



Splash Flash



June, 2008

Rocky Mountain Splash 2008 End-Of-Year WHAT A SHOW!

And What a Great Time! –

Thank you to all of the swimmers for working so hard this year.

Thank you to the parents that worked so hard & pitched in to help – we couldn't have done it without you!

Thank you to the friends & families that support our team – it means so much to all of us.

Thank you to the coaches that work so hard to prepare your swimmers & congratulations on a terrific year!

I would love any kind of feedback on the event – we are always looking for ways to improve & your thoughts are always important.

JUNE & JULY EVENTS

June 27 – July 5th - Teal & Gold Teams at National Age Group Championships, Binghamton, NY

JUNE & JULY BIRTHDAYS

Morgan McKean – June 5th

Maria Nichols – June 12th

Cami Darst – June 15th

Haley Suby – July 6th

Coach Debi – July 15th

Kaylin Darst – July 18th

CONGRATULATIONS ROCKY MTN HIGH POINT WINNER!

Congrats to Erika Guilbault (13-15) for being the Rocky Mtn Association High Point Figure Winner for 2008!

CONGRATULATIONS ALL-STAR SWIMMERS!

This year we are proud to have 13 swimmers on the Rocky Mountain All-Star Teams. This award is based solely on figure scores from the swimmers best 2 out of 3 Rocky Mtn Association competitions. Congratulations to the following swimmers (in order of finish):

12 & Under Age Group All-Star Team

Olya Martin, AAF

Elizabeth McNichols, AAF

Quinn Fawcett, NCO

Erica Wiens, NCO

Kiera Pitts, AAF

Rachel Klein, AAF

Cara Milton, CSN

13-15 Age Group All-Star Team

Erika Guilbault, RMS

Kaylin Darst, RMS

Hannah Sphatt, RMS

Kelsey Moretti, RMS

Kelsey Welter, RMS

Morgan McKean, RMS

Sarah Stevenson, CSN

Rachel Wertz, RMS

Kaitlyn Strutt, AAF

Cassie Herndon, RMS

16 & Up Age Group All-Star Team

Sami Davis, BAT

Teagan Darst, RMS

Audrey McMahon, RMS

Victoria Burdon, RMS

Taylor Kitayama, BAT

Rebecca Vickers, BAT

Taylor Daniels, RMS

Haley Suby, RMS

Michelle Tillman, BAT

Sandy MacDonnell, BAT

SILENT AUCTION

Thank you very much to everyone who donated so generously for the bbq, raffle & silent auction! We made a little over \$1550 total for the day!

NO MORE PRACTICE?

We highly encourage ALL swimmers to continue to do some kind of physical activity during the summer. Bicycling, speed swimming, aerobics, & yoga are just some of the suggested activities.

SEQUINS?

If you have any leftover sequins or rhinestones from this year – please be sure & turn them in to Shari – thank you!

GIRL SCOUTS

Saturday, October 11th Splash will be hosting the 4th annual Synchro Saturday for Girl Scouts. A notice will be going out soon to hundreds of troop leaders throughout Colorado inviting troops to our event. If anyone knows of a girl scout or a troop that may be interested please let them know about the date & to be watching for more information. Thank you!

END OF YEAR AWARDS BANQUET (Date Change)

This year's End of Year Awards Banquet will be held on Saturday evening, **August 23rd** at the Guilbault's home in conjunction with their "Olympic" party. Details will be sent out at a later date. Please mark your calendars now!

ROCKY MOUNTAIN SPLASH SYNCHRO 2008-2009

The 17th competitive season for *Splash* will begin with mandatory practices for all swimmers starting Wednesday, September 3rd from 5:30 - 7:30 p.m. If you know anyone interested in joining *Splash*, please let them know about this starting date. We also have flyers available for distribution, if you need any please let Shari know!

PICTURES NEEDED... LAST CHANCE

This is the last call for pictures, please don't miss the chance for your swimmer to be in the end-of-year video....it is definitely a highlight of the awards banquet! Please email pictures directly to Shari or Mike McKean. If you are unable to email your pictures we can scan them in & return the pictures to you.

CONGRATULATIONS 2008-2009 BOARD OF DIRECTORS

The elections for the '08 - '09 Board Members were held at the recent

General Membership meeting. They are as follows:

President: Mike McKean
Vice-President: Janet Wertz
Treasurer: Sheila Burdon
Secretary: Mary Wybenga
Bingo Operations:
Ken Daniels/Leslie Herndon
Member At Large: Bridget Gustavsen
(2nd Member At Large will be voted on in the fall)

Congratulations and thank you to all of our new Board Members!

AN OLYMPIAN'S BLOG

Hello friends and family!
I have finally found some spare time to publish a blog about my Olympic journey at:

www.janetculp.blogspot.com

I am going to try my best to update as often as I can to let you know how things are going both at home these last months before the games and while I'm in Beijing. Hope you are well and enjoying the summer of 2008 as much as I am!
Janet Culp

CLINIC & DEMO AVAILABILITY

Please don't forget to send Shari your swimmer's availability for the summer so we aren't scrambling at the last minute to fill slots. Thanks!

Olympic Schedule **Be sure to watch!!!**

August 18th – Technical Duet Competition
August 19th – Free Duet Prelims
August 20th – Free Duet Finals

August 22nd – Technical Team Competition
August 23rd - Free Team Finals