



Records Break at Hicken 2009!

Olivia Bellio lead the team this weekend at the Dr. Ralph Hicken Invitational with some great early season performances including club records in the 100 and 200 free as well as a number of solid 50 free performances. Olivia is quickly closing in on the Senior National Standard.

Din Selmanovic added his name to the Provincial Team list with a great swim in the 100 breast and Christine Huh was less than a second away from Provincials in the 100 fly and will look to get that in the coming month.

Eric Xiao gets the unofficial “Iron Man” award swimming in four finals and a relay all on the Sunday night.

Martin Matuszczak raced an exciting swim off that ended up in him swimming a best time by 4 seconds in the 100 back. The 15 year old girls of Rachel Sehn, Georgia Hamilton, Nicolette Goncalves, and Taylor Anderson came 1st through 4th in the 200 back.

MSSAC finished the meet with an individual medal count of 22 gold, 29 silver, and 31 bronze.

Gold medal winners were Tiara Higuchi, Megan Vuong, Stephanie Ly, Olivia Bellio, Isabella Olivares, Rachel Sehn, Nicolette Goncalves, Din Selmanovic, Abdullah Ahmad, Rodrigo Villalobos, Isaac Crowe, Michael Decsey, Martin Matuszczak, Austin Rockett, and Matthew Dmytrenko.

Silver medal winners included Tiara Higuchi, Lucia Namgoong, Megan Vuong, Stephanie Ly, Olivia Bellio, Paolina Carnevale, Georgia Hamilton, Janica Lee, Nicolette Goncalves, Rachel Sehn, Kim Fleming, Abdullah Ahmad, Terry Li, Rodrigo Villalobos, Matthew Babits, Victor Truong, Michael Decsey, and Austin Rockett.

Bronze medals were won by Tiara Higuchi, Laura Xu, Stephanie McDonald, Julia Matuszczak, Christine Huh, Wennie Zhang, Alexandra Jozwiak, Isabella Olivares, Rachel Sehn, Nicolette Goncalves, Julia Boron, Vanessa Treasure, Kim Fleming, Rodrigo Villalobos, Abdullah Ahmad, Pierre Truong, Sasha Svitak, Victor Truong, Eric Xiao, Martin Matuszczak, and Austin Rockett.

In addition to the great swims, meet management and all volunteers did a great job as MSSAC successfully hosted another big meet.

Congratulations!