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Volume 3

Sun Devil News



*Woodside
2010 Record
Wins: 2
Losses: 1*

WAC v. KC
348 - 217

DOUBLE WINNERS:

Nikki Barczak
Hayley Johnson
Zoe Kissinger
Brett Taylor
Maddie Torres
Katie Paulson

SINGLE WINNERS:

Conner Biondo
Julia Blumberg
Chloe Callanan
Anika Fassett
Dennis Fassett
David Gulker
Nick Lenhertz
Finnley MacKillop
Emma Miller
Maggie Miller
Tommy Paulson
Thomas Power
Natalie Rolf
Isabelle Sims
Jimmy Violassi

Our first home meet of the season was a great success with a final score of 348 to 217 and lots of First Place ribbons for lots of Sun Devils. (Full meet results are posted on the Woodside website.)

Our biggest home meet against Cranbrook is just around the corner. So get ready to cheer your teammates on. Please try to stick around for what's sure to be exciting relays at the end, not to mention ice cream for the swimmers!

Please note: Coach Anne asks that all swimmers who choose to wear a swim cap, please make it a Woodside Team Cap – it is technically against the NSSL rules to wear a different team cap (high school or winter swimming) at a meet. Plus, it makes it easier for spectators to cheer for you!

This week, the **Coaches' Choice** award for excellence in exhibition or non-points swims goes again to three swimmers: Camilla Baldini dropped 13 seconds off her 50 Fly. Emma DeMarco dropped 22 seconds off her 25 Back, and Jack Handzel dopeed 13 seconds in his 25 free! This is what makes summer swimming fun!

The **Spirit Award** goes to Olivia Steele. We loved watching a veteran swimmer like 13-year-old Olivia cheering on all the little kids!

Pick up your Awards in the front office!

You can find ribbons from prior meets in a "Ribbons Box" down in front of the Swim Team Bulletin Board.

**Coaches' Choice
Award**

Camilla Baldini
Emma DeMarco
Jack Handzel

**Sun Devil
Spirit Award**

Olivia Steele

***Any Swim Team Questions??
Call Lisa Farris at: 248.855.2848***

CONCESSION DONATIONS

Thursday's meet against Cranbrook Swim Club is our biggest home meet of the season. You all did such a great job for the first home meet. We're asking that you step up again to help us get ready with a well-stocked concession stand. This time, we're asking ALL families to bring a six pack of water bottles instead of pop AND a food donation. You can sign up for your food via the google docs email (it's working now!) or at the club. Also, please drop your donations to the snack area DURING warm-up. Thank you for all the help.

The Week Ahead

Thursday, June 30 – HOME v. Cranbrook. The biggest meet of the season! **WE HAVE CHANGED WARM-UP to 3:00.** Meet Start 5:00. Ice Cream Social after the meet.

Saturday, July 1 – In honor of the 4th of July Holiday, there will be **NO PRACTICE ON SATURDAY.**

Monday, July 4 – Firecracker Practice!
LAST DAY TO REGISTER FOR 9-10 MINI MEET.

PARKING FOR MEETS

You all did an excellent job following the parking rules for Monday's meet. Let's do it again: Drop your swimmers off at the front and then head over to Country Day to park. Thanks to all of our great swim families for making it work so well!

JULY 4th FIRECRACKER PRACTICE. This will most-likely be the practice your kids will remember all year long. Greased watermelons & soda pop relays are just a few of the crazy stunts from year's past. Who knows what antics this year's coaches will come up with! Don't miss your chance to find out and to party in the pool! As an added bonus, we'll be running Saturday Hours.

We couldn't do it without you!

Thanks go out to Wendy Sims and Nazik Kissinger for stepping up to run concessions. It's a big job yet the two of them looked like old pro's!

Thanks also to Julie Wardlow, Debbie Montpas & all of the parent volunteers who helped us celebrate with the first post-meet Pizza Party!

HOW DUAL MEETS ARE SCORED

In a dual meet, for each individual event, a team may only score points in two places. Points are awarded in the following order:

- 1st place – 5 points
- 2nd place – 4 points
- 3rd place – 3 points
- 4th place – 2 points
- 5th place – 1 point

For relays, points are only given for 1st place (8 points) and 2nd place (4 points).

