

STATE-MEET SWIMMING & DIVING RESULTS

BOYS CLASS A STATE SWIM CHAMPIONSHIPS
March 1-10 in East Lansing
Team standings: 1. Redford 194 points;
2. Ann Arbor Pioneer, 127; 3. Plymouth
Salem, 110; 4. Holland, 109; 5. Birmingham
Brother Rice, 77; 6. Grand Blanc, 77; 7. (tie)
Rochester Adams, Birmingham Groves, 70;
8. Rochester, 69; 10. Portage Central, 41.
Other area swimmers: 15. (tie) Midland Dow,
Forest Hills Northern, Holland West Ottawa,
Livonia Stevenson, 23; 20. Redford Catholic
Central, 22; 24. (tie) Holt, Saline, Wayne
Memorial, 7; 41. (tie) Westland John Glenn,
Midland, 1.

Event results
200-yard medley relay: 1. Rockford (Kevin
Hyde, Kyle Cannon, Nick Harley, Chris Sullivan), 1:35.50; 2. Holland, 1:38.25; 3. Birmingham Groves, 1:37.20; 4. Saline (Eric Lynn, Aaron Shelton, Ben Dzilo, Mike Johnson), 1:37.81; 5. Brother Rice, 1:37.78; Ann Arbor Pioneer, DQ.

Other area swimmers: 12. Catholic Central (Zach Fellrath, Dan Dzian, Bryant Steele, Kevin Ryan), 1:40.58; 14. Stevenson (Joe Bublitz, Mike Nemer, Rob Cambridge, Justin Katterer), 1:40.66; 15. Canton (Drew Nelson, Eddie Lindow, Matt Wisniewski, Ryan Ahern), 1:40.81; 31. North Farmington (Brihanmad Bachrouche, Sermet Alver, Mohammad Bachrouche), 1:46.12.

200-yard freestyle: 1. Chris DeLong (H), 1:41.64; 2. Justin Zumsteg (Rock.), 1:42.27; 3. Peter Vandenberg (RA), 1:42.38; 4. Peter Gosselaar (W. Ott.), 1:43.50; 5. Steven Hill (AAP), 1:43.67; 6. Brian O'Rourke (BG), 1:47.83.
Other area swimmers: 16. Nick Markou

(CC), 1:47.55; 18. Brett Meconis (CC), 1:48.06; 20. Matt Wisniewski (PD), 1:48.25.

200-yard individual medley: 1. Scott Weir (H), 1:51.18; 2. Mike Gustafson (RH Cent.), 1:53.56; 3. Joe Bublitz (LS), 1:53.94; 4. Ondrej Pakarovic (RC), 1:54.50; 5. Will Wakefield (AAP), 1:55.10; 6. Andrew Ciesielski (BR), 1:56.70.

Other area swimmers: 20. Andrew Carlin (CC), 2:02.69.
80-yard freestyle: 1. Chris Sullivan (Rock.), 20.39; 2. Patrick Saucedo (J), 21.50; 3. Mike Johnson (PS), 21.69; 4. Derek Allan (GR Crest), 21.78; 5. Andrew Taylor (RA), 21.83; 6. Travis Barker (21.89).

Other area swimmers: 12. Ed Lesnau (CC), 22.40; 13. Aaron Shelton (PS), 22.24; 30. Kevin Ryan (CC), 22.83; 34. Jeff Andonian (CC), 22.93.

Dive: 1. Justin Laskowski (BC), 471.95 points; 2. Ryan Matuzak (Rock.), 443.25; 3. Tony Schmitt (BR), 433.75; 4. Eric DeKam (AAP), 414.00; 5. Chad Zillich (AAP), 413.60; 6. Tyler Rick (CC), 409.80.

Other area swimmers: 7. Jeff Tallman (WA), 377.00; 12. Chris McFarland (BG), 320.20.
100-yard butterfly: 1. Nick Harley (Rock.), 50.57; 2. Justin Zumsteg (Rock.), 50.77; 3. John Stover (AAP), 51.58; 4. Greg Sticker (MOW), 52.35; 5. Octavio Ochoa (Rock.), 52.25; 6. Brian O'Rourke (BG), 52.29.

Other area swimmers: 6. Brett Meconis (CC), 52.92; 14. Ben Dzilo (PS), 53.44; 22. Bryant Steele (CC), 54.00; 27. Matt Wisniewski (PD), 54.78.

100-yard freestyle: 1. Chris Sullivan (Rock.), 48.58; 2. Scott Weir (H), 48.05; 3. Eric Lynn (PS), 48.59; 4. Patrick Saucedo (J), 48.75; 5. Andrew Taylor (RA), 48.78; 6. Adam Braun (B), 47.76.

Other area swimmers: 7. Joe Bublitz (LS), 47.17; 13. Ed Lesnau (CC), 48.29; 25. Andrew Carlin (CC), 50.33; 28. Jeff Andonian (CC), 50.37.

600-yard freestyle: 1. Peter Vandenberg (RA), 4:31