2017 Fall Scholastic All America Report

Five Montana Swimming athletes qualified for the 2016-2017 USA Swimming Scholastic All America team honors. Special congratulations to Adam Zimmer who qualified for the team for three consecutive years! To qualify for the team athletes must have completed their sophomore, junior or senior year in high school, achieved a 2016 Winter Juniors qualifying time, and have a 3.5 gpa or higher in academic subjects. The athletes who qualified included:

**Adam Zimmer** representing the Missoula Aquatic Club is a three time Scholastic All American team member. Adam graduated from Missoula Big Sky High School with a 4.0 gpa.

The first time Scholastic All American award winners include:

**Mari Aoki** representing the Missoula Aquatic Club completed her junior year at Missoula Hellgate High School with a 4.0 gpa.

**James Bouda** representing the Kalispell Aquatic Club completed his junior year at Flathead High School.

**Ethan Harder** representing the Billings Aquatic Club completed his sophomore year at Billings Senior High School.

**Antoinette Popp** representing the Kalispell Aquatic Club completed her sophomore year at Glacier High School with a 4.0 gpa.

Overall1158 athletes were successful applicants with 555 girls and 603 boys receiving Scholastic All America honors this year. There were 180 three time award winners nationally. The Southern Zone had the most Scholastic All America selections with 364 led by North Carolina Swimming as the top LSC with 82 honorees and SwimMac Carolina was the top club with 35 swimmers recognized. The Eastern Zone had 287 honorees, the Western Zone had 264 honorees, and the Central Zone had 243 honorees.

Sean Grieshop of Nitro Swimming (Texas) reecived the only perfect score earning both a 4.0 gpa and winning the men's 400 IM title at the 2016 Winter National Championships. Grieshop is a three time Scholastic All American.

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Western Zone Women's Tabulator

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