correct it in next month's newsletter.

Chris Hug SAC 500 FR 13th 4:41.82
200 FR 50th 1:45.71
400 IM 41st 4:18.68
1650 FR 27th 16:21.38

Jim Chiudioni SAC 100 BR 38th 1:01.43
200 BR 43rd 2:14.75

Dan Rawding WSC 200 BR 66th 2:16.31

400 Medley Relay (Men) Sunrise
(Scott Betscher, John Lyons, Al Kalmbach,
Kendall McCarthy) 36th 3:44.14

Sue Doten SSC 100 BR 19th 1:09.14
200 BR 28th 2:30.18

400 Medley Relay (Women's) Sunrise
(Anne Griswold, Sue Doten, Maria
McClellan, Linda Thiebe) 17th 4:07.70

800 Free Relay (Women's) Worcester Swim
Club

(Daniela Camarra, Gina Ravelli, Carol
Thompson, Patsy deMarcken) 37th 8:05.49

400 Free Relay (Women's) Sunrise
(Maria McClellan, Denise Balthazard,
Mary Fiorentino, Sue Doten) 38th 3:44.00

We hear they had a great time and were inspired to make their times for the next JO meet

HELP.....PLEASE.....

I would like to print the results for New England swimmers at Nationals.

Does anyone have them?

WE HAVE NOT STOPPED LOOKING FOR CLUB
MEMS. IF YOU HAVE SOME PLEASE SEND IT
TO THE COMPETITIVE SWIMMING OFFICE.

48 BRAINARD ROAD
WILBRAHAM, MA 01095

Congratulations to the people below who are outstanding swimmers from New England. Outstanding swimmers are listed alphabetically.

LONG COURSE - 1976SHORT COURSE 1976-1977

<u>8 & Under Girls</u>		<u>8 & Under Boys</u>		<u>8 & Under Girls</u>		<u>8 & Under Boys</u>	
Carolyn Cunnold	NSVY	Kenny Dion	CRY	Carolyn Cunnold	NSVY	John Brown	BSC
I. Freitas	CRY	John Gardiner	NSVY	Alana Jacobson	GYSC	Mike Buonomo	GYSC
Kristen Lamb	NEDY	Alexander Kostich	CAMBY	Kristen LaChance	CLYC	A. Kostich	CAMBY
T. Munise	BCSY	Joe Larrabee	NED	V. Norten	NED	Albert Price	DST
Susan Perroni	BSC	Craig Zuidema	MGSC	Susan Perroni	BSC	Brian Stefanik	MYSC
<u>10 & Under Girls</u>		<u>10 & Under Boys</u>		<u>10 & Under Girls</u>		<u>10 & Under Boys</u>	
Elinor Doty	UN	David Brown	SSC	Deborah Cherry	BSC	Donald Benson	LOBC
Nancy Galvin	CRY	Ed Harding	MAKY	Anita Dembek	HRV	Michael Landa	UN
Jacqui Griffiths	MASHY	Paul Kane	HRV	Elinor Doty	UN	Paul Mangilli	CRY
Suni Pandya	SAC	Mike Landa	UN	Nancy Galvin	CRY	Bobby Padulo	NED
Joanna Stoeber	SSC	Hugh Murray	NSVY	Kim Poll	HRV	Edward Smith	FRY
<u>11-12 Girls</u>		<u>11-12 Boys</u>		<u>11-12 Girls</u>		<u>11-12 Boys</u>	
Susan Hagberg	MSC	Craig Fuller	BHSA	Susan Hagberg	MSC	James Ehrlich	NED
Ann Lamb	NED	Patrick Kennedy	DYD	Ann Lamb	NED	Robert Dembek	HRV
Carrie Mazzone	UN	Paul Messenger	SSC	Jan Morrill	SAC	Jay Mahoney	NED
Tracie Moll	CCSC	Mike Rossner	BSC	Martha Samsel	HRV	Steven Moreau	UN
Cindy Rudzinski	MSC	Dennis Spencer	NED	Susan Schafer	UN	Robert Sherman	ADF
<u>13-14 Girls</u>		<u>13-14 Boys</u>		<u>13-14 Girls</u>		<u>13-14 Boys</u>	
Daniela Camarra	MSC	Drew Donovan	DYD	Daniela Camarra	MSC	Jeff Dates	NED
Sheila Dembek	HRV	Doug Dressel	DYD	Sheila Dembek	HRV	Drew Donovan	DYD
Sue Franklin	NSVY	Jeff Kerr	SSC	Jody Ochab	CCSC	Charlie Johnson	NED
Jody Ochab	CCSC	David Howry	BSC	Elaine Palmer	NSVY	Mitchell Poole	SAC
Elaine Palmer	NSVY	Scott Whitelaw	CCSC	Doreen Sabina	BCSY	Scott Whitelaw	CCSC
<u>15-18 Girls</u>		<u>15-18 Boys</u>		<u>15-18 Girls</u>		<u>15-18 Boys</u>	
Sue Bridge	NED	Greg Dates	NED	Sabrina Cronen	NED	Ed Bahan	MST
Sabrina Cronen	NED	Jack Gauthier	NED	Sheila Dembek	HRV	Jack Gauthier	NED
Martha Donovan	DYD	Mike DeCarlo	NED	Martha Donovan	DYD	Chris Hug	SAC
Lissa McGrath	NSSC	Chris Hug	SAC	Chris Hogan	NED	Kurt Langborg	CBSC
Carol Thompson	MSC	Jim Phelan	BSC	Lissa McGrath	NSSC	Jim Phelan	BSC
<u>OPEN GIRLS</u>		<u>OPEN BOYS</u>		<u>OPEN GIRLS</u>		<u>OPEN BOYS</u>	
Sabrina Cronen	NED	Hillary Bergman	SSC	Sabrina Cronen	NED	Jack Gauthier	NED
Sheila Dembek	HRV	Mike DeCarlo	NED	Sheila Dembek	HRV	Chris Hug	SAC
Martha Donovan	DYD	Jack Gauthier	NED	Chris Hogan	NED	Kurt Langborg	CBSC
Lissa McGrath	NSSC	Chris Hug	SAC	Jody Ochab	CCSC	Kendall McCarthy	
Jody Ochab	CCSC	Kevin O'Connell	BSC	Elaine Palmer	NSVY		SSC
						Jim Phelan	BSC

CHECK THE NEXT PAGE FOR THE DETAILS ON THE 1977 BANQUET HONORING NEW ENGLAND SWIMMERS!!!!

BANQUET.....

Below is information about the annual banquet. The banquet is being run by the New England Swim Coaches and Officials Association.

All New England Swimmers, coaches, parents and friends are invited, are encouraged to attend and see those you normally only see at meets. Awards will be presented to the New England Senior All-Stars (Long and Short Course) and the Outstanding Age Group Swimmers (Long and Short Course). Top Ten Certificates in each age group will be presented (Long and Short Course.)

This years get-together has been planned so that families may enjoy the evening at the amusement park at Rocky Point in Warwick, Rhode Island.

There are options available and prices are listed below. Coaches will be receiving further information about reservations or you may contact Paul Rossi at (401) 943-0444 or (401) 781-2966.

The date is SUNDAY, JUNE 5th from 1 to 5 PM

The Place is Rocky Point Park, Warwick, R.I.
Shore Dinner Hall

The cost is \$4.75 for swimmers (including park tickets)
\$5.75 for adults (including park tickets)

\$2.75 for swimmers (no park tickets)
\$3.75 for adults (no park tickets)

The menu is Chowder, Clam Cakes and Watermelon (all you can eat)
or
Chicken, Vegetable and French Fries (one serving)


Directions: From Massachusetts take 95 South to 117 East . Follow the signs to Rocky Point.

CERTIFICATION CLINIC

Sunrise Swim Club will run a certification clinic on June 4th (Saturday) at the Springfield Boy's Club, 481 Carew Street, Springfield, MA. 01104

Timer, Judge and Take Off Judge will be covered in the morning session beginning at 10:00. Starter and Referee will be covered in the afternoon session beginning at 12:30.

Please make reservations if you plan to attend by contacting Glenna Griswold, 48 Brainard Road, Wilbraham, MA 01095 , (413) 596-4812 or Mark Michelson at the Boys Club .


COME TO
THE BANQUET

DETAILS
ABOVE

TOP TEN TIMES BOOKS WILL BE MAILED MONDAY, MAY 23. THEY WILL BE SENT THIRD CLASS BECAUSE OF THEIR WEIGHT. IF YOU DO NOT RECEIVE YOURS WITHIN A REASONABLE TIME (2 weeks) PLEASE CONTACT GLENN GRISWOLD.



Below and on the next pages are the results of the All-Star meet held in Syracuse against the Niagara Association. In the interest of saving space, only the times are in for the Niagara relays. If anyone would like to know the names of the swimmers please contact Glenna Griswold.

Girls 10 & Under 200 MR.

1. New England 2:15.07
(Powers, Murphy, Dembek, Stuart)
2. Niagara 2:15.83
3. New England 2:17.82
(Montiminy, Dion, Josephson, Doty)

Boys 10 & Under 200 MR

1. Niagara 2:14.89
2. New England 2:15.83
(Padulo, Bensen, Spendloy, Kane)

11-12 Girls 200 MR

1. New England 2:04.87
(Morrill, Letourneau, Schafer, Samsel)
2. Niagara 2:06.37

11-12 Boys 200 MR

1. New England 2:00.05
(Mann, Griffin, Ehrlich, Ruitter)
2. Niagara 2:05.19
3. New England 2:08.31
(Dembek, Reid, Hayes, Duberger)

13-14 Girls 200 MR

1. New England 1:56.96
(Bazan, Heisey, Holl, Harris)
2. New England 1:59.96
(Garon, Chase, Bayer, Astley)
3. Niagara 2:03.77

13-14 Boys 200 MR

1. Niagara "A" 1:46.95
2. New England "A" 1:50.23
(Schippert, Fraser, Johnson, Cohen)
3. Niagara "B" 1:53.35
4. New England "B" 1:54.19
(Mowry, Galvin, Hanks, Hayden)

15-18 Girls 200 MR

1. New England 1:54.45
(Kitchen, Gauthier, McGrath, Kast)
2. New England 1:58.30
(Ehrlich, Mullins, Pearson, Ehrlich)
3. Niagara 2:00.76

15-18 Boys 200 MR

1. New England 1:44.19
(Davis, Hoffman, Donellan, Bahan)

2. Niagara 1:45.61
3. New England 1:46.05
(DeCorvallo, Wentworth, Dowd, Regan)
4. Niagara 1:47.45

Girls 10 & Under 100 IM

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|--------------|-----|---------|
| 1. Doty | NE | 1:12.01 |
| 2. Werth | NIA | 1:12.25 |
| 3. Dembek | NE | 1:16.18 |
| 4. Schroeder | NIA | 1:20.17 |
| 5. Humoleby | NIA | 1:22.21 |

Boys 10 & Under 100 IM

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|-------------|-----|---------|
| 1. Sammler | NIA | 1:14.33 |
| 2. Padulo | NE | 1:18.74 |
| 3. Berfield | NIA | 1:22.42 |
| 4. Rice | NIA | 1:24.83 |

11-12 Girls 200 IM

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|--------------|-----|---------|
| 1. Allee | NIA | 2:22.40 |
| 2. Schafer | NE | 2:26.66 |
| 3. Bresnahan | NE | 2:28.32 |
| 4. Camarra | NE | 2:29.73 |
| 5. Murphy | NIA | 2:35.92 |
| 6. Hyde | NIA | 2:44.92 |

11-12 Boys 200 IM

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|-------------|-----|---------|
| 1. Dembek | NE | 2:22.85 |
| 2. Ruitter | NE | 2:24.25 |
| 3. Duberger | NE | 2:28.75 |
| 4. Condemi | NIA | 2:30.95 |
| 5. Curry | NIA | 3:06.68 |

13-14 Girls 200 IM

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|------------|-----|---------|
| 1. Harris | NE | 2:19.59 |
| 2. Hagberg | NE | 2:22.33 |
| 3. Heisey | NE | 2:23.95 |
| 4. Rice | NIA | 2:36.32 |

13-14 Boys 200 IM

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|------------|-----|---------|
| 1. Mowry | NE | 2:10.95 |
| 2. Johnson | NE | 2:11.04 |
| 3. Kemple | NIA | 2:13.47 |
| 4. Lisbon | NIA | 2:14.10 |

15-18 Girls 200 IM

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|-------------|-----|---------|
| 1. McGrath | NE | 2:14.22 |
| 2. Gauthier | NE | 2:16.93 |
| 3. Ehrlich | NE | 2:21.91 |
| 4. Allee | NIA | 2:30.99 |
| 5. Wolf | NIA | 2:33.00 |

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All Star Meet continued....

15-18 Boys 200 IM

1. Bahan	NE	2:07.48
2. Keber	NIA	2:08.57
3. Davis	NE	2:10.27
4. Hoffman	NE	2:12.79
5. Rezanka	NIA	2:14.16

10 & Under Girls 50 Free

1. Stuart	NE	29.12
2. Humbleby	NIA	29.29
3. Doty	NE	29.70
4. Montiminy	NE	30.49
5. Schroder	NIA	30.51
6. Sullivan	NIA	31.10

10 & Under Boys 50 Free

1. Bachanan	NIA	29.21
2. Benson	NE	29.67
3. Sammler	NIA	30.21
4. Kane	NE	30.46
5. Padulo	NE	30.63
6. Arnold	NIA	32.20

11-12 Girls 100 Free

1. Ailee	NIA	57.77
2. Samsel	NE	58.73
3. Schafer	NE	59.02
4. Morrill	NE	59.58
5. Murphy	NIA	1:03.42
6. Rachmyer	NIA	1:04.16

11-12 Boys 100 Free

1. Ehrlich	NE	57.64
2. Wiest	NIA	57.86
3. Ruitter	NE	58.15
4. Condemi	NIA	58.76
5. Dembek	NE	59.54
6. Curry	NIA	1:13.71

13-14 Girls 100 Free

1. Stohrer	NIA	56.30
2. Moll	NE	56.49
3. Harris	NE	57.79
4. Astley	NE	58.88

13-14 Boys 100 Free

1. Smith	NIA	52.02
2. Krawczyk	NIA	53.17
3. Dodson	NIA	53.44
4. Howry	NE	54.55
5. Cohen	NE	55.95
6. Schippert	NE	56.33

15-18 Girls 100 Free

1. McGrath	NE	54.93
2. Kast	NE	55.54
3. Kitchen	NE	55.80
4. McComble	NIA	57.54
5. Wolf	NIA	1:02.62

15-18 Boys 100 Free

1. Bahan	NE	49.77
2. Regan	NE	49.94
3. Decorvallo	NE	51.36
4. Libutti	NIA	52.03
5. Plezanka	NIA	55.21
6. Hopkins	NIA	55.47

10 & Under Girls 50 Back

1. Werth	NIA	33.76
2. Dembek	NE	34.16
3. Montiminy	NE	36.69
4. Humpleby	NIA	36.98
5. Powers	NE	37.48
6. Sullivan	NIA	41.69

10 & Under Boys 50 Back

1. Arnold	NIA	35.38
2. Padulo	NE	35.85
3. Moll	NE	36.62
4. Spendley	NE	37.12
5. Rice	NIA	39.91

11-12 Girls 100 Back

1. Morrill	NE	1:06.59
2. Lamb	NE	1:09.46
3. Lilien	NIA	1:15.67
4. Lilien	NIA	1:19.70
5. Hyde	NIA	1:19.74

11-12 Boys 100 Back

1. Wiest	NIA	1:07.77
2. Mann	NE	1:09.34
3. Dembek	NE	1:09.40
4. Manca	NIA	1:10.66
5. Ehrhart	NE	1:13.09
6. Cimonetti		

13-14 Girls 100 Back

1. Bazan	NE	1:05.67
2. Garon	NE	1:05.81
3. Astley	NE	1:06.75

13-14 Boys 100 Back

1. Johnson	NE	1:00.89
2. Kemple	NIA	1:01.38
3. Lisbon	NIA	1:05.13
4. Schippert	NE	1:07.41

ALL STAR MEET CONTINUED

15-18 Girls 100 Back

1. Kitchen	NE	1:04.92
2. Ehrlich	NE	1:06.81
3. Pearson	NE	1:07.97
4. Daley	NIA	1:11.09
5. Allee	NIA	1:12.18

15-18 Boys 100 Back

1. Parkes	NIA	57.99
2. Davis	NE	1:00.39
3. Root	NIA	1:00.40
4. Wentworth	NE	1:01.66
5. Decorvallo	NE	1:04.72

10 & Under Girls 50 Breast

1. Doty	NE	38.31
2. Dion	NE	38.71
3. Murphy	NE	39.06
4. Schroder	NIA	39.45
5. Rice	NIA	41.31
6. Curry	NIA	41.40

10 & Under Boys 50 Breast

1. Benson	NE	38.25
2. Hayco	NE	38.27
3. Ray	NE	38.33
4. Buchanan	NIA	40.77
5. Berfield	NIA	40.87

11-12 Girls 100 Breast

1. Kotarski	NE	1:16.33
2. Allee	NIA	1:16.90
3. Letourneau	NE	1:18.03
4. Rackmeyer	NIA	1:19.04
5. Camarra	NE	1:21.05
6. Lilien	NIA	1:24.62

