

Southeastern Swimming



Age Group Report 2018-2019

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2019 Short Course Regional Championships

<u>Host</u>	<u>Region</u>	<u>Results</u>
Xcel	1	Meet results
Baylor	2	Meet results
CTA	3	Meet results
GPAC	4	Meet results

2019 Southeastern Swimming Short Course Championships

<u>Host</u>	<u>Results</u>
HSA	Meet results

2019 Southeastern Swimming Long Course Championships

Host

Results

HSA

[Meet results](#)

2019 Southern Zone Age Group Championships

Host: TAC Titans (Cary, NC)

Dates: July 30, 2019 - August 3, 2019

Results: [Meet results](#)

Team Placement:

1st: North Carolina

2nd: Florida Swimming

3rd: Team Georgia

SES: 7th place (with no senior swimmers)

This was the first year we did NOT take a senior age group to the meet. Based on this, we knew we would struggle with how to keep the team engaged and excited.

We took a full team of 11-12 and 13-14 kids plus one disability swimmer. The swimmers swam well especially given the meet's timing versus SES Championships. We finished the meet with 35 individual top 8 finishes including 13 top 3 finishes. Two relays were top 3 and we finished the meet in 7th place. It became more difficult to keep the excitement going as the week went on and we were not vying for a top team finish.

We are looking at ways to keep the kids engaged at Age Group Zones as well as getting our very top swimmers applied. The meet will be in Tupelo, Mississippi in late July.

2019 Southern Zone Open Water Championships

Host: GCST (Ft. Myers, FL)

Date: April 13-14, 2019

Results: [Individual results](#) , [Relay results](#) , [Team Scores](#)

We took 17 swimmers to OW which was not a full team. It was disappointing not to have any 11-12 boys apply for the team. In addition, we had kids apply who did not meet the minimum selection criteria. We definitely need to market the meet better than we have.

We finished 7th overall. We had 6 top 8 individual finishes with one overall Open winner. We won one relay and were fourth in another. **Three swimmers qualified for Open Water Junior Nationals next year with their swims.**

We plan to market the OW meet better and give more time for kids to qualify. It will help that the meet is not until late May this year. The meet will be in Chattanooga, Tennessee and we plan to have parents be responsible for getting their kids to the meet like this year.

2019 SES Records Broken

Short Course

11-12 Girls:

Levenia Sim (50/100 fly, 100 IM)

15 - 16 Girls:

Gretchen Walsh (100/200 free)

17 - 18 Girls:
Emily Hetzer (1650 free)
Alexandra Walsh (100/200 breast)

17 - 18 Boys:
Jarel Dillard (100 breast)

Long Course

11 -12 Girls:
Levenia Sim (50 back, 50 fly)

15 -16 Girls:
Gretchen Walsh (50/100 free, 100 back, 100 fly)

17 -18 Girls:
Alexandra Walsh (200 back, 200 IM)