11-12 Boys 100 Breast

1. Griffin	NE	1:16.11
2. Ehrlich	NE	1:18.09
3. Reid	NE	1:20.19
4. Cimoniti	NIA	1:21.72
5. Curry	NIA	1:27.25

13-14 Girls 100 Breast

1. Heisey	NE	1:12.83
2. Stohrer	NIA	1:12.85
3. Chase	NE	1:15.22
4. Braverman	NE	1:15.74
5. Rath	NIA	1:17.59
6. Rice	NIA	1:19.42

13-14 Boys 100 Breast

1. Dodson	NIA	1:04.78
2. Fraser	NE	1:07.25

3. Hawkins	NIA	1:07.84
4. Hayden	NE	1:10.38
5. Anderson	NIA	1:10.80
6. Galvin	NE	1:12.30

15-18 Girls 100 Breast

1. Gauthier	NE	1:11.17
2. Mullins	NE	1:11.61
3. Ehrlich	NE	1:13.10
4. McCombie	NIA	1:15.91
5. Daly	NIA	1:16.11

15-18 Boys 100 Breast

1. Hoffman	NE	1:05.10
2. Rivers	NIA	1:06.01
3. Wentworth	NE	1:06.15
4. Storer	NIA	1:07.01
6. Decorvallo	NE	1:15.28
5. Hopkins	NIA	1:08.35

15-18 Girls 200 Free

1. Pearson	NE	1:59.26
2. Kast	NE	2:04.29
3. Ehrlich	NE	2:10.26

15-18 Boys 200 Free

1. Bahan	NE	1:49.42
2. LiButti	NIA	1:50.18
3. Regan	NE	1:52.50
4. Dowd	NE	1:52.61
5. Keber	NIA	1:53.85

10 & Under Girls 50 Fly

1. Werth	NIA	31.67
2. Dembek	NE	31.84
3. Josephson	NE	33.87
4. Lemore	NE	35.55
5. Moore	NIA	36.96
6. Rice	NIA	37.27

10 & Under Boys 50 Fly

1. Spendley	NE	31.60
2. Sammler 1	NIA	32.13
3. Hayes	NE	33.09
4. Moll	NE	34.07
5. Rice	NIA	37.08

11-12 Girls 100 Fly

1. Schafer	NE	1:05.47
2. Galvin	NE	1:06.44
3. Rackmayer	NIA	1:08.78
4. Nicolai	NE	1:11.20

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ALL STAR MEET CONTINUED

11-12 Boys 100 Fly

1.	Ehrlich	NE	1:05.27
2.	Condemi	NIA	1:06.29
3.	Wiest	NIA	1:06.40
4.	Ruiter	NE	1:07.59
5.	Hayes	NE	1:08.01
6.	Manca	NIA	1:08.50

13-14 Girls 100 Fly

1.	Moll	NE	1:02.50
2.	Stohrer	NIA	1:04.16
3.	Harris	NE	1:04.23
4.	Bayer	NE	1:08.50

13-14 Boys 100 Fly

1.	Johnson	NE	57.09
2.	Smith	NIA	57.34
3.	Schippert	NE	57.54
4.	Lisbon	NIA	58.85
5.	Kravczyk	NIA	1:00.02

15-18 Girls 100 Fly

1.	Kitchen	NE	1:02.60
2.	McGrath	NE	1:02.81
3.	Kast	NE	1:05.84
4.	Alley	NIA	1:06.72

15-18 Boys 100 Fly

1.	Keber	NIA	56.87
2.	Donnellan	NE	56.96
3.	Wentworth	NE	57.01
4.	Root	NIA	57.15
5.	Hyde	NIA	58.63
6.	Davis	NE	59.25

10 & Under Girls 200 Free Relay

1.	Niagara	2:00.60
2.	New England (Stuart, Doty, Montimney, Dembek)	2:01.91
3.	New England (Kuong, Dion, Powers, Murphy)	2:02.76

10 & Under Boys 200 Free Relay

1.	New England (Padulo, Moll, Kane, Benson)	2:00.92
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11-12 Girls 200 Free Relay

1.	New England (Morrill, Schafer, Samsel, Galvin)	1:49.41
2.	Niagara	1:52.80
3.	New England (Camarra, Bresnahan, Kotarski, Lamb)	1:52.80

11-12 Boys 200 Free Relay

1.	New England (Ruiter, Hayes, Ehrlich, Dembek)	1:49.41
2.	Niagara	1:49.36
3.	New England (Duberger, Griffin, Mann,)	1:58.09

13-14 Girls 200 Free Relay

1.	New England (Moll, Harris, Astley, Garon)	1:47.18
2.	Niagara	1:48.72
3.	New England (Bazan, Bayer, Hagberg, Braverman)	1:51.61

13-14 Boys 200 Free Relay

1.	Niagara	1:36.65
2.	Niagara	1:39.68
3.	New England (Schippert, Johnson, Mowry, Cohen)	1:39.83
4.	New England (Fraser, Galvin, Marks, Hayden)	1:46.35

15-17 Girls 200 Free Relay

1.	New England (McGrath, Kast, Kitchen, Gauthier)	1:41.59
2.	New England (Ehrlich, Pearson, Mullins, Ehrlich)	1:46.42
3.	Niagara	1:48.58

15-18 Boys 200 Free Relay

1.	New England (Decorvallo, Wentworth, Regan, Bahan)	1:31.93
2.	Niagara	1:33.88
3.	New England (Donnellan, Hoffman, Davis, Bond)	1:35.75
4.	Niagara	1:39.84

SWIMMERS MOVING UP FROM THE SOUTHBRIDGE TRI-Y MEET WILL BE IN THE NEXT ISSUE OF NEWSLETTER PLUS.

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Make checks payable to: NEAAAU
COMPETITIVE SWIMMING COMMITTEE

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above

STATE OF THE UNION.....Joe Thompson

One year has passed since I was elected chairman of New England Swimming. I have been given a vote of confidence and elected for one more year by those attending the semi-annual meeting at Quinsigamond Community College. I will try to continue helping New England Swimming through growing pains to become a more cohesive unit.

I was happy to see the vote to give the Executive Committee some temporary power passed, but was displeased at the temporary rejection of more funds to help run the organization. I have found my job curtailed because the budget is a very tight one. I feel New England Swimming should be a self-sustaining organization. A stronger money base would also help in long range plans to make the district more effective.

The summer season has been set up and you all should have a schedule of the meets. (They were published in last month's Newsletter.) All the clubs awarded meets were given a meet managers packet to help them be more efficient. I hope the packet will help the meet managers and they don't take it too lightly even if they have been managing for a long time. The packet is a first edition and may have some things that managers object to. I hope you will send back constructive criticism as soon as possible so that we may make corrections in the edition to go out for the winter season in mid-June.

I will be happy to accept invitations to individual clubs and/or areas of our district to listen to what you want from me and New England swimming. Just give me a call, set the date, and I'll be there. Below is my address and phone.
Joe Thompson, 6 Pompano Road, Worcester, MA 01605, (617) 853-8143.

REQUEST FROM NATIONAL.....

We received a letter from the National AAU Swim-A-Thon chairman requesting us to appoint someone within N.E. district to oversee Swim-A-Thons. Swim-A-Thon is a registered copyright, a major source of revenue for the travel fund for AAU swimmers, and helps maintain the Swimming Hall of Fame.

Some associations require a free sanction for any group wishing to run an AAU Swim-A-Thon. This protects Swim-A-Thon without hindering high schools, Y's or other groups that wish to run them. It gives advance warning when a group takes the idea or when clubs

or coaches use the idea and call it something else.

A volunteer willing to oversee Swim-A-Thon in New England would be welcome. Please contact Joe Thompson.

MEET BIDS FOR
SEPT. 1 - DEC. 31 ARE
DUE IN JUNE 15

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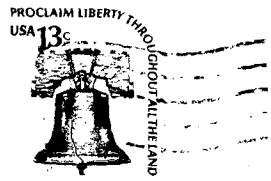
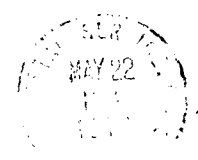
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NEWSLETTER-PLUS

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JUNE 1977

IN THIS ISSUE: Swimmers Moving Up.....A Summer All-Star MeetState of the Union...
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Chairmen.....New Clubs for Your List.....Dates You Should Be Aware Of..

MARK YOUR CALENDARS!!! AND MAKE YOUR BEST TIMES !!!

There's going to be a special meet.

ALL-STAR AGE GROUP LONG COURSE MEET
New England Association-vs-Connecticut Association
August 23 & 24, 1977
at
Ocean Beach Park - New London, Connecticut

The New England Association All-Star team will be determined by the best times for Long Course Season. Starting with the Brown Long Course Meet of May 21st and going through Region 1,11,111 on August 7th the Top Ten Times Committee will be keeping records of long course times which will determine who will be on the team. Those making the team will be notified. (Events and details will be worked out soon.)

The July "Newsletter Plus" will carry complete details.

MAKE THE TEAM AND GET IN ON THE FUN !!!

NOTE TO COACHES

Any NEAAU Coaches interested in coaching the All-Star Teams (this L.C. Meet with the Connecticut Association and subsequent All-Star Meets) should contact either the Swimming Office at 48 Brainard Road, Wilbraham, MA 01095, Phone: (413) 596-4812 or Dick Schafer at (617) 393-8940

A list of interested coaches is being prepared and an equitable way of letting those who wish to coach do so is being worked out.

RECORD BOOKS....Those who purchased record books at the Banquet will find that the OPEN records were not included. If you wish to complete your book you may by contacting Glenna Griswold at the address above. She will mail you the pages to make your book complete.

MORE TEAMS TO ADD TO YOUR LIST:

Cape Ann YMCA
c/o Dan Warner
Aquatics Director
71 Middle Street
Gloucester, MA 01930

Boys Club of Nashua
c/o Stephen Descz
Aquatics Director
45 Simon Street
Nashua, NH 03060

ADDRESS CHANGE:

Manchester Swim Team
c/o Barbara Fellbaum, Sec.
34 Allen Street
Manchester, NH 03102

Below you will find a list of swimmers and times that were mistakenly left out of short course Top Ten Times. If you know of others that should have been included and weren't please notify the swimming office. We cannot change the book, but we can publish the swimmers in the Newsletter.

Please remember....If your swimmers do their times at out-of-district meets individuals or coaches must be responsible for getting them to the committee. The group works entirely from results published from New England District Meets.

The Chairman of the Top Ten Times Committee is Sylvia Chase, 13 Rutland Terrace, Worcester, MA 01609.

CORRECTIONS: (Short Course)

10 & Under Boys

B. Latouille	TRI-Y	100 Yd Breaststroke	Tie	10th	1:27.94
C. Crowley	SAC	200 Yd. Freestyle		10th	2:28.40

10 & Under Girls

P. Jeter	UN	100 Yd. Butterfly		9th	1:27.36
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11-12 Girls

J. Morrison	LYW	100 Yd. Breaststroke		6th	1:19.60
L. Tulimieri	MSYV	500 Yd. Freestyle		6th	5:48.10
S. McMinaman	MAKY	100 Yd Freestyle		5th	59.50

13-14 Girls

L. Tulimieri	MSYV	1650 Yd Freestyle		10th	20:02.93
D. Sabina	BCSY	200 Yd Freestyle		1	1:55.01

CORRECTIONS: (Long Course)

8 & Under Boys

A. Jacobs	SAC	50 Yd. Breaststroke		1st	47.98
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10 & Under Boys

A. Jacobs	SAC	50 Yd. Breaststroke		10th	47.98
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13-14 Girls

K. Kazanjian	MEB	200 Yd. Breaststroke		10th	3:20.00
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OTHER MISTAKES: Susan Schafer should be included in the 11-12 Girls Outstanding Swimmer Group.

PLEASE NOTE: If your swimmers swim OPEN events or your 8 & Unders swimmers 10 & Under coaches and/or parents should consider sending their results to Top Ten just to be sure. Until all teams print ages on their 10 & Under or OPEN events it is very hard to identify the various swimmers. Most of the mistakes made in this season's Top Ten involved swims done in these Age Groups.

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Again it is our pleasure to print the names of swimmers moving up in their respective age groups at the various meets. Below you will find the names from the results of TRI-Y (Southbridge "C", Cranston Y "B" and "C" in April, Cranston Y "B" in May and Brown Long Course "C" and "B" at the end of May.

TRI-Y "C" April8 & Under Girls

"A"
B. Schwartz NBYW
C. Foster NBYW
"B"
C. Gibson TRIY
C. Foster NBYW
W. Woolhouse TRIY
B. Schwartz NBYW
M. Belletete GM
K. Quelch ECB

8 & Under Boys

"B"
S. Martin MELY
A. McLean SDST
M. Schrufen EEC

10 & Under Girls

"B"
M. Coyne GYSC
L. Sevigney LYM
P. Grady AMW
M. Fianagan MELY
J. Quelch ECB

10 & Under Boys

"B"
M. Desmarais GM
M. Buonomo GYSC

11-12 Girls

"B"
R. Ward ECB
L. Bordlund WSC
M. Oliva WGC
J. Hayes LYM
D. Detreault TRIY
S. Mulcahy SDST
P. Grady AMW
H. Bosik TRIY
P. Collins MELY
D. Codarre TRIY
C. Bialecki WGC

11-12 Boys

"B"
C. Merriam SAC
K. Latona TRIY
E. Andrew DAD
C. Swirbliss TRIY
S. Zuidema WGC
T. Daley AMW
D. Mitchell GYSC
J. Gabriel GYSC

13-14 Girls

"B"
M. Thurber TRIY
P. Burns ECB
L. Sevigney LYM
C. Buonomo GYSC
S. Godfrey TRIY
J. Lundstrom DAD
P. Burns ECB

13-14 Boys

"B"
B. O'Neil DAD
P. deMoor GYSC

OPEN Girls

"B"
J. Gardner ECB

OPEN Boys

"B"
R. Moore ECB
J. Hill EVB
M. Tetreault TRIY
S. Mann TRIY

CRANSTON Y "C" 4/16/778 & Under Boys "B"

B. Villanova CRY
H. Guilderson CAMBY
J. Garside CAMBY
M. Solomon VGST
R. Gebhardt CAMBY
G. Coutu PBC

8 & Under Girls

"A"
S. Kantor UN
C. Bouden BSC
S. Bendyl PY
D. Sparkes CRY
"B"
S. Bendyl PY
D. Deleone KCY
C. Foster NBYW
J. Matucci CRY
C. Cappuccio PY
K. Sonderegger DARY
H. Hysko PY
S. Kaufman CRY
M. Mello PBC
H. Goldfine CRY
S. Kantor UN
C. O'Brien PY

10 & Under Boys

"A"
J. Tierney CAMBY
"B"
A. Villanova CRY
C. Giglio DARY
J. Tierney CAMBY
M. DiChiaro CRY

10 & Under Girls

"B"
B. Adams ESY
D. Donovan VGST
M. Larned SD
L. Peckenham PY
C. Magg LYW

11-12 Boys

"B"
P. Cardoza CEDAR
S. King BSC
A. Magg LBC
T. Nickerson CAMBY
S. Malcolm CAMBY
F. DeFreitas CRY
M. Caldeira CEDAR
S. Zuidema WGC

Cranston "C" 4/77 cont.11-12 Girls

"B"

M. Cyr	FRY
M. McSally	BSC
D. Dunbae	NSSC
A. Curran	DMS
L. Brown	BSC
B. Perry	U"
M. Deady	DMS
L. LaPointe	WGC
K. Pesare	CRY
D. Jerome	FRY
L. Borglund	WSC
K. Laffey	LYM
J. Mosse	DEVY

13-14 Boys

"B"

K. Mason	ESY
J. Figlock	CEDAR
C. Cronin	DMS
R. Atwood	DEVY
A. Winegard	BSC
D. Walberg	TRIV
T. Zuidema	WGC

13-14 Girls

"B"

K. Kelly	CLBC
P. Howe	DEVY
L. Sevigny	LYM
D. England	WSC
C. Pesare	CRY

CRANSTON Y "B" 4/17/7710 & Under Boys

"A"

J. Tierney	CANBY
C. Zuidema	WGC
A. Mills	SBDC

10 & Under Girls

"A"

C. Dragon	PY
S. Wishnevsky	PY
K. Ehrlich	UN
J. Oliva	WGC
B. Adams	MSY

11-12 Boys

"A"

M. Fitzgerald	CANBY
J. Gross	ESY
P. Kitchen	FRY
E. Smith	FRY
R. Jenkins	ESY

11-12 Girls

"A"

P. Sherlock	PBC
K. Ockerse	ESY
L. Dunn	CLBC

13-14 Boys

"A"

J. Boyer	SBDC
F. Sandler	NSSC
D. Hutchinson	VGST
A. Rosenthal	NSSC

13-14 Girls

"A"

L. Trayers	SST
C. Dufour	SST
M. Lawrence	FRY

OPEN Girls

B. Grazulis	WGC
K. Hudner	FRY
N. Galvin	CRY
B. Robson	VGST
P. Lux	MELY
D. Hooker	NSSC

CRANSTON Y "B" 5/15/778 & Under Boys

"A"

D. Villanova	CRY
T. McCready	TRO'TS
M. Anderson	TRO'TS
J. Welger	TRO'TS
J. Garside	CANBY

8 & Under Girls

"A"

M. Dennis	FRY
D. Sparkes	CRY
S. Kantor	UN
M. Kelly	TRO'TS

10 & Under Girls

"A"

B. Adams	ESY
D. Griffin	TRO'TS
D. Welger	TRO'TS

11-12 Boys

"A"

M. Kitchen	CANBY
T. Trotman	TRO'TS
A. Griffin	TRO'TS
S. Mann	TRIV

11-12 Girls

"A"

M. Kelly	TRO'TS
K. Flaherty	NEB

13-14 Girls

"A"

S. Mulcahy	SDST
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13-14 Boys

"A"

T. Pheland	CRY
R. Landry	LBC
B. Galvin	CRY

OPEN Girls

"A"

P. Armstrong	NBY
N. Galvin	CRY

BROWN L.C. "C" 5/29/7710 & Under Boys

"B"

R. Kennedy	HRY
S. Sullivan	PBC
K. Flynn	HRY

10 & Under Girls

"B"

W. Brown	SAC
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BROWN L.C. "C" contd.11-12 Boys

"B"
 J. Dobkowski UN
 P. Cardoza CEDAR

11-12 Girls

"B"
 L. Simone NSSC
 K. Deswick UN
 S. St. Pierre FRY
 K. Andrews BSC
 H. Derkovits UN
 S. Vanderkey FRY
 C. Dialecki WGC
 C. Palemer WGC

13-14 Boys

"B"
 K. Salisbury ESY
 J. Butler BSC
 A. Herrera BSC

13-14 Girls

"B"
 E. Rippy SAC
 A. Deswick UN
 C. Heath GYSC

OPEN GIRLS

"B"
 S. Deswick UN
 T. Jennings ECD
 C. DeSimone TVSC
 P. Kuong SAC
 C. Jones SAC
 E. Rippy SAC

BROWN L.C. "B" 5/28/7710 & Under Boys

"A"
 J. Dobkowski UN
 P. Kitchen FRY

10 & Under Girls

"A"
 M. O'Neil DAD
 "A"
 M. O'Neil DAD

10 & Under Girls cont.

"A"
 K. Griswold SSC
 K. Schafer SAC
 M. McCluskey WGC

11-12 Girls

"A"
 A. Drolette UN
 P. O'Connell SAC
 D. Geissler MED
 S. Harris BSC

13-14 Boys

"A"
 J. Drolette UN
 M. Cohen SAC
 S. Beaton MED

13-14 Girls

"A"
 V. White SAC
 C. Heath GYSC
 J. Chase AMM

OPEN Boys "A"

B. Temme MED
 D. Walberg TRI-Y

OPEN Girls

"A"
 S. Stevens SAC
 C. Jones SAC
 E. Rippy SAC
 S. Mulcahy SBST

INFORMATION AND NEWS YOU MIGHT BE ABLE TO USE:

Age Group Records: Age Group Records Chairman Joe Drolette reports that all reportable times submitted to him for National Top Ten by the NEAAU June 1st deadline were reported to National by the June 15th deadline.

Coaches Please Note: If your swimmers make a record or if they do a reportable time you must contact Joe with their Name, Age, Club, AAU # and Birthdate. He must also know which meet if it was done in district or have copies of the results if it was done out of district. Joe's address is 59 So. Douglas St., Rockland, MA., 02370

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Certification: Watch the summer meet sheets for a chance to become certified. Several of the summer meets are holding certification clinics before either the morning or afternoon session of their meets. In some cases there will be a clinic before both sessions. The clubs doing this are putting notes on or in their entry blanks. Watch for them.

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Sanction/Calendar: The meets for the period between September 1 and December 31 have been awarded. The schedule is a busy one with 22 meets in the 10 weeks between October 15 and December 18th. We do need one or two Senior Development Meets. Any club wishing to hold one should contact either Mark Michelson at 481 Carew Street, Springfield, MA., 01104 or the swimming office.

Meet bids for the period from January 1, 1978 to April 30, 1978 are due in on October 1st. The meet bidding letter will be changed slightly. The new letters will be available from the swimming office after July 15th.

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Age-Group Committee: Those named in the next column are working on a program to improve Age-Group swimming. If you have some ideas please contact them and give them your input. Chair-

women of this committee is Coralie O'Connor, 30 Malworth Street, Worcester MA., 01602. Others are: Tom Guyton Worcester Swim Club, "C" Meets, Charles Jacob, Danvers, "A" Meets, Phil Smith, Fall River Y, Rules, Ed Wingfield, Hampshire Regional Y, "B" Meets.

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For your information...the winter schedule includes one "AAA" meet and one "A", "AA", "AAA" (Eastern Sprints) meet.

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The calendar/sanction committee is working on "event packets" for meets to see that everyone gets a chance to swim what they need

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The Executive Committee Meeting now scheduled for July 13th (Wednesday) will be mainly concerned with budget for the coming year. If you have suggestions please contact the swimming office, Joe Thompson, or attend the meeting. Final details about where the meeting is and what time will be available from the swimming office after July 1st.

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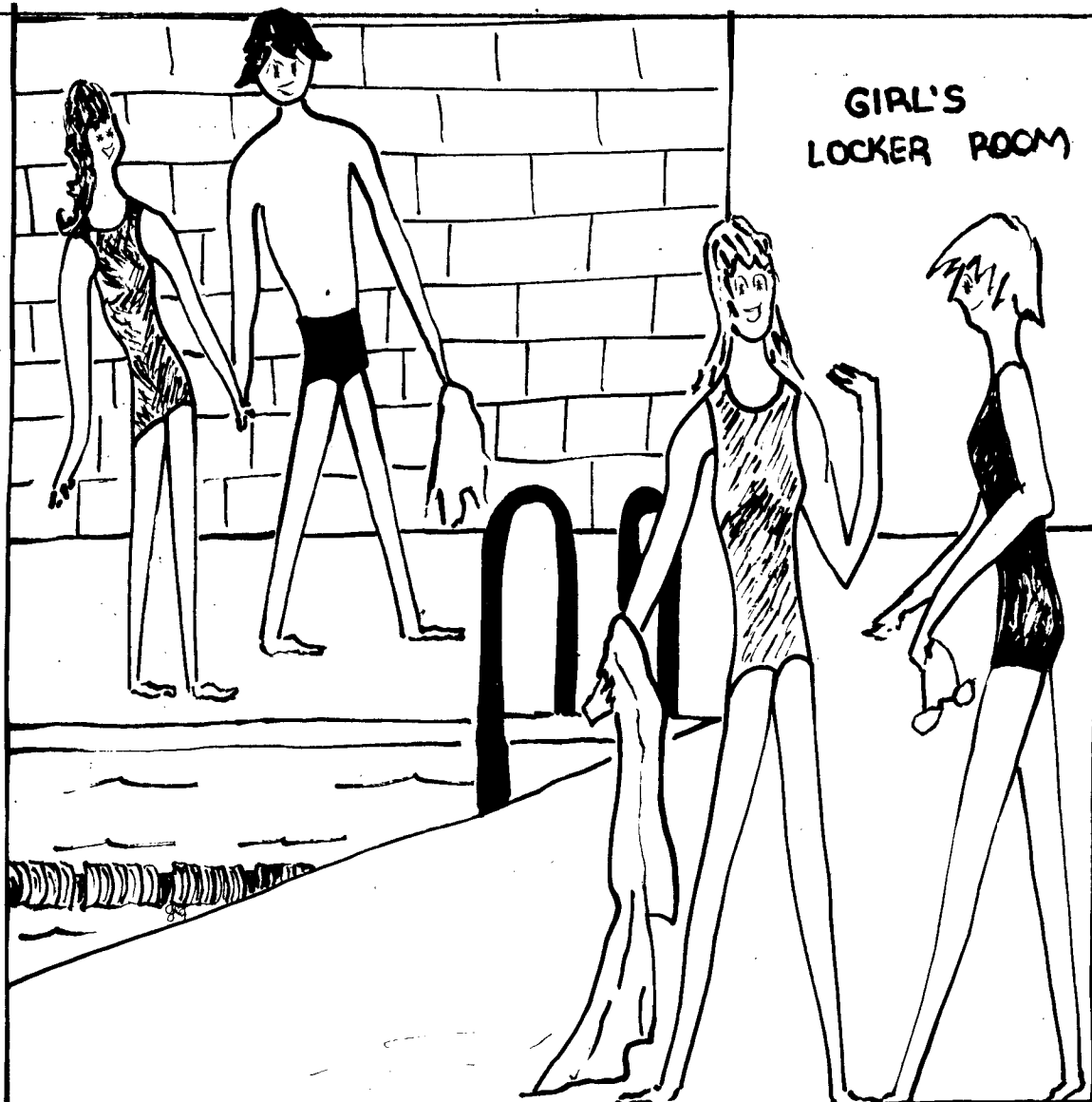
Record Books may be ordered from the swimming office, 48 Brainard Road, Wilbraham, MA 01095. Please include check for \$2.00 made out to the NEAAU Swimming Committee.

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Is your club doing something special this summer? Let us know about it so we can share it with others. Write Glenna Griswold, Newsletter Plus,

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By-Law changes passed at the meeting in May are being typed and will probably be out with the July issue of the Newsletter to Swimming Committee Member Clubs.



We went steady 'til I beat him in the 100 free.

News cont.....

Clubs should watch for postcards that will be sent out during July or August that will get them on the Meet List for the next season. When you receive them please fill in all the information carefully. The list published in the Fall is the only one all year that is published completely. After the fall list is published clubs that reply get put in the Newsletter as we receive their cards. Get on the first list. Watch for the cards.

UNPUBLISHED SUMMER MEETS

Sunday, July 24 MINI-MEET

Facility: Hampshire Regional Y

Contact: Kim Bierwert, Hampshire Regional Y, 286 Prospect St., Northampton, MA, 01060

Sunday, July 17 IMPROVEMENT MEET -
"A" - "B" - "C"

Facility: 50 Meter Outdoor Pool
Dover, N

Contact: Ned Jewell, 13 Shawnee Lane, Dover, NH 03820

NOTE: This meet will give swimmers who have been getting cut a chance to swim strokes in all three divisions at one meet.

STATE OF THE UNION.....Joe Thompson, Chairman NEAAU Swimming Committee

The awards banquet held this month was at Rocky Point, Rhode Island. Besides eating shore, cakes, chowder, chicken and watermelon, the top swimmers received their short course certificates. Most of the swimmers extended their afternoon by participating in the activities available to them at the amusement park. It can be noted that Jean Johnson, Jay and Debbie Mogavro, Paul Rossi and the Cranston coaching crew were all seen enjoying getting soaked on the flume.

The winners of the I MADE IT IN SWIMMING WORLD T-Shirts donated to the banquet by Swimming World Magazine went home all smiles. It looks as though the banquet will be at Rocky Point again next year for both long and short course unless we can find a date in the busy fall for a long course banquet.

The NEAAU annual meeting for electing delegates to the National Convention will be held Wednesday, June 22 in Boston. It is hoped that the swimming clubs will load this meeting to help New England swimming get at least three at the convention to cover the meetings pertaining to swimming. Nominations can come from the floor and you must be a voting member to be elected. My name will be on the slate but I will be in the hospital for minor work and will not be present. I would like swimming people present to see that I and at least two others are elected.

My last thought...

I do not see any move by clubs or schools (exclusive of Harvard University) to build any long course pools here in New England. I have mentioned that New England has a proven pool not at Cedardale as an example of one that can be built for \$50,000. Noone has come for more information and noone has helped me find a low cost building to cover this type of pool.

I feel that New England swimming will be able to compete better with the rest of the world when we have more pools for practice. If you have any ideas write or call as soon as possible.

BELOW ARE THE CUTS FOR THE SENIOR MEET (July 8, 9, 10) REGION I (July 22,23,24) AND REGION I, II, III (August 5, 6, 7) ALL THREE MEETS WILL BE A BROWN IN PROVIDENCE.

SENIORS seed times are listed in yards with meters in(parentheses) Seeding will be done with yard times. If you enter with a meter time it must be stated on your entry blank and the meet director will convert it. Do not convert your own times.

Times must have been achieved since January 1, 1976

<u>WOMEN</u>	<u>METERS</u>	<u>EVENT</u>	<u>METERS</u>	<u>MEN</u>
1:06.32	(1:15.61)	100 Meter Butterfly	(1:07.25)	58.99
5:36.86	(5:07.22)	400 Meter Freestyle	(4:44.20)	5:11.61
1:09.34	(1:19.05)	100 Meter Backstroke	(1:11.49)	1:02.71
2:23.58	(2:43.69)	200 Meter IM	(2:31.74)	2:13.10
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2:39.06	(3:01.33)	200 Meter Butterfly	(2:48.37)	2:27.69
1:17.71	(1:28.60)	100 Meter Breaststroke	(1:20.11)	1:10.27
2:08.14	(2:26.09)	200 Meter Freestyle	(2:15.29)	1:58.67
5:13.51	(5:57.41)	400 Meter IM	(5:29.43)	4:58.97
-----	-----	800 Meter Free Relay	-----	-----
58.14	(1:06.28)	100 Meter Freestyle	(1:00.86)	53.88
2:29.14	(2:50.03)	200 Meter Backstroke	(2:39.03)	2:19.50
2:44.23	(3:07.23)	200 Meter Breaststroke	(3:01.87)	2:39.53
19:43.17	(20:13.17)	1500 Meter Freestyle	(19:21.01)	18:51.01
(1650)	-----	400 Meter Free Relay	-----	(1650)
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REGION I (All times in METERS)

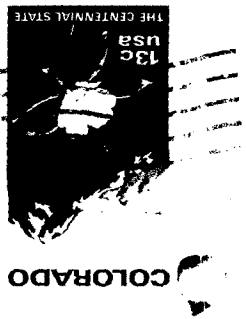
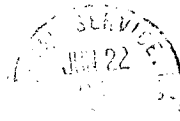
<u>WOMEN</u>	<u>EVENT</u>	<u>MEN</u>
1:11.8	100 M Fly	1:04.5
4:52.24	400 M Free	4:27.4
1:14.9	100 M Back	1:08.2
2:39.01	200 M IM	2:26.2
5:14.9	400 M MR	4:39.84
2:44.9	200 M Fly	2:28.14
1:25.9	100 M Breast	1:17.54
2:19.07	200 M Free	2:05.2
5:42.41	400 M IM	5:12.76
10:30.0	800 M FR	9:08.2
1:04.32	100 M Free	58.08
2:41.78	200 M Back	2:25.46
3:03.8	200 M Breast	2:49.28
19:51.25	1500 M Free	18:01.73
4:25.0	400 M FR	4:10.0

REGION I,II,III (All times in METERS)

<u>WOMEN</u>	<u>EVENT</u>	<u>MEN</u>
1:09.71	100 M Fly	1:01.46
4:40.30	400 M Free	4:22.34
1:12.49	100 M Back	1:05.08
2:34.06	200 M IM	2:20.88
4:58.16	400 M MR	4:23.12
2:34.29	200 M Fly	2:17.93
1:22.99	100 M Breast	1:12.93
2:14.47	200 M Free	2:02.37
5:29.02	400 M IM	5:07.89
9:48.16	800 M FR	9:04.56
1:02.92	100 M Free	56.22
2:35.17	200 M Back	2:20.89
2:57.36	200 M Breast	2:39.29
19:08.92	1500 M Free	17:43.15
4:34.11	400 M FR	4:04.21

GOOD LUCK ! ! ! !

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NEWSLETTER-PLUS

AN OFFICIAL PUBLICATION OF THE NEAAU COMPETITIVE SWIMMING COMMITTEE

AUGUST, 1977

IN THIS ISSUE: Fall Meet List.....Reminder about bidding for winter meets....Corrections to Top Ten....A money making idea from National....Coach wanted....Certification Clinic....Reminder about National Top Ten Reportable Times....Explanation of National Swimming AwardDate for Fall Meeting Set

Meet Bids

Bids for meets to be run between January 1, 1978 and April 30 are to be in the swimming office by October 1, 1977.

MEET DIRECTORS TAKE NOTICE

SENIORS

The Seniors Meet will be out for bid until October 1, 1977. After that date bids cannot be accepted for this meet.

The meet is to be run on March 10, 11, 12, 1978.

Requirements for the meet include the availability of a pool all day Friday, Saturday and Sunday, adequate spectator seating, the ability to use electronic touch pad timing and the availability of motels, etc. for housing swimmers.

Other details may be obtained by contacting the swimming office at (413) 596-4812.

THIS WEEK THE NEAAU ALL-STARS MEET THE CONNECTICUT ALL-STARS IN NEW LONDON FOR WHAT PROMISES TO BE A GOOD MEET AND AN ENJOYABLE EXPERIENCE FOR ALL CONCERNED. THE NEXT ISSUE OF NEWS + WILL CARRY THE RESULTS OF THAT MEET.

CERTIFICATION CLINIC

Below is the information on the first certification clinic to be run this fall. Please, if you plan to attend let the contact person know as far in advance as possible so that the proper materials will be available.

SPONSOR: Lowell Boys' Club Swim Team
Parents Association

DATE: Sunday, September 25, 1977

PLACE &
TIME: 665 Middlesex Street, Lowell, MA.
10:00 AM

TYPE: Timers and Judges,
Stroke and Turn
Referee and Starter

CONTACT: Sigrid Schippert
6 Smokerise Drive
Chelmsford, MA 01824
Phone: (617) 256-7778

SWIM COMMITTEE FALL MEETING

Saturday, September 17th has been set as the date for the Fall meeting. This will be an all day meeting with a discussion of budget to take place in the morning and the general meeting to take place in the afternoon. PLAN NOW TO ATTEND. There are important items coming up that all clubs should discuss. If your club is not represented they do not get to vote. Your vote is your say in how swimming will be run in New England.

IMMEDIATE JOB OPENING

MANCHESTER STATE CHAMPIONS ARE SEEKING A NEW COACH FOR A YEAR ROUND AAU PROGRAM. 90 SWIMMERS FROM NOVICE TO REGIONAL QUALIFIERS. 32 WEEK WINTER PROGRAM 1 1/2 HRS POOL TIME PER WEEK. 12 WEEK SUMMER PROGRAM 6 HRS/DAY POOL TIME IN 10 LANE 50 METER POOL. SALARY OPEN DEPENDING ON QUALIFICATIONS. HOPE TO FILL POSITION BY NOVEMBER 1. SEND DETAILED RESUME TO: Mrs. Robert Luby, Pres. Manchester Swim Team Birchwood Circle Bedford, NH 03102

REMINDER

Times to be submitted to the National Top Ten Times must be in to Joe Prolette by September 1st. If you have not sent in times that are reportable do it today!!! Send them to Joe Prolette, 59 So. Douglas St., Rockland, ME 02370

INCLUDED IN THIS NEWSLETTER IS A PAGE SENT TO US BY NATIONAL EXPLAINING THE AAU SWIMMING AWARD. WE THOUGHT PEOPLE IN THE NEW ENGLAND DISTRICT MIGHT BE INTERESTED IN THE AWARD AND HOW IT IS PRESENTED.

Money Making Idea

The Holiday Inn system in conjunction with the AAU has set up a program for making contributions when a club stays at a Holiday Inn during an AAU sporting event. To make the program work you get an Accounting Card(s) from the local AAU or National AAU. Each time you are involved in an official program and stay at a Holiday Inn you fill in the requested information on the card indicating the sport, the local AAU organization, the dates you were at the inn and the number of nights. You take the card to the registration desk at the inn and they verify the information and mail the card to headquarters as authorization to make the contribution to the AAU on your behalf.

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TEN
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STAFF OF THE UNION..... Joe Thompson

I could not help but notice all of the work involved in setting up the Bay State Circuit this year. The meet was run smoothly with a minimum of mistakes. The workers went in harmony with the meet.

I have also noticed that this sort of thing is happening every weekend during the summer and winter season.

It is at this time that I would like to honor all of those volunteers that are making AHS swimming such a successful operation. There is seldom a meet that will run well with less than 30 to 40 volunteers unless the meet is electronically timed. New England has only a few electronically timed meets so that means we have quite a few volunteers.

It is a fact that we have had only a few meets with complaints during the last couple of years and it is due largely to good volunteer help. Most meets are run by nearby help because of the turnover of families in swimming. This means that these people have to jump into a job new and learn it quickly. New England's Meet Managers packet has been a help when it is used as a guideline plus experienced meet directors passing on their knowledge to new club members.

To all those that have worked a meet this past year...Director, Clerk of Course, Referee, Starter, Timer, Stroke and Turn, Typist, Food dispenser, Clean-Up and Runner...I thank you very much for without you all our New England Swimmers would be in trouble "times" and not half as prepared for JO's and Nationals as they are.

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I hope you will notice the new format for our Fall meeting. I feel that an understanding of the budget is necessary so I am scheduling a budget meeting before the general meeting. It is expected that those interested in how we should obtain and spend money be at the morning meeting so that the general meeting can run smoothly.

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THINGS I WOULD LIKE TO SEE.....

- ...I would like to see most of the New England meets be electronically timed.
- ...I would like a system where New England AAU Competitive Swimming could reimburse clubs some of the money needed to rent an electronic system or the NEAAU purchase an electronic system for clubs to use

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as their meets at a very low charge.

...I would like to see NEAAAU find a computer system that can work without the huge cost I have been quoted.

...I would like the NEAAAU or individual to purchase a starter set of horns for loan to better prepare our swimmers for the bigger meets.

...I would like to see officials dressed in white at meets of all levels.

...I would like to see letters from parents when they see things they like about swimming.

...I would like to see 90% of the clubs at our annual meeting September 17.

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The All-Star meet this summer is being well accepted by our swimmers and I feel that we will do a good job down in Connecticut.

I am amazed at the All-Star Committee and all the time and work they have put into a difficult task. Final decisions have been coming a little late because of the tremendous task of being fair to all swimmers plus the many phone calls where we could not get answers. The summer season is short and the team had to be chosen after a fair number of meets had been swum. Even with a couple of 2:00 AM meetings the job has been complicated.

DO YOU KNOW ANY OF THESE SWIMMERS?

The swimmers listed below have TOP Ten Certificates in the swimming office. Please contact Glenna Griswold, 40 Trainard Road, Milbraham MA 01025 if you want them sent.

A. Ledwith, M. Oulette
J. Berrier, J. Smith
M. McInnis, G. Hoar
B. McInnis, M. McSwaney
H. Taylor

TOP TEN TIMES

Below are the final corrections on short course Top Ten. Since we are now into another season and about to publish the long course top ten there will be no more corrections made. B is for Boys - G for girls.

T. Reid 11-12 500 FR 6th HWY-G
P. Jeter 10 & U 100 Fly 9th MST-G
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Top Ten cont'd

S. Pandall 6th 13-14 200 BR HWY-G
J. Destani 9 & U 500 BR HWY-G
S. McInnin 11-12 100BK 10th HWY-G
G. Marshall 9th 9 & U 50 M BR HWY-G
S. Caron 15-16 100 BK 3rd SAC-G
" " 15-16 200IM 9th SAC-G
" " OPEN 100 BK 5th SAC-G
S. Pandya 10 & U 50FR 3rd SAC-G
" " 100 FR 2nd SAC-G
" " 200 FR 2nd SAC-G
" " 100 BK 6th SAC-G
" " 100 BR 5th SAC-G
" " 100 FLY 5th SAC-G
" " 200 IM 2nd SAC-G

Suni Pandya - SAC - 10 & Under - Girl
Outstanding Swimmer
Ed Bahan - MST - OPEN - Outstanding
Swimmer

T. Yen 8 & U 25 FR 6th MST-G

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June 25, 1977

TO: All Aquatic Disciplines, Organizations, Periodicals, and Allied Groups

FROM: Dr. Harold W. Henning, Chairman
AAU Swimming Award Committee

SUBJECT: AMATEUR ATHLETIC UNION SWIMMING AWARD

Dear Colleagues:

The Amateur Athletic Union Swimming Award is presented annually to the individual or organization making the greatest contribution for the advancement of the sport of swimming during the current year.

We are enclosing pertinent information "About the Award," "About the Statue," and more specifically, "The Basis of Selecting Award Winners."

We know that throughout the length and breadth of the country, there are many dedicated individuals and organizations who have made outstanding contributions to the growth of our sport. Too often they go unrecognized. Members of this committee are somewhat surprised that more organizations and individual swimmers have not been nominated for this prestigious award.

The AAU Swimming Award Committee, composed of previous Award Laureates, urges and invites you, to submit nominations for the 1976 Award.

NOMINATIONS SHOULD BE SUPPORTED WITH BACKGROUND MATERIAL AND YOUR REASONS FOR THE NOMINATIONS.

It is imperative that your nominations be forwarded to me, 555 North Washington Street, Naperville, Illinois 60540 not later than September 1, 1977.

Very sincerely yours

HWH:dm

Enclosures

AAU SWIMMING AWARD COMMITTEE
Dr. Harold W. Henning, Chairman



THE FOREMOST HONOR OF ITS KIND IN THE UNITED STATES

ABOUT THE AWARD:

The AAU Swimming Award is conferred annually upon an Individual or Organization by the Amateur Athletic Union of the United States. A Resolution adopted by the AAU Board of Governors in 1953 authorized acceptance of the Award from its Founder and Donor, Bruce S. Hopping of Laguna Beach, California. The Trophy is a life-size bronze statue and is permanently located in the lobby of the AAU House in Indianapolis. A bronze replica of the original clay sketch of the sculpture and a diploma attesting the honor are conferred upon the Laureate each year during a special ceremony at the AAU National Convention Awards Banquet by the National AAU Swimming Award Committee.

THE BASIS OF SELECTING AWARD LAUREATES:

The AAU Swimming Award Committee, in selecting the Laureates each year, will give consideration to the following criteria used as a basis for judgment in making evaluations of the contributions of Individuals or Organizations nominated for the Award:

- Emphases on the importance of swimming as a healthy exercise, for recreation, competition and utilitarian value.
- Efforts which stimulate increased interest on the part of government and communities, institutions and service organizations to provide suitable facilities to further the purposes of swimming as an essential activity.
- Stimulation of interest in providing instructional personnel in swimming and communities, colleges, schools and industry.
- Writing and developing original material in the various fields of swimming. Such material will include text books, motion pictures studies, charts and other audiovisual aids which tend to improve instruction.
- Outstanding achievement in competition which creates incentive to advance swimming.

FOUNDED, COMMISSIONED AND GRANTED TO THE AAU BY BRUCE S. HOPPING, KALOS KAGATHOS FOUNDATION, LAGUNA BEACH, CALIFORNIA.

ABOUT THE STATUE:

The creator of the statue was Joe Brown, Professor of Sculpture in the School of Architecture at Princeton University. His conception suggests that swimming is an activity in which the individual - if he is to be successful - must relate his own abilities to the limitations that are imposed on him by the character of the natural factors involved - the water. The Giant symbolizes the Spirit of Water - Poseidon - who has spread his arms to allow two swimmers to utilize the good that can be found in healthy water experience. The powerful arms and shaggy head suggest a capacity for turbulence, for in swimming the importance of the water - the need to cooperate with rather than fight Nature - is always evident to the swimmer, whose victory is over Man, not Nature, and his pride is tempered by humility.

AWARD LAUREATES

- 1954 Federation Internationale de Natation
- 1955 Amateur Swimming Federation of Japan
- 1956 Mrs. Beth Kaufman, Chairman
National AAU Age Group Committee
- 1957 Amateur Swimming Union of Australia
- 1958 Lawrence J. Johnson, ASUA
Robert J. H. Kiphuth, Yale University
R. Max Ritter, FINA
- 1959 Carl O. Bauer, Missouri Athletic Club
- 1960 F. Jeffery Farrell, New Haven Swim Club
- 1961 Mary Freeman Kelly, Vesper Boat Club
- 1962 I. Murray Rose, Los Angeles A.C.
ASU of Australia
- 1963 Dr. James Counsilman, Indiana University
- 1964 Dr. Harold W. Henning, Chairman
National AAU Men's Swimming Committee
- 1965 George F. Haines, Santa Clara S.C.
- 1966 College Swimming Coaches Association of
America
Harry Hainsworth, AAU Aquatics Admn.
- 1967 Albert Schoenfield, Swimming World
- 1968 Deborah Meyer, Arden Hills S.C.
- 1969 Federacion Mexicana de Natacion
- 1970 Michael J. Burton, Arden Hills S.C.
Charles McCaffree, Michigan State Univ.
- 1971 Alfred "Red" Barr, South. Methodist Univ.
- 1972 Mark Spitz, Arden Hills S.C.
Kenneth Treadway, Oklahoma AAU Assoc.
- 1973 Edwin Olson, Pacific AAU Assoc.
- 1974 Dr. John A. Bogert, Missouri Valley AAU
- 1975 Peter Daland, Univ. South. California
- 1976 John Naber, Ladera Oaks S.C.

TOP TEN TIMES

Below is an order blank for ^{Top Ten} Times. We will be printing to order only. Copies will be \$2.50 each.

Please Note: If your swimmers did open events, or your eight and under's did 10 & Under events where you think they may qualify please send the events, the meet and the times done to the swimming office no later than September 5th so that they will be sure to be included in the rankings.

The All-Star meet will count for the Top 10.

The swimming office will mail out the certificates as soon as they are ready. Please remember that there are about 750 certificates to be made out in addition to the original typing of the booklet. The committee cannot finish figuring top ten until we have the last meet results. All of this takes time. We will get them to you as soon as possible.

CERTIFICATION CHAIRMAN NEEDED

Due to increased responsibilities, Kim Bierwert is no longer able to continue as Certification Chairman. We need a qualified person to act in this important position. We need a volunteer. Contact Joe Thomson if you are interested in the job, or have

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dividual in mind that you think is qualified and would be able to take on this responsibility. Joe's phone number is (617) 853-9143

WE ONLY RECEIVED COLLEGE LISTS FROM TWO CLUBS AND WOULD LIKE MORE. IN ADDITION TO KNOWING WHERE OUR SWIMMERS ARE SO THAT WE CAN WATCH FOR THEM, THE SWIMMERS THEMSELVES WOULD LIKE TO KNOW WHERE VARIOUS NEW ENGLAND COMPATRIOTS CAN BE CONTACTED. PLEASE SEND YOUR LIST OF COLLEGE SWIMMERS TO THE SWIMMING OFFICE.

A PLEA TO MEET MANAGERS AND SECRETARIES

Please identify your meet and make sure that there is a code sheet of clubs attached to your results. Last season a couple of out of district swimmers made top ten because they could not be identified.

CLUB LIST TO THE SWIMMING OFFICE

Pioneer Valley Swim League
c/o Mrs. Isabelle Fraser
125 Franklin Road
Longmeadow, MA 01106



W. Libbman, aka 01095
48 Howard Street
New York, New York
New York, New York

NEWSLETTER-PLUS

AN OFFICIAL PUBLICATION OF THE NEAAU COMPETITIVE SWIMMING COMMITTEE

SEPTEMBER, 1977

IN THIS ISSUE: State of the Union....Outstanding Swimmers for Long Course Season....Additional Meets for the Fall Season....Reminders to Meet Managers....State of the Union.. ..Starting Blocks for Sale....Summer All-Star Meet....Financial News from the Swimming Committee....Coaching Position Available....College Swimmers....State of the Union....Additional meets for your list....Corrections on already announced meets....Swimmers going to England....Letters

SWIMMING COMMITTEE ANNUAL MEETING

The semi-annual meeting of the entire swimming committee took place on Saturday, September 17th in Worcester. The all-day meeting attended by about half the clubs on the swim committee spent most of the day on budget. Below are some of the main points that came out of the meeting.

New budgeted items include support for transportation, administrative and award costs for increased all-star competition, support for New England swimmers attending National Junior Olympics and Senior Nationals, an increased operating budget for the committee, and some support for the chairman to attend the National Convention.

For income to support the new items the committee voted in an increased surcharge that is designed to allocate expenses to those that are receiving the most. Beginning November 1 the surcharge on "C" entries will be 10¢, on "B" entries 15¢ and on "A" entries 25¢. The committee hopes to build up some advertising in the Newsletter and will also pick up the running of two Age-Group Championships per year to help support the increase in the budget. The committee will still run Seniors unless an individual club wishes to bid for it.

Complete minutes of the meeting will be available shortly to member clubs. An additional motion passed was to change the club surcharge to \$20.00 per year for committee membership. This fee will include the Newsletter, the Meet Managers Manual, Top Ten Times for long and short course, a New England Record Book, the current rule book and any mailings put out by the committee. Clubs who have already paid \$5.00 and wish to stay members of the committee may pay an additional \$15.00 and their membership will run until September 30, 1978. Those that do not wish to pay the additional \$15.00 will continue to receive their Newsletter through June, 1978 but will not be committee members.

NEW VERIFICATION CHAIRMAN

Bob Pyatt the New England OVC chairman has moved to Kentucky and a new verification chairman is now taking over his duties.

All requests for OVC cards should now be addressed to: Mrs. Lil Dembek
1 Westview Terrace
Easthampton, MA 01027

BIDS FOR MEETS TO BE RUN JANUARY 1, 1978 THROUGH APRIL 30, 1978 MUST BE IN THE SWIMMING OFFICE BY OCTOBER 1st. PLEASE LIST EVENTS YOU PLAN TO RUN ON YOUR BID

The Shawmut Relay Carnival Meet that has been mailed lists an entry fee of \$2.50 per event. This is the cost but there is no surcharge on relays.

CLUBS MAIL BACK THE CARDS THAT WERE SENT OUT IMMEDIATELY.

NEWSLETTER PLUS SUBSCRIPTIONS

Newsletter Plus subscriptions may be purchased for \$5.00/year by contacting Glenna Griswold, 48 Brainard Road, Wilbraham, MA 01095. Subscriptions run for one year from the month of purchase.

Some individuals have been requesting back issues. Depending on how many new subscriptions we receive in a given month they are sometimes available. However if new subscriptions for a month are way over the 25 extra we have printed we must charge 10¢ per page for copying. In most cases this will be 90¢.

We do have available extra copies of the current meet sheets at all times and will be glad to send these if you request them.

STARTING BLOCKS FOR SALE

The Melrose Y has available for sale four used fiberglass starting blocks. Anyone interested may contact Dick Whitworth at the Melrose Y. Phone: (617) 665-4360 Address: 497 Main Street, Melrose, MA 02176.

T-Shirts For Sale

We have a few large and extra large T-shirts left from the Winter All-Star Meet. Any swimmer who participated in either of the meets may purchase one at a sale price of \$3.00. They are excellent shirts, do not shrink much and are a bargain. Contact Glenna Griswold at the swimming office.

When you send money to the swimming office PLEASE DO NOT SEND CASH. Make all checks payable to: NEAAAU COMPETITIVE SWIMMING.

FILM: The film "Strokes for Gold" is still available for showing by clubs. Reservations can be made through the swimming office. This film is moving, excellent and great to show community groups as well as swimmers.

COACHING POSITION AVAILABLE

The Haverhill Swim Club is interviewing prospective candidates for an expanded program.

This season the Haverhill Swim Club plans to embark on a new year round AAU program encompassing 50-75 swimmers of all ages and levels of swimming ability. We have excellent facilities and ample pool time.

Anyone interested in applying for this position may do so by contacting:

Mr. Thomas Hannenian
16 Tenadel Ave.
Haverhill, MA 01830

We would like to print the names of your swimmers attending college this year as Freshman. Below are those received or that we happen to know about.

Cumberland Swim Club

Judy Byrne	Manhattenville, N.Y.
Carol Keenan	Boston University
Betty Shea	Univ. of Rhode Island
Stephanie Kay	Boston College
John O'Neill	Springfield College
Kurt Langberg	Yale

Shawmut

Chris Hug	Brown
Sue Garon	Indiana
Jim Chiudioni	Univ. of Maine
Denise Brown	Alabama
Mary Leddy	Univ. of Maine

Sunrise

Sue Doten	Yale
Joe Dennellon	Boston College
Dan O'Connor	Boston College
Tom Moran	Tufts
Anne Griswold	Univ. of Maine

North Shore Swim Club

Both Carone	Univ. of Maine
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Worcester Swim Club

Carol Thompson	Indiana
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Do you know more? Send them in!!!

The meet season is about three weeks away. Below is a list of meets that were not listed in the original sheet that was sent out in August. These are specialty meets basically with one listed as a tentative until we get more information.

- SUNDAY, October 30 New England Barracuda Senior Development Meet
 Site: Shawsheen Junior High, Billerica, MA
 Contact: Jan Ehrlich, 70 Pond Street, Watick, MA
 01760
- SUNDAY, November 6 New England Barracuda 500 Yard Freestyle Meet
 Site: Shawsheen Junior High, Billerica, MA
 Contact: Jan Ehrlich, 70 Pond Street, Watick, MA
 01760
- SUNDAY, November 20 Pawtucket YMCA Mini-Meet (Tentative)
 Site: To be announced
 Contact: Mrs. Joyce Hoyle, 272 Central Ave, Johnson,
 Rhode Island 02919

CORRECTION: The Cranston YMCA "B" meet listed for Saturday, November 26th is Sunday, November 27th.

IN CONJUNCTION WITH MEET INFORMATION WE ARE LISTING BELOW THE CUT-OFFS FOR THE SENIOR CHAMPIONSHIPS TO BE HELD MARCH 10th, 11th, AND 12th. THE SITE FOR THIS MEET WILL BE ANNOUNCED AT A LATER DATE, BUT KEEP IN MIND THAT WE WILL NEED A GREAT DEAL OF HELP.

SENIOR CUT-OFFS

<u>WOMEN</u>	<u>EVENT</u>	<u>MEN</u>
1:03.5	100 Fly	57.97
5:29.53	500 Free	5:16.80
1:08.02	100 Back	1:01.05
2:21.83	200 IM	2:10.80
-----	400 Medley Relay	-----
2:28.40	200 Fly	2:12.80
1:17.00	100 Breast	1:07.80
2:04.00	200 Free	1:52.50
5:04.40	400 IM	4:59.50
-----	800 Free Relay	-----
20:12.30	1650 Free	18:43.10
57.30	100 Free	52.10
2:25.80	200 Back	2:12.90
2:43.50	200 Breast	2:30.90
-----	400 Free Relay	-----

TIMES FOR THIS MEET MUST HAVE BEEN DONE SINCE JANUARY 1, 1977. REMEMBER, YOU MUST BE ABLE TO PROVE YOUR TIMES AT THIS MEET. IF YOU DO A BEST TIME IN A HIGH SCHOOL MEET BE SURE YOU GET THE PROOF WHEN YOU DO IT SO THAT YOU WON'T BE CAUGHT WITHOUT IT IF YOU NEED IT. CONVERSION TIMES MAY NOT BE USED.

STATE OF THE UNION.....Joe Thompson

Our Fall general meeting brought to light the question of who pays for the swimmers trips to Nationals, National JO's and All-Star Meets. It was partially answered by a vote for New England Competitive Swimming Association to pay a part of our swimmers transportation cost. This is a burden, I feel, that should not be borne totally by the parent, even though some parents can afford the fare it is not morally correct in concept of us not to give every swimmer a chance at Nationals or Olympics just because they cannot afford it.

I feel the burden should be shared by the NEAAAU, the NEAAAU Competitive Swimming Committee, the swimmer's club, the community and the parents. (1) The NEAAAU has the authority to give money in proportion to their budget as their committee feels is there. This is done only by request from the NEAAAU Competitive Swimming Committee. (2) The NEAAAU Competitive Swimming Committee has voted to give up to half of the travel money needed in accordance to allocated monies on hand. This money is being raised by surcharge on each entry. This also has to be applied for by the swimmer or the clubs involved. (3) Some clubs, through their own fund raising get money to give their top swimmers travel expenses. (4) Industry has been known to help swimmers pay their way to these top events for they also feel that swimming should not be for the rich only. Top examples are Phillips 66 giving money to top finishers in this last National meet and Sears aiding in the cost of the JO's. (5) Some parents feel they can afford the travel and do not apply for this money.

All money received by a swimmer for travel shall be openly accounted for and under no conditions should the total allocated for the trip be more than the cost of the transportation itself.

Jack Hayden, Sylvia Chase, Paul Parenteau, and myself will be going to the National Convention this year. If there is anything or question you want to know give us a call and we'll check them out and let you know when we return.

I am still in need of a Chairman for Official Certification. This job is a satisfying one when you see results at good swim meets plus you are automatically a member of the executive committee.

REMINDERS TO MEET MANAGERS

In order for the Swimming Committee to function properly we **MUST** have your reports including the surcharge check in at the time requested (10 days after the meet)

Entry Fee price information on meets mailed out and /or to be swum after November 1st should be the following:

"C" meets 60¢ (including 10¢ surcharge)
 "B" meets 65¢ (including 15¢ surcharge)
 "A" meets \$1.00 (including \$1.00 surcharge)
 Mini-Meets 60 ¢ (including 10¢ surcharge)

The surcharge check is to include all entries to a meet including home team entries.

The age of an 8 & Under swimming 10 & Under events must appear on all copies of the results. This is also true of OPEL events. All ages must appear when the event is OPEL. In addition--if a swimmer is out-of-district this must be marked on all copies of the results.

Many results are coming in without code sheets for identifying a swimmers club. Please see that results include code sheets.

NOTE ON FEES: Any meets to be swum in October and not mailed before the Sept. 17th meeting must include the new surcharge.

There is no surcharge on Development Meets.

Time Trials are eligible for **TOP TEN** only when those trials have been announced in the meet entry and are limited solely to those events offered in the meet and those swimmers who have been entered in the meet and cut by the meet manager. All time trials must have the full complement of officials. All time trials that are sanctioned may be used for seed times provided the results are printed in the meet results

ENGLISH TRIP

Jody Ochab, Shelia Dembek, Scott Whitelaw and Charlie Johnson of NED, HRY, NED and NED respectively have been chosen as half a New England team to attend the Queen's Silver Jubilee Meet in London, England. Coralie O'Connor of Worcester Swim Club will be the NEAAAU coach. The other half of the team will come from the Connecticut Association.

We are still looking for donations to help finance the transportation costs of these five people.

Any club or individual who wishes to contribute may do so by sending their donations to Dick Schafer, 224 Davis Street, Northboro, MA 01532

Like grains of sand and drops of rain added to gether every little bit helps.

Next time it could be your swimmer!!!!

ALL-STAR MEET

Connecticut beat New England in the All-Star Meet by a little over 200 points. However, the meet went down to the relays with New England just 40 points behind going into these final event. On a meet that included almost 4000 points this is very good. Superior Connecticut strength showed up in the younger age groups with New England dominating the older age groups.

Connecticut was a perfect host. They had a lovely barbeque after the first days meet for the swimmers and each participant received a T-Shirt identifying the meet as a souvenir.

Bill Tyler of Hampshire Regional Y and Anne Griswold of Sunrise acted as captains of the New England team and presented the Connecticut captains with souvenir patches to commemorate the event. Results are 11 pages long and cannot be reprinted in the Newsletter. However anyone wishing a copy may write the swimming office and include \$1.50 for copying and mailing.

ONCE AGAIN IT IS THAT TIME OF YEAR TO ANNOUNCE THE OUTSTANDING SWIMMERS IN THE NEW ENGLAND ASSOCIATION BASED ON THE RESULTS OF TOP TEN-TIMES. TOP TEN IS NOW BEING TYPED AND SHOULD BE READY FOR MAILING SOON. AFTER THE BOOK IS PUBLISHED THE CERTIFICATES WILL BE DONE. PLEASE REMEMBER THAT THERE ARE OVER 600 CERTIFICATES TO BE DONE AND THIS IS A TIME CONSUMING OPERATION. PATCHES FOR OUTSTANDING SWIMMERS WILL BE MAILED WITH THE CERTIFICATES.

CONGRATULATIONS TO THE SWIMMERS LISTED BELOW FOR EARNING THE DESIGNATION OF OUTSTANDING NEAAAU SWIMMER. ALL ARE LISTED ALPHABETICALLY.

8 & UNDER GIRLS

C. Cooney	HSC
L. Hjerpe	ABF
S. Kontor	UP
S. Orton	BSC
L. Pappaport	NER

8 AND UNDER BOYS

John Brown	BSC
Gregg Doyle	BSC
D. Kennedy	HPY
Alexander Kostich	CARY
D. Fillingwood	HSYV

10 & UNDER GIRLS

Anita Dembek	HPY
Eleanor Doty	UP (NEB)
Sharon Kuong	SAC
Marie Moore	NER
Linda Porter	UP (CAY)

10 & UNDER BOYS

Donald Benson	LOBG
Wayne Bowden	BSC
Bob Padulo	NER
Joe Ferroni	BSC
Craig Zuidema	MCC

11-12 GIRLS

Melissa Donovan	BSC
Nancy Galvin	CPY
Ann Lamb	NER
Jan Morrill	SAC
Susan Schafer	SAC

11-12 BOYS

Robert Dembek	HPY
Steve Moreau	FCB
M. Bossner	BSC
Steve Ruiter	NER
Robert Sherman	ABF

13-14 GIRLS

Sue Franklin	NER
Susan Hagberg	HSC
Tracie Moll	BOSY
Jody Ochab	NER
Elaine Palmer	HSYV

13-14 BOYS

Drew Donovan	DYD
Craig Fuller	UP
Charlie Johnson	NER
Dave Howry	BSC
Mitchell Poole	UP

15-18 GIRLS

Sabrina Cronen	NER
Shelia Dembek	HPY
Martha Donovan	DYD
Chris Hogan	NER
Megen Jordan	NER

15-18 BOYS

Jack Gauthier	BSC
Chris Hug	UP
Kendall McCarthy	SSC
Jim Phelan	BSC
Scott Whitelaw	NER

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Outstanding Swimmers (continued)

OPEN WOMEN

Shelia Dembek	MBY
Martha Donovan	DYD
Chris Hogan	NEB
Megen Jordan	NEB
Jody Ochab	NEB

OPEN MEN

Hilary Bergman	SSC
Jack Gauthier	BSC
Chris Hug	UM
Jim Phelan	BSC
Scott Whitelaw	NEB

PLEASE NOTE THAT BELOW IS AN ORDER BLANK FOR TOP TEN TIMES. THIS WILL BE YOUR LAST OPPORTUNITY TO ORDER THROUGH THE NEWSLETTER FOR LONG COURSE TOP TEN.

NOTE FOR CLUBS

Those clubs who sent \$5.00 for membership in the New England Competitive Swimming Committee prior to the September 17th meeting will continue to receive Newsletter Plus until June, 1978. If they wish to remain on the swim committee a check made out to NEAAAU COMPETITIVE SWIMMING should be in this office by October 30th. This check should be for \$15.00 and membership will be good until September 30, 1978. Membership on the committee will mean automatic mailing to your club of the Newsletter, the two seasons of TOP TEN TIMES, National Rule Book (1978), New England Record Book, New England Rules and By-Laws, a Meet Manager's Manual and any special mailings. Clubs must be AAU Registered Clubs to join this committee. Clubs joining for the first time since Sept. 17th must pay \$20.00.

TOP TEN TIMES ORDER BLANK: Make checks payable to: NEAAAU COMPETITIVE SWIMMING

NAME _____ STREET ADDRESS _____

CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP CODE _____

of copies ordered at \$2.50 ea _____ Amount enclosed _____

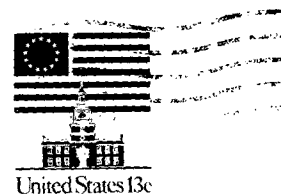
Mail to: Glenna Griswold
48 Brainard Road
Milbraham, MA 01095

TOP TEN WILL BE MAILED THIRD CLASS

If you wish to have your copy mailed first class enclose \$.22/copy extra

Koppel

Elmer E. Koppel Secretary
of the Pioneer Valley Swimming
45 Franklin Road
Willbraham, Ma 01095



Pioneer Valley Swim League
c/o Mrs. Isabelle Fraser
125 Franklin Road
Longmeadow, MA 01106

NEWSLETTER-ALVS

AN OFFICIAL PUBLICATION OF THE NEAAU COMPETITIVE SWIMMING COMMITTEE

OCTOBER, 1977

IN THIS ISSUE: News from the National Convention....New Senior Cut-Offs....The English Trip....More Meets....More college swimmers....State of the Union.... National Cut-Offs....Contributions for the English trip....A list of guidelines for contributions from the IRS....An apology....Out of district meets....Tentative meet schedule - January through April

NEWS FROM THE NATIONAL CONVENTION - As soon as the proper rules and guidelines can be drawn up each Olympic Sport will have complete autonomy. At the local level this means that there will be no change for some time. The local association will continue to handle all registrations and rule enforcement, issue sanctions, and making contracts. At some future date these procedures will be taken over by the swim committee. At that future date the swim committee will include not only swimming, but synchronized swimming, water polo and diving also. You should be aware of what is coming, but it does not affect what we are doing at this time.

For the short course season starting January 1, 1978 a breaststroker and butterflyer may anticipate their turn, but must touch with two hands. This rule is in effect but final wording has not yet been done by the National AAU. The Moriarity again be used for short course. The committee is working on making changes including long course.

This month's issue of the Newsletter is late because of some information that we wanted you to have before the next issue. I apologise.

Glenna Griswold

sent out from the National AAU. The Moriarity again be used for short course season. National this rule permanent and

A race should never be reswum because of mal-function of electronic equipment. You should have back-up watches or buttons.

Any competitor with National TV or other coverage may not have any advertisement whatsoever on them. EG "Pepsi" Marlins - the Pepsi may not show in pictures or on TV.

The items above were condensed and reported as being those of greatest local interest by those attending the convention in Columbus, Ohio. Paul Parenteau, Sylvia Chase, Jack Hayden and Joe Thompson attended.

If you have any questions about these changes please contact one of these people.

SENIORS MEET

New England Senior Short Course Championships will be held at Brown University in Providence, Rhode Island on March 10, 11, and 12th, 1978.

The cut-off times published in the Newsletter last month are no longer valid. The new cuts are in the Newsletter on another page.

We are again looking for volunteers willing to type, score, officiate and act as back-up timers. We will have touch pad timing for the meet. Contact Glenna Griswold if you are able to help out.

M E E T S

The tentative schedule for January through April is inside the Newsletter. We did not list the contacts or the pools because this is still tentative. However, it may help you with your planning. There should not be any major changes.

There are two meets listed that were not previously announced for the season before January 1. Look for them inside.

Below are the revised time standards for the Seniors meet in March. The 1650 will be three heats of men and three of women with the top 24 times qualifying .

Also included below are the National JO time standards for short course. The dates of this meet are April 12-15

<u>SENIORS</u>			<u>National JO's</u>		
<u>Women</u>	<u>Event</u>	<u>Men</u>	<u>Women</u>	<u>Event</u>	<u>Men</u>
1:04.21	100 Fly	59.07	53.99	100 Free	48.09
5:33.52	500 Free	5:16.80	1:56.09	200 Free	1:44.59
1:10.19	100 Back	1:02.73	5:07.09	500 Free	4:42.89
2:23.09	200 IM	2:11.60	17:35.69	1650 Free	16:22.09
-----	400 Med. Relay	-----	1:01.79	100 Back	55.19
2:33.40	200 Fly	2:21.80	2:13.59	200 Back	1:59.69
1:17.30	100 Breast	1:10.40	1:09.79	100 Breast	1:00.99
2:04.80	200 Free	1:53.48	2:30.19	200 Breast	2:13.59
5:09.40	400 IM	4:59.50	58.99	100 Fly	52.89
-----	800 Free Relay	-----	2:11.39	200 Fly	1:57.29
20:12.30	1650 Free	18:43.10	2:13.49	200 IM	1:59.29
57.75	100 Free	52.50	4:43.59	400 IM	4:16.49
2:30.70	200 Back	2:14.00	4:10.79	400 Med Relay	3:41.79
2:50.40	200 Breast	2:34.80	3:42.59	400 Free Relay	3:18.39
-----	400 Free Relay	-----	7:50.89	800 Free Relay	7:12.89

REMEMBER --FOR THE SENIORS MEET YOU MUST BE ABLE TO PROVE THAT CUT-OFF TIMES WERE MADE. PHOTO COPIES OF DUAL MEET RESULTS, NEWSPAPER ARTICLES ETC. ARE ACCEPTABLE PROOF. COACHES TIMES OR COACHES WORD ARE NOT. ALL CURRENT AND PAST (after January 1, 1977) NEW ENGLAND ASSOCIATION MEET RESULTS WILL BE AVAILABLE FOR PROOF.

FOR JO'S YOU MUST HAVE OVC CARDS. MRS. LIL DENBEK IS THE CURRENT OVC CHAIRMAN AND YOU MAY OBTAIN CARDS FROM HER. TRY AND GET THEM WHEN THE TIME IS DONE SO THAT YOU WON'T BE RUSHING IN THE END. REMEMBER THAT YOUR SWIMMER MUST SHOW THEIR ACTUAL CURRENT (at that time 1978) AAU CARD BEFORE THE OVC WILL BE ISSUED.

HIGH SCHOOL SWIMMING

The Girls Eastern Massachusetts, Western Massachusetts and State Championships are coming up in the next few weeks.

Favored to take the Western Mass championships is Cathedral from Springfield with Longmeadow and East Longmeadow a tie for second place favorites.

In the East, Acton-Boxborough is favored to take both the Eastern Championships and the State championships.

State Championships will be held at Springfield College on November 19th. Preliminary 500 Free and Diving will be held on the 18th at a place to be announced.

EXTRA MEETS

Please add to your calendar the meets listed below:

Sunday, December 4 - Pawtucket Y Mini-Meet at Brown University.

Contact: Joyce Hoyle
272 Central Avenue
Johnson, RI 02919

Tuesday, December 27 - Community Stars and Stripes "C" Meet in Medford

Contact: Esther Geehan
55 Linwood Street
Medford, MA 02155

Queens Silver Jubilee Meet

Jody Ochab, Shelia Dembek, Scott Whitelaw and Charlie Johnson from NEAAAU accompanied by Coralie O'Connor of Worcester Swim Club made up half of the New England Team representing the United States at the Queen's Silver Jubilee Meet this month.

The New England Girls team placed second as did the boys at the meet. New England would have taken first if there had been a trophy for overall points. The swimmers report that the trip was a wonderful experience. Except for long delays at the airports their actual travel was uneventful and they met some interesting people on the planes.

In London they did a lot of sightseeing as well as swimming. They were fortunate to have a former Hampshire Regional Y coach that now lives in London as a guide. They report that small differences in language were amusing when they were communicating with the English speaking swimmers at the meet.

Each of the swimmers received a silver medal for placing second and everyone attending the meet received a souvenir. Princess Margaret attended the final session and presented the trophy for first place.

The swimmers and the swim committee wish to thank the clubs and individuals who contributed to the fund going for travel expenses. Below is a tentative list of contributors. We are still receiving checks and they are welcome. Any contributions made after the publication of this Newsletter will be listed in the next issue.

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TEAMS

EASTHAMPTON BARRACUDAS SWIM TEAM ASSOCIATION
AQUAMAIDS AND AQUAMEN OF WORCESTER
HAMPSHIRE REGIONAL YMCA SWIM TEAM PARENTS ASSOCIATION
SHAMMUT AQUATIC CLUB
SUNRISE SWIM CLUB
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DICK SCHAFER

We have received from clubs a few more of their college swimmers. Please send yours in if you haven't already

Chris Collins	HRV	Colgate
Helen Hemminger	HRV	Dartmouth
Bill Tyler	HRV	Univ. of Mass
David Belanger	HRV	Springfield
Cindy Clifford	NEB	Columbia
Carol Collins	NEB	Boston Coll.
Brian Hoffman	NEB	Columbia
Sue Ehrlich	NEB	Univ. of Vir.
Doug Moll	NEB	Tufts
Geoff Ryan	NEB	Univ. of Vir.
J. D. Seatter	NEB	Southern ILL.
Webb Sussman	NEB	Harvard
Eric Bayer	SAC	Lafayette
Bill Charlton	SAC	Univ. of Mass
Dave Connolly	SAC	Tufts
John Crisafulli	SAC	Holy Cross
Dave Schafer	SAC	Bowdoin
Laurie Yeager	SAC	Worcester St.

OUT OF DISTRICT MEETS

We are regularly receiving some good meets from New Jersey. Anyone interested in attending some of these out of district events should contact Glenna Griswold -- Phone: (413) 596-4812.

The next Executive Committee Meeting will be on November 9th. If you have an issue you would like brought up please contact Joe Thompson, 6 Pompano Road, Worcester, MA 01605. Phone: (617) 853-8143

IF YOU MOVE.....

There has been some question about the eligibility of swimmers who move within the district to swim immediately for a new club.

The New England Registration Chairman, Mr. Frank Rull, can grant immediate eligibility if it is obvious that the

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Eligibility (continued)

family moved too far to allow a swimmer to continue to participate with their original club.

Each instance is decided by Mr. Rull.

A swimmer changing clubs within the district that could still reasonably attend practices with their original club must wait the 120 day period before representing their new club at meets.

Contact Mr. Rull at the AAU office, 69 Canal Street, Room 212, Boston, MA 02114 if you have any questions.

TOP TEN TIMES ARE NOW PRINTED AND MAILED TO CLUBS AND INDIVIDUALS WHO ORDERED THEM.

WE HAVE SOME EXTRA COPIES. THEY MAY BE OBTAINED BY WRITING TO THE SWIMMING OFFICE, 48 Brainard Road, Wilbraham, MA 01095. Please send \$2.50 for each copy ordered. Top Ten is sent 3rd Class. If you wish to have yours mailed first class include \$.22 extra. Make checks payable to: NEAAAU COMPETITIVE SWIMMING.

WHAT IS GOING ON?

Is your club doing something special?

Let the others in the district know about it through the Newsletter. Write to Glenna Griswold, Secretary, NEAAAU Competitive Swimming, 48 Brainard Road Wilbraham, MA. 01095

We hear.....Worcester County Swim League is planning another super trip in the Spring....Brockton is donating part of their admissions from their meet to the Queen's Silver Jubilee Travel Fund....Sunrise is doing another SWIM A THON. Last year they raised the 6th largest amount in the country....Shawmut Aquatic has a new coach, Bruce Schafer, formerly with Solotar near Washington. HOW ABOUT YOUR NEWS???????

The tentative meet schedule for January through April is below. There are not likely to be any major changes, but we are holding off printing the final until November. If those of you running meets feel there should be any corrections or if you are going to make a change please contact the swimming office before November 18th.

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| Sunday, January 8 | - Cranston "Y" "A" Meet |
| Sunday, January 8 | - Greenwood Memorial "B" Meet |
| Friday, Saturday,
Sunday, January 13, 14,
15 | - Brockton "A" Meet |
| Saturday, January 21 | - Shawmut Aquatic Mini Meet |
| Saturday January 21 | - Lake Champlain Swim Club "B" Meet |
| Sunday, January 22 | - Lake Champlain Swim Club "A" Meet |
| Sunday, January 22 | - Hampshire Regional "Y" "C" Meet |
| Saturday, January 28 | - Worcester Swim Club 1650 Meet |
| Sunday, January 29 | - Worcester Swim Club "AA" Meet |
| Saturday, February 4 | - Attleboro Bluefish "B" Meet |
| Saturday and Sunday
February 4 and 5 | - New England Barracuda "A" Meet |
| Sunday, February 5 | - Brockton "C" Meet |
| Saturday and Sunday
February 11 and 12 | - Shawmut Aquatic "A" Meet |
| Sunday and Monday
February 19 and 20 | - Danvers Y Dolphins "A" Meet |
| Saturday, March 4 | - New Bedford Y "E" Meet |
| Sunday, March 5 | - New Bedford Y "C" Meet |
| Sunday, March 5 | - New England Barracuda Mini Meet |
| Saturday, March 11 | - Attleboro Bluefish "C" Meet |
| Friday, Saturday,
Sunday, March 10, 11
12 | - ^{Babcock} New England Senior Championships |
| Saturday, March 18 | - Hanover "B" Meet |
| Sunday, March 19 | - Hanover "A" Meet |
| Friday, Saturday,
Sunday, March 24, 25,
26 | - Region 1 |
| Saturday, March 25 | - Greenwood Memorial "A" Meet |
| Saturday and Sunday
April 1 and 2 | - Age Group Championships |
| Sunday, April 2 | - Brookline-New England Barracuda "C" Meet |

*** Left out of proper sequence---Saturday, February 18 Greenwood Memorial "C"

Feb 18 - C Meet Greenwood Mem. (C Meet)

NOTE: Cedar Swim Club scheduled to hold a "B" Meet in December has had to cancel their meet. Please mark this on your calendars.

MEET MANAGERS: Do not forget to put ages on your results when those in the 10 & Under group are any age but 9 or 10 and when those swimming OPEN are under 15. You only have to put the ages on those swimmers affected.

Don't forget that it is time to start thinking about 1978 AAU registrations. Contact the AAU office at 69 Canal Street, Room 212, Boston, MA 02114 for the necessary forms. Swimmers must be registered to attend AAU meets.

NEWSLETTER PLUS subscriptions now number almost 300. We would like to increase the number because an informed coaches and parents group make everyones job easier.

New subscriptions are available from the swimming office. The cost is \$5.00 per year and runs from the month we receive the subscription for one year.

CORRECTION

In the 11-12 Boys age group we had a tie for 5th place in the outstanding swimmer. Mike Landa, UN, is also Outstanding for Long Course Season.

Our next issue will carry information about obtaining tickets for the Women's International Meet to be held in January at Harvard. Watch for it.

SWIMMERS MOVING UP....

In the past we have tried to print the names of swimmers moving up at various meets. Because of space we have missed some meets and will try to catch up in future issues. Because this issue is late we have the results of the Fall River Y "C" meet and the Sunrise "C" meet

Sunrise "C"

<u>10 & Under Girls</u>		<u>10 & Under Boys</u>	
"B" Time		"B" Time	
K. Andrade	HRV	J. Pattillo	SSC
K. White	HRV		
M. Kennedy	HRV	(continued above)	

Sunrise "C" (continued)

<u>11-12 Girls</u>		<u>11-12 Boys</u>	
"B" Time		"B" Time	
M. Donato	WSC	B. Letourneau	WSC
S. Lannaville	HRV	A. Fischer	SSC
L. Riddle	UN	J. Bowers	SSC
K. Fraser	SSC		
K. Talbot	SSC		
M. Peters	HRV		
C. Pattillo	SSC		
T. Carmody	WSC		

13-14 Girls

"B" Time

A. Ackert	WSC	G. Moore	WSC
L. Borgland	WSC	T. Hartigan	SSC

13-14 Boys

"B" Time

Fall River "C"

10 & Under Girls

"A" Time

K. Lamb NEDY

"B" Time

D. DeRocher	SAC
K. Van Cott	VGAC
E. Neuger	DAD
C. Cohen	SAC
J. Smithies	NBYW
S. Orton	BSC
S. Kilroy	SEA
J. Carper	MST
L. Hickey	NBYW
E. Sweeney	DRY
M. Thorton	SEA
K. Lamb	NEDY
D. Cameron	VGAC
S. Higbie	ESY

"A" Time

D. DeRocher SAC

10 & Under Boys

D. Mandell PAMY

K. Fitzpatrick SEA

J. Harris DYD

N. LeMaire CEDAR

M. Karp DYD

J. Hines SEA

J. Biotti SEA

A. Price DAD

B. O'Neil HTST

C. Ciccarella DAD

11-12 Girls

"A" Time

N. Stanton	FRY
J. Testeverde	CAY
L. Piper	NBYW
L. Porter	CAY
L. Chylack	DAD

"AA" Times

L. Porter CAY

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11-12 Boys

"A" Time

P. Cardoza CEDAR

"B" Time

N. Vandongen FRY

T. Spendley DAD

E. Andrew DAD

B. Malloy FRY

D. Kolk SAC

E. Rae DMS

A. Braverman SAC



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48 BRAINARD ROAD
WILBRAHAM, MA 01095

Pioneer Valley Swim League
c/o Mrs. Isabelle Fraser
125 Franklin Road
Longmeadow, MA 01106

Meet List (continued)

March 24, 25, and 26	Friday	Region I Championships
	Saturday	Facility: To be Announced
	Sunday	Contact: To be Announced
March 25	Sunday	Greenwood Memorial "A" Meet
		Facility: To be Announced
		Contact: George Erickson, 69 Park Street Gardner, MA 01440
April 1 and 2	Saturday	Age Group Championships
	Sunday	Facility: To be Announced
		Contact: Glenna Griswold, 48 Brainard Road Wilbraham, MA 01095
April 2	Sunday	Brookline Recreation-New England Barracuda "C"
		Facility: Brookline Recreation Pool Brookline, MA
		Contact: Jan Ehrlich, 70 Pond Street, Natick, MA 01760

There is a tentative Long Course Meet planned for April 22 by the Drown Swim Club. More information will be available at a later date.

ENGLISH MEET CONTRIBUTIONS

Many thanks to the WORCESTER SWIM CLUB and CARL GORDON INDUSTRIES, INC of Worcester for the contributions to the Queen's Silver Jubilee Meet Fund.

Along with those mentioned in last month's Newsletter Plus and some anonymous donations that were received this month the deficit is going down.

MEET MANAGERS

Get your sanction forms, entry blanks and checks in for Winter Season meets. There is less time than you think before the January - April season starts.

COACHING POSITION AVAILABLE

Community Stars and Stripes of Medford is looking for a coach to assume duties about January 1st.

Anyone interested may contact Dick Lennon at 5 Wiley Street, Woburn, MA.

This position is for all levels of ability. There will be about 27 hours of pool time. The team has assistant coaches.

AAU REGISTRATION

1978 AAU Registration forms are available from the AAU office at 69 Canal Street, Boston, MA, 02114.

This year there are two different forms. One for those that have never registered before and another for those who have.

When you request your forms, keep this in mind.

Below are listed the Swimmers Moving Up from the Lowell "B" meet and the Fall River "B" meet. CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL OF THEM.

Lowell Boys Club "B" Meet 10/30/77

10 & Under Girls

"A" Time

Wendy Brown	SAC
Wendy Anderson	MSC
Maura Deady	DMS
Nancy Morrow	DBF
Mary Glynn	DMS
Marlo Kipe	MST
Sandy Ferris	LYM

10 & Under Boys

"A" Time

Craig Zuidema	WGC
Jeff Kelley	UN

11-12 Girls

"A" Time

Theresa Landry	LYW
Jill Testeverdi	CAY
Susan Beck	LYM
Barbie Jones	SAC
Corinne Schippert	LOBC
Jennifer Delaney	DYD
Elizabeth Tafuri	SAC
Leslie Thompson	SAC

11-12 Boys

"A" Time

Peter Cardoza	CEDAR
Steven King	DSC
Alexander Magg	LABC
Michael Johansson	LOBC
Scott Travers	LOBC
David Sneden	LYM
Scott Zuidema	WGC

13-14 Girls

"A" Time

Tina Cloutier	QSC
Elise Welch	SAC
C. Stranberg	SEA
Allysen Meymaris	MSC
J. Handy	SEA
Karin Elicone	LYM
Kathy McNiff	WGC
Leslie Sevigney	LYM
Laurie Lloyd	SAC

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Lowell Boys Club (continued)

13-14 Boys

"A" Time

Lincoln Anderson	CEDAR
Bob Schuler	DBF
Scott Hayes	SAC
Ted Testeverdi	CAY
Brian O'Neil	DAD
Tom Williams	MST
Dave Shedd	SAC

OPEN GIRLS

"A" Time

Lisa Johansson	LOBC
Sandy McCluskey	WGC

OPEN Boys

"A" Time

Norm Schippert	LOBC
John Buss	LOBC
Mike McCarthy	LOBC
Bruce Johansson	LOBC

Fall River Y "B" Meet - 11/6/77

10 & Under Girls

"A" Time

C. Ciccarelli	DAD
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10 & Under Boys

"A" Time

C. Zuidema	WGC
A. Price	DAD
S. VanUmmerson	MSYV

11-12 Girls

"A" Time

S. Beck	LYM
D. Hodgson	FRY

"A" Time

T. Landry	LYW
K. Andrew	DSC
D. Hodgson	FRY
M. Bertolion	CAY
J. Raymond	UN
C. Stranberg	SEA
S. VanderHey	FRY
J. Edmonds	DAD
M. Cloutier	QSC
S. Beck	LYM
L. Porter	CAY

Fall River "B" (continued)11-12 Boys"AAA" Time

B. Kelley UN

"A" Time

B. Kelley UN
 E. Smith FRY
 D. Whitman ECD
 S. Zuidema WGC
 J. Dorisko HYST

13-14 Girls"AAA" Time

J. Fietelberg FRY
 S. Pratt FRY

"A" Time

E. Stranberg SEA
 S. Smith FRY
 P. Burns ECD
 T. Cloutier OSC
 J. Fietelberg FRY
 J. Handy SEA
 M. Lawrence FRY
 S. Miller HYST
 P. Durkin FRY

13-14 Boys"AAA" Time

L. Andrews CEDAR

"A" Time

S. Moreau ECD
 K. Salisbury ESY
 R. Landry UN
 B. O'Neil DAD
 R. Cram BYB

OPEN GIRLS"AAA" Time

K. Malloy FRY
 B. Dorisko HYST
 M. Boyd FRY
 K. Hudner FRY

"A" Time

S. McCluskey WGC
 E. Rainers QSC
 J. Coombes FRY
 J. Gardner ECD
 A. Salois FRY

Fall River "B" (continued)OPEN Boys

J. Mackey CAY
 G. McCullen SEA
 D. Layport NDYM

CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to Cedar Swim Club who just opened a beautiful new office. From the description we have, coach Richard Robinson should be the envy of all of us around New England who work out of bedrooms, laundry rooms and off of dining room tables.

NEWSLETTER SUBSCRIPTIONS

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 COMPETITIVE SWIMMING. Cost is \$5.00 for one year.

The best time to phone the swimming office is after 9:00 PM and before 11:00 PM at night. The number is (413) 596-4812.

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STATE OF THE UNION.....Joe Thompson

How long should a Mini-Meet be? The recent meet at Brockton lasted six plus hours. I have received numerous complaints this last week from coaches saying that it was too long. This has been a problem to the Swim Committee for the past two years. Jack Hayden has been pushing on the issue of the Mini-Meets legitimacy due to the creation of a new age group (9 year olds) and the length of time taken at some of the meets.

This past year the committee had long discussions on the subject but did not lay down any specific rule. Looking back on the minutes the consensus seemed to be to keep the Mini-Meets to four hours, but no vote was taken.

The problem seems to arise from the rule on specialty meets which extends the time over four hours for a meet. The Mini-Meet is not an age group or senior meet so should it be classed as a specialty meet? I feel it should be necessary to restrict the time allotment for these meets.

A motion to adopt the four hour rule will be on the agenda at the next executive committee meeting on December 14th. If there are any constructive suggestions out there please get them to me or any member of the committee before that date.

Benson, Bright and Boone might sound like a law firm, but they are not. They happen to be our new Official Certification Committee. All three gentlemen come from the Lowell area and have agreed to try to keep enough qualified officials here in New England. Don, Dave, and Ralph will be starting their new jobs after the Thanksgiving holiday. To keep the confusion down as to who the contact person will be, all mailings should go to Don Benson, 10 Livery Road, Chelmsford, MA 01824, Phone: (617) 256-3425.

GIRLS HIGH SCHOOL SWIMMING

Massachusetts Girls State Championships went right down to the last relay on Saturday, November 19th at Springfield College. With a final score of 110 for East Longmeadow and 106 for Acton-Boxborough the outcome of the relay determined the winner.

Placing third was Lexington with 76.

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High School (continued)

Durfee placed 4th with 70 followed by Cathedral with 69 and Minnechaug with 60.

This is the second year in a row that a Western Mass team has beaten the traditionally stronger East to take the State title.

CONGRATULATIONS TO EAST LONGMEADOW.

NEWSLETTER-PLUS

AN OFFICIAL PUBLICATION OF THE NEW ENGLAND COMPETITIVE SWIMMING COMMITTEE

DECEMBER, 1977

IN THIS ISSUE: High School Girls All-Stars from Eastern and Western Mass....A New Pool is Opening for use at one of the Winter Meets....State of the Union....Top Ten Times Corrections....News from some of the Clubs.....News from the New Certification Committee....Mini-Items for your information....More information on the International Meet....

MERRY CHRISTMAS AND HAPPY NEW YEAR FROM YOUR SWIMMING COMMITTEE

THE WOMEN'S INTERNATIONAL SWIMMING COMPETITION

Many of our subscribers have been asking for more information about the meet scheduled January 7 and 8 at Smith Swimming Center, Brown University in Providence.

Below is a list of events and the day they will be swum.

Saturday, January 7, 1978 -- Trials at 12:00 Noon - Finals at 7:30 PM

100 Yard Freestyle
200 Yard Backstroke
100 Yard Butterfly
200 Yard Breaststroke
500 Yard Freestyle
200 Yard Individual Medley
400 Yard Freestyle Relay

Sunday, January 8, 1978 -- Trials at 12:00 Noon - Finals at 7:30 PM

400 Yard Individual Medley
100 Yard Backstroke
200 Yard Butterfly
100 Yard Breaststroke
200 Yard Freestyle
400 Yard Medley Relay
1650 Yard Freestyle

THIS WILL BE THE FIRST INTERNATIONAL SHORT-COURSE MEET, CONDUCTED EXCLUSIVELY FOR WOMEN, TO BE HELD IN THE UNITED STATES.

National teams will represent the United States, Canada, the Soviet Union and East Germany, and individuals have been invited from the Netherlands, Great Britain, West Germany, Italy, Denmark, Sweden and Norway.

Tickets will be \$15.00 for a four-session pass

To order tickets in advance send your request with a check or money order payable to HARVARD UNIVERSITY to: Coach Joseph W. Bernal, Meet Director, Harvard University, Department of Athletics, 60 Boylston St., Cambridge, MA 02138

School swim honor roll . . .

WESTERN MASS

By PAUL SANTOLINI
Republican Staff

The ballots for the 1977 All Western Mass high school girls swimming and diving All-Star team are in . . . and once again East Longmeadow's Karen Wiezbicki and Carolyn Burney have made the list.

The Spartan seniors, selected for the fourth consecutive year, top an All-Star team of 20 — including two other EL swimmers, three individuals from Minnechaug, Cathedral and Longmeadow, and two from Northampton and Classical. One swimmer from Easthampton, Holyoke Catholic and Chicopee round out the squad.

Wiezbicki and Burney were each tabbed for their performances in three events. The former was chosen in the 200 medley relay, 200 individual medley and the backstroke, while the latter gained recognition in a trio of freestyle categories — 200, 100 and 400 relay. Freshman teammate Jill Wilder gained honors in the 50 and 100 free and the anchor leg of the 200 medley. Junior Sue Robinson was also a repeater . . .

nick. It was the first selection for the freshman, junior and senior, respectively.

Easthampton's Sheila Dembek was the only other swimmer chosen in three different categories. The sophomore, who has emerged as the best in the butterfly from this part of the state, was chosen in that event and also the IM and medley relay.

Holyoke Catholic's Cathy Desrosiers and Classical's Maria McClellan each gained two slots on the squad. Desrosiers, who last season occupied three spots on the second team but this year was chosen the league's Most Valuable Swimmer, churned her way into the breaststroke and medley relay foursome. McClellan, meanwhile, a junior, is a repeater. She gained the team on the basis of her performances in the 200 free and butterfly.

named in the breaststroke.

Minnechaug junior Cory McGill picked up her third selection in three years by filling in a slot in her forte — the 500 freestyle. Falcon junior Amy Griswold made the team for the second straight year (in the IM and backstroke), while teammate Linda Hermance, a freshman, gained the nod in the 100 free and free relay.

Cathedral, which went undefeated during the regular duel meet season (on which the All-Star selections are made), landed a trio of Panthers on the honor squad. Sophomore sprinter Mary Fiorentino (repeater) found her niche in the 50 and 100 free, as well as on the free relay, while junior Denise Balthazard complemented her in the 200 and 500 free, and also in the final relay. It was actually the third time Balthazard has been selected, twice at Chicopee and now at Cathedral. Cathedral sophomore Maria Longhi gained her initial appearance — in the breaststroke.

The three Longmeadow individuals were sprinter Joyce Bott, butterflyer Brenda Skelley and diver Hope Wernick.

A pair of seniors were also a pair of repeaters in the same event. Classical's Diane Debien and Northampton's Kathy Driscoll only competed in the diving, and they did it well enough for the second straight year.

Two other first-timers were Chicopee's Anne Bazan and Northampton's Cindy Kuzmeski. Bazan, a freshman, used her backstroke ability while Kuzmeski, a junior, did the job in the distance freestyle to pick up the award.

Altogether there were six seniors, eight juniors, three sophomores and three freshmen. Exactly one-half the team were repeaters.

There was also balloting for the second team and Northampton's Beth Carter led the way with three selections. A number of swimmers were chosen in two events.



SHEILA DEMBEK
Easthampton



CATHY DESROSIERS
Holyoke Catholic



HOPE WERNICK
Longmeadow



KAREN WIEZBICKI
East Longmeadow



CINDY KUZMESKI
Northampton



DIANE DEBIEN
Classical

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ANNE BAZAN
Chicopee



CAROLYN BURNEY
East Longmeadow



JILL WILDER
East Longmeadow



SUE ROBINSON
East Longmeadow



BRENDA SKELLEY
Longmeadow

All
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swimmers



KATHY DRISCOLL
Northampton



MARIA LONGHI
Cathedral



LINDA HERMANC
Minnechaug



JOYCE BOTT
Longmeadow



AMY GRISWOLD
Minnechaug



CORY MCGILL
Minnechaug



MARY FIORENTINO
Cathedral



DENISE
BALHAZARD
Cathedral



MARIA MCCLELLAN
Classical

NEWS FROM CLUBS:

The Lowell Boys Club Senior Swim Team recently took on the University of Lowell Swim Team in a dual meet.

The LOBC team was victorious in an exciting meet that was not decided until the final relay. Competition against the college swimmers was an excellent incentive as nearly every swimmer turned in their best times and 8 team records were broken. Both teams plan to continue the rivalry on an annual basis.

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Please add the following club to your list:

Middleboro YMCA Swim Team
c/o Lyn Toal
14 Dean Street
Assonet, MA 02702

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Cedar Swim Club members again this year made Christmas cards to send to various individuals. We received one in this office and were delighted.

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Greenwood Memorial Swim Team is delighted to announce that their "C" and "A" will be held in the newly built Mount Wachusetts Community College pool

The pool, part of a \$4.5 million dollar athletic center recently dedicated, has six speed lanes, the latest starting blocks, seating for 300 spectators and room for many more, excellent unlimited parking and locker rooms with full security.

Greenwood's "C" meet is in February and their "A" meet in March.

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All clubs who are members of the Competitive Swimming Committee are receiving a copy of National Competitive Swimming News with their Newsletter this issue. There is a great deal of information in this publication but it will take you time to read the whole thing. Pull up an easy chair and give yourself the time...it's worthwhile.

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MEET DIRECTORS

Please see that ages are on all copies of your results where they are required. Putting them on just one copy means recopying on the twelve copies the swimming office sends out and it takes too much time.

Please add the following name to your list to receive meet entries if you are working off last years list:

Richard Schafer
NEAAAU Comp. Swimming Meet Dir.
224 Davis Street
Northboro, MA 01532

Dick's address should also be on the meet evaluation forms that each club attending your meet should receive.

SENIORS: Time is creeping up for the Seniors Meet and we are still looking for volunteer help.

If you can work at anything from selling programs to Stroke and Turn we need your name. Please contact Glenna Griswold, 48 Brainard Road, Wilbraham, MA 01095. Phone: (413)596-4812

Newsletter subscriptions are available through the swimming office. Contact Glenna Griswold at the address above.

One year's subscription is \$5.00. Make checks payable to NEAAAU Competitive Swimming * * * * *

According to the National office, 1978 Rule Books should be available the first part of January.

We have placed an order for 200 of them and next month's Newsletter will have a form for individuals to order them.

The cost will be \$3.00.

Clubs who are members of the Competitive Swimming Committee will receive them automatically without any charge.

The 1977 Globe EMass All-Scholastic Girls' Swim team

The team

Name	School	Event	Yr.
Doreen Sabina	Brockton	200-Freestyle	Soph.
M'tha Donovan	N. Andover	200-Ind Medley	Jr.
Susan Kitchen	Durfee	50-Freestyle	Soph.
Debbie Poore	Canton	Diving	Jr.
Cathy Ehrlich	Natick	100-Butterfly	Sr.
Lissa McGrath	Marblehead	100-Freestyle	Jr.
Sandra Friedl	Westwood	500-Freestyle	Sr.
Vicki Garon	Dov-Sherb'n	100-Backstroke	Fr.
Rita Gauthier	Braintree	100-Breastroke	Soph.

400-Freestyle Relay

Team: Durfee

Susan Kitchen, Soph; Ann Salois, Jr.; Katherine Hudner, Jr.; Alison Smith, Jr.

200-Medley Relay

Team: Acton-Boxboro

Susan Herskovitz, Sr.; Karen Shuppert, Fr.; Sandy Harris, Soph.; Karen Shaeffer, Soph.

HONORABLE MENTION

100-FREESTYLE — Susan Kitchen, Durfee; Patricia Paine, Cambridge; Karen Tobiasson, Belmont; Vicki Caron, Dover-Sherborn; Ann Sullivan, Wayland; Debbie Sullivan, Brockton; Dina Pandyan, Needham; Karen Shaeffer, Acton-Boxboro; Gail Panthey, Lincoln-Sudbury; Patty McNamara, Randolph; Laurie Grant, Winchester.

200-FREESTYLE — Sandra Friedl, Westwood; Nancy Pearson, North Andover; Debbie Sullivan, Brockton; Dina Pandya, Needham; Anne Marie Laton, Lexington; Judy Ebsarym Rockland; Barbara Good, Randolph; Karin Tobiasson, Belmont; Lauren Bayer, Framingham North; Linda Taylor, Bedford; Linda Fitzgerald, Andover.

200-INDIVIDUAL MEDLEY — Jody Ochan, Shawsheen; Rita Gauthier, Braintree; Lily Bearman, Lexington; Sandy Harris, Acton-Boxboro; Kate Heard, Dover-Sherborn; Cara Schwarzer, Framingham North; Carla Dropp, Marblehead; Allison Smith, Durfee; Donna Cooney, West Boylston; Rebecca Glimp, Belmont; Debbie-Ruiter, Natick.

50-FREESTYLE — Ann Sullivan, Wayland; Lissa McGrath, Marblehead; Katherine Hudner, Durfee; Katie Kelly, Belmont; Maura Connolly, Needham; Laurie Grant, Winchester; Patricia Paine, Cambridge; Jackie Hart, Winchester; Ann Downing, Pentucket; Elizabeth Mullins, Boston Latin Academy; Kathy Murphy, Acton-Boxboro.

DIVING — Amy Ayres, Cambridge; Peri Mines, Brockton; Sue Snook, Framingham South; Lisa Ferraro, Westwood; Kathy Butler, Maiden; Sue Wigetman, Framingham North; J. Ventura, Framingham North; Mary Egan, Waltham; J. Bushae, Melrose; Mary Beth Nelson, Seekonk; M. Sullivan, Cambridge.

100-BUTTERFLY — Chris Schuld, Attleboro; Sandy Anderson, Lexington; Sandy Harris, Acton-Boxboro; Kate Heard, Dover-Sherborn; Allison Smith, Durfee; Kris Swanson, Seekonk; Rosalie Natuspky, Marblehead; Lauren Bayer, Framingham North; Karen Hjerpe, North Attleboro; Rebecca Glimp, Belmont; Jackie Hart, Winchester.

500-FREESTYLE — Doreen Sabina, Brockton; Nancy Pearson, North Andover; Judy Ebsary, Rockland; Chris Schuld, Attleboro; Donna Cooney, West Boylston; Ann Marie Layton, Lexington; C. Schwarzer, Framingham North; Ramon Trina, Danvers; Cathy Jones, Framingham North; Linda Taylor, Bedford; Cara Susman, Lexington.

100-BREASTROKE — Sue Herskovitz, Acton-Boxboro; Judy Ochan, Shawsheen; Elizabeth Mullins, Boston Latin; Lily Bearman, Lexington; Kris Swanson, Seekonk; Ritter Dexter, Winchester; Barbara Good, Randolph; C. MacDonald, Waltham; Sue Braverman, Framingham North; Carla Dropp, Marblehead; Katie Kelly, Belmont.

100-BACKSTROKE — Martha Donovan, North Andover; Cathy Ehrlich, Natick; Sandy Anderson, Lexington; Karen Shaeffer, Acton-Boxboro; Patty McNamara, Randolph; Sue Braverman, Framingham North; Barbara Grathwohl, Lincoln-Sudbury; Katherine Hudner, Durfee; Elizabeth Guarn, Boston Latin Academy; Cathy Jones, Framingham North; Cara Susman, Lexington.

By Neil Singelais
Globe Staff

The Globe presents its second All-Scholastic girls' swimming team, and leading the impressive group is Susan Kitchen from Durfee High of Fall River, who in this year's Eastern Mass. Swim Meet set a national high school record in the 50-Freestyle event.

Kitchen, a sophomore, was selected Swimmer of the Year by the Eastern Mass. Swimming Coaches, a division of high school girls and women sports, chaired by Julie Doherty of Medford. Her other accomplishments include a first in the Eastern Mass. 100-Freestyle, and a second place finish in the same event at the State Meet. She also anchored her Durfee freestyle relay, which captured first in both the Eastern and State meets.

Also honored by the board was Tony Guerra of Lexington. Guerra — yes, he's a male — was named Coach of the Year by his female colleagues. Guerra, who has been Lexington's only swim coach since the school initiated the sport in 1971, has never experienced a losing season. His over-all coaching record is 54-16. For the past two years Guerra has served as president of the Eastern Mass. Girls Interscholastic Swimming League.

Three of this year's all-scholastic members are repeaters. They are Marblehead's Lissa McGrath, named 1976 Swimmer of Year, in the 100-freestyle; Braintree's Rita Gauthier in the 100-breaststroke, and Brockton's Doreen Sabina in the 200-freestyle.

Swimming champions appear to run in some families: Rita Gauthier's brother, Jackie, was a two-time member of The Globe's All-Scholastic Boys Swim Team. Cathy Ehrlich of Natick, named tops in the 100-butterfly, is following in the steps of her sister, Susan, who ruled the 200-individual medley a year ago. Vicki Garon of Dover-Sherborn, a freshman, is picking up where her sister, Susan, left off a year ago — as the best in the 100 backstroke.



LISSA McGRATH ... Marblehead
Event: 100-Freestyle
Best Time: 55.94

As a sophomore in 1976, McGrath was The Globe's Swimmer of the Year. This year in the 100-freestyle, she placed second in the Eastern, and third in the State Meet. She also competed in the 50-freestyle, winding up third in the Eastern, and fifth in the State Meet. An AAU swimmer for eight years, Lissa was instrumental in helping her Marblehead team record a 7-1 state. She's been chosen to the NEAAU all-star team six times, and has attended its national swim meets during that span and now holds several records.

Dartmouth, Colgate, or UMaine are among her top choices with an eye toward business administration. She hopes to carry her competitive spirit into the business world.



VICKI GARON ... Dover-Sherborn
Event: 100-Backstroke
Best Time: 1:05.32

Garon is only a 14-year-old freshman, but she's already demonstrated her great potential by placing second in the Eastern 100-backstroke, and third in the State Meet. Her sister, Susan, was an All-Scholastic in the same event a year ago.

With plenty of time to think about her future, Vicki is occupying her free moments teaching swimming and skating to children. She keeps herself in top condition as a member of the Wayland Swimming Club.



RITA GAUTHIER ... Braintree
Event: 100-Breaststroke
Best Time: 1:10.78

Gauthier, now a 15-year old sophomore, is a repeater from last year's All-Scholastic team in the same 100-breaststroke event. This year she placed second in both the Eastern and State Meets. She also splashed to a third in the 200-individual medley in the Eastern. She has accomplished all this without the benefit of a Braintree High swimming program.

She is now aiming for national recognition as a swimmer. Her brother, Jackie, was a member of The Globe's All-Scholastic Boys Team for two years.



SANDRA FRIEDL ... Westwood
Event: 500-Freestyle
Best Time: 5:22.1

Friedl, a senior, took a second in the Eastern 500-freestyle, and a third in the State Meet. She also fared well in the 200-freestyle, gaining a second in the Eastern, and a fourth in the State Meet. She played a major role while her Westwood team was sporting a 3-1 record in the Sotheastern Conference. A varsity swimmer for four years, she was the team's co-captain this fall.

A speedster in track, Sandra holds the Tri-Valley Conference 800 record. A well-rounded student-athlete, she's a National Honor Society member, and works for the school's yearbook staff. She's planning on a liberal arts education along with continuing in swimming competition.



DOREEN SABINA ... Brockton
Event: 200-Freestyle
Best Time: 1:57.1

Sabina, now a sophomore, is a repeater as an all-scholastic in the same event — the 200-freestyle. She was a double winner in the Eastern 200 and 500 freestyle with times of 1:57.1 and 5:14.0, respectively. In two years of Suburban League dual meets, she was undefeated in any events she competed in. She holds six league records, and is rated as one of New England's top five swimmers in the 13-14 age group.

President of her class, and an honor roll student, Doreen, following her graduation in a couple of more years, plans to enroll at Stanford University, and major in law.



DEBBIE POORE ... Canton
Event: Diving
Best Total Points: 413.60

Poore's a 16-year-old who won the State diving event this year after placing third in 1976. A year ago she earned honorable mention on the All-Scholastic team. This marked her third year as a varsity swimmer. A versatile athlete, she also took part in gymnastics for three years, and more recently in track and softball. She was good enough to be voted MVP in swimming and gymnastics.

With another year to represent Canton, Debbie is looking ahead to enrolling in college, and majoring in physical therapy.



MARTHA DONOVAN ... North Andover
Event: 200-Ind. Medley
Best Time: 2:13.8

Donovan's school doesn't have a swimming team, but that didn't stop this determined 16-year-old junior from winning both the Eastern and State 200-Ind. Medley and 100-backstroke events. In doing so, she broke the backstroke record with a time of 1:01.33. A competitive swimmer for seven years, Martha holds the NEAAU's and 100-backstroke records. In recognition of Martha's swimming talent, she's been named the outstanding participant for two years by the New England Swimming Pool Institute.

She intends to attend the University of Miami, and major in physical education.



CATHY EHRLICH ... Natick
Event: 100-Butterfly
Best Time: 1:01.85

Ehrlich finished first in the Eastern, and second in the State Meet 100-butterfly. She also competed in the 100-backstroke, placing third in the Eastern, and fourth in the State Meet. Her sister, Susan, was an All-Scholastic a year ago in the 200-individual medley. Cathy has been a member of the New England Barricudas Swim team for four years.

She also ran on the school track team's mile relay which placed second in the Class A championship meet. She's a member of the school's executive board, the newspaper staff, the Girls Athletic Assn., and the National Honor Society. A semifinalist in the National Merit Scholarship, she leans toward Colgate or Duke with plans to continue her swimming career at either school.

Swimmer of the Year

Susan Kitchen

Event: 50-Freestyle
Best Time: 25.10



Susan Kitchen is just a 15-year-old sophomore, but she's already broken the national high school record in the 50-freestyle with a clocking of 25.10 in the recent Eastern Mass. Swim Meet. She also finished second in the same event in the State Meet.

Kitchen also displayed her skill in the 100-freestyle, winning the Eastern in the time of 54.20, and finishing second in the State Meet. She also found time to anchor the Durfee 400-freestyle relay, which captured first in both the Eastern and State meets. Her unofficial time for her relay leg was 53.04.

Susan was also active as a varsity volleyball player, and has competed in AAU and YMCA swim events for five years. She devotes a portion of her tight schedule to being a member of the Spanish Club.

Coach of the year

Tony Guerra



Tony Guerra has known only success since he took over as Lexington's first, and only, coach when the school began a swimming program in 1971. His career record with the Minutemen is 54-16, and includes league championships in 1973 and 1975. This year his team finished fifth in the Easterns, and third in the State, and was a second place finisher in the Northeast Conference at 7-1.

Guerra has also coached the Lexington Boys Swim Team since 1974. For the past two years Tony has served as president of the Eastern Mass. Girls Interscholastic Swimming League. That

Guerra, a male coaching in the midst of a sport dominated by women, was chosen for this honor is a tribute, indeed.

400-Freestyle relay team — Durfee



ANN BALOIS

A 18-year-old junior, Balois has been competing in AAU and YMCA meets for six years. She's a member of the French club, ski club, drama club, and vice-president of the environmental central club. She's planning on a medical career, and BC, UMass, or Harvard are among her preferences.



KATHERINE HUDNER

This 16-year-old junior has competed in AAU-sponsored events for seven years, and is one of its top New England swimmers. She's very active, playing for the basketball and volleyball teams along with participation in the French, math, and ski clubs. She hopes to become a coach after competing in college swim meets.



ALISON SMITH

Since competing eight years ago in AAU events, Smith has been often chosen among the top 10 from New England. She's a member of the school's Spanish club, and her future plans are to attend either UNH or Maine, and major in physical education or interior design.

200-Medley relay team — Acton-Boxboro



SUSAN HERSKOVITZ

In addition to her contribution on behalf of the victorious A-B relay team, Herzkovitz also placed first in both the Eastern and State Meet 100-breaststroke event - her best time being recorded at 1:10.376. She was co-captain of the school's swim team along with participating in varsity track and basketball. A National Honor Society student, Susan aspires to swim for the US Olympic Swim team.



KAREN SHUFFERT

She's just getting the feel of high school swim competition, in this, her freshman year. But she already knows the sweet taste of success as a member of this fine A-B relay team. She's also gaining valuable experience as a member of the NEAAU all-star squad. She keeps busy at sports - taking part in field hockey, spring track, and cheerleading.



SANDY HARRIS

As a sophomore, Sandy was a member of the A-B all-scholastic 400 freestyle relay team a year ago. That relay group won both Eastern and State meets, and broke a national high school record in that event. She's already gained outside attention as a member of the AAU all-star team.



KAREN SHAEFFER

This 15-year-old sophomore has been competing in swim meets for six years, and is a member of the New England Barracudas. She currently holds the school's team record for both the 50-freestyle and the 100-backstroke. She plays varsity basketball and softball during the non-swimming season.

STATE OF THE UNION.....Joe Thompson

MERRY CHRISTMAS AND A HAPPY NEW YEAR

There are many things happening this month to keep New England on it's toes.

The International Womens meet to be held at Harvard January 7th and 8th has been changed to the Brown pool. The Harvard pool is not quite ready as it was expected to be. The meet has been changed to Brown to keep it in New England. The Brown facility has completely automatic timing, but, the International Rules state that there should be three back-up button pushers and one mechanical watch per lane and a turn judge at each end of the pool on each lane. This means there is a need for forty or fifty certified officials to run the meet each session. Some of the officials will be National regulars, but, Mr. Close, National Officials Chairman, has asked me to get a list ready of New England qualified officials to fill any spots that will be needed. If anyone desires the chance to Officiate please send me their name, address, telephone number and their certification level so I will have a list ready if you are needed. You will be expected to wear a white uniform and make the Pre-Meet briefing each morning you officiate.

Secondly, the monthly meeting of the Executive Committee was postponed because of bad weather and because the Holiday season is so close we will not meet again until the second Wednesday of January. This means we could not act on any four hour rule at Mini Meets. All mail received favors a four hour time limit and the consensus is that the Executive Board will also vote a four hour limit in effect at the next meeting. My thoughts are that this will be done too late to affect the Shawmut Mini-Meet that has advertised their meet at 6 hours, but I have talked to the meet manager and he is going to do his best to keep the meet as far under this time as possible.

Thirdly, I would like to inform all club Coaches, Presidents, Swimmers and parents of a new swimming publication trying to get on the market. Their main problem is getting a mailing list of interested swimmers. I cannot justify giving the names and addresses of New England swimmers so it will be up to each club or swimmer to give their OK. The name of the magazine is Swimmers Magazine. The cost is nothing for four issues the first year. Their aim is to get six issues a year.

The editor has asked for one favor from our area. They would like us to organize the New England list to cut down on their clerical work and cost in handling individuals interested in taking them up on their free offer. Our way of helping is to mail the subscriptions by clubs. Unattached swimmers can mail theirs to Glenna and she will forward them at the right time.

If you feel your club wants this service write or call Glenna Griswold and let her know how many registration forms you need and she will send them out to you. By the way, the first issue is due out in March.

Fourth, we had an unpleasant surprise when Springfield had to cancel their "AA" meet because it was undersubscribed. (Less than 200 entries for a full two day meet) This is a problem we did not expect. It might have been too early in the season or that New England coaches do not feel they are ready for such action. We do have enough "AA" swimmers to have a successful meet but because of reasons unknown not enough wanted this chance. It is expected the "AA" meet subscriptions will be smaller than an age group "A" meet but they will grow in time just as

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State of the Union (continued)

Seniors have grown. It is possible next year to have this new category set in solid enough so as a swimmer may not move down to an "A" meet after making "AA" times. When this happens it will mean New England is getting closer to National top times and we will be getting more swimmers to the Nationals.

Lastly, the Competitive Swim News (a National Newsletter that comes out bi-monthly) found it could not send an issue to all swimmers. The cost was prohibitive. They are now taking subscriptions and the cost is \$8.50 per year. The newsletter contains what they claim to be all the AAU swim news and they will mail it first class. We have been reproducing this newsletter and sending it to member clubs but we also find it a big problem we cannot control until they have a more organized printing. I feel it is a very informative paper and does contain a lot of pertinent information on all of the National Committees. It is usually a lengthy letter of thirty to forty pages on all aspects of AAU and FINA goings on.

Again I wish you a HAPPY HOLIDAY and GOOD SWIMMING in our New Year.

J. E. Thompson, Chairman
NEAAAU COMPETITIVE SWIMMING
6 Pompano Road
Worcester, MA 01605
Phone: (617) 853-8143

NOTICE

Below is a form for requesting registrations for the New Swimming Magazine Joe mentioned in his State of the Union address. You may either write for the forms or call Glenna Griswold, (413) 596-4812.

MAIL TO: Glenna Griswold, 48 Brainard Road, Wilbraham, MA 01095

I WOULD LIKE THE FORMS TO REGISTER MY TEAM TO RECEIVE THE NEW MAGAZINE.

NAME: _____ CLUB _____

ADDRESS _____ CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____

NO. of Registrations requested _____

Note: If you want all your club members to receive this offer you must fill out a form for each member.

TOP TEN TIME CORRECTIONS

Listed below are the corrections that have been sent to the Swimming office since the publication of TOP TEN TIMES.

Please note that if you sent in a correction or a possibility that is not here it is probably because one of the other corrections was a better time and would delete the one you included. The other possibility for exclusion would be a time in an event for which there is no National time standard.

Time trials do not count unless the time trial was run for the benefit of those cut from the meet because of overcrowding. In a case like this time trials only count in those events from which the individual was cut.

8 & Under Boys

Dan Ellingwood	NSYV	50M Breast	50.90	MMC	- 3rd
Jeff Gaboury	BCSY	50M Free	38.10	NEB-C	2nd
		50M Breast	51.10	DOV-B	4th
		50M Back	52.90	DOV-B	10th
		50M Fly	59.40	DOV-B	10th
		100M Free	1:35.30	DOV-B	8th
Garet Kipe	MST	50M Fly	56.90	MMC	10th

NOTE: Name, Club, Distance, Stroke, Time, Meet and Top Ten Place are listed

ALL CORRECTIONS ARE FOR LONG COURSE

10 & Under Girls

Anita Dembek	HRY	200M IM	3:05.23	ASM	3rd
		100 Breast	1:36.96	ASM	3rd
Lisa Riddle	UM	50 Back	39.38	ASM	2nd
Beverly Starble	DYD	100 Free	1:17.99	ASM	No change in placement
Dawn Bovio	DYD	50 Back	43.89	ASM	9th
Pam Jeter	MST	50 Breast	46.72	ASM	No change in placement
Marie Moore	NEB	50 Fly	37.75	ASM	2nd
MaryEllen Powers	MELY	50 Fly	40.02	ASM	6th
Susan Cass	BCSY	50 Free	34.80	DOV	6th
		50 Fly	41.90	DOV	10th

10 & Under Boys

Jeff Kelley	UM	50M Fly	43.3	NEB-C	9th
		50M Breast	52.0	NEB-C	3th
		50M Back	47.50	BS	9th
Dan Ellingwood	NSYV	50M Breast	50.90	MMC	7th

11-12 Girls

Missie Bertolino	CAY	100M Back	1:22.1	BS	10th
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11-12 Boys

Steve Mann	TRI-Y	50M Free	31.60	GM	5th
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Top Ten Time Corrections (continued)11-12 Boys (contd)

Hugh Murray	MSYV	50M Free	32.40	SSC	6th
William Dolan	MSYV	50M Fly	36.50	DOV	3rd
		50M Back	46.40	DOV	7th
		50M Breast	44.60	DOV	5th
Peter Webber	MSYV	50M Back	42.60	DOV	4th
		50M Breast	44.40	DOV	4th
		50M Fly	44.00	DOV	7th
Peter Cardoza	CEDAR	50M Back	43.50	DOV	5th
		50M Breast	48.30	DOV	7th
		50M Fly	42.61	DOV	6th

13-14 Girls

Elaine Palmer MSYV 1500M Free 18:45.16 REG 1 3rd

Robin Hayward ranked 9th in 100 M Breast is from North Suburban Y Vikings not Mashua Y

Ashley Heisey is a member of New Hampshire Senior Swim Team not Hanover Swim Team
Ashley's time of 2:57.03 done at MMC was listed incorrectly in the original book.

15-18 Girls

Sheila Dembek HRY 200 Fly 2:28.63 REG 1 3rd

OPEN Women

Shelia Dembek HRY 200 Free 2:15.57 MMC 10th

All those listed in the original book in addition to these swimmers will receive certificates.

MEET LIST CORRECTION

The meet below was left off the list of Winter Meets by mistake

Saturday, March 11 Attleboro Bluefish "C" Meet
Attleboro High School, Attleboro, MA
Contact: Mr. Victor Bonneville, 69 Robert St., Attleboro,
MA 02703

THE NEXT EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETING IS WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 11, 1978

IF YOU HAVE SOMETHING YOU WANT DISCUSSED PLEASE CONTACT GLENN GRISWOLD

OR JOE THOMPSON SO THAT IT CAN BE PUT ON THE AGENDA.

TAKE YOUR MARK.....

Your new certification committee, Don Benson, Chairman, Ralph Boone and Dave Bright has established two goals for New England Swimming Officials.

1. Wearing proper attire. Referrees, starters and stroke and turn judges should wear white. Timers and other officials if possible should wear white but will not be required to do so.
2. Review and Recertification Clinics. Major clinics will be run at conveniently located places in New England for the purpose of review and recertification in addition to certification of New England swimming officials. These clinics will be run at least once a year hopefully in the Fall near the start of the swimming season.

CURRENT CERTIFICATION CLINIC

A certification clinic will be held at Attleboro High School, Tuesday and Thursday evenings January 3rd and 5th from 6:30 to 9:00 PM. Free coffee and dessert will be served. It is recommended that interested people read the MAU official rules for swimming and bring stop watches to the clinic if you have one.

People interested in the clinic should contact Karen O'Connell, 12 Rocky Terrace, Attleboro, MA 02703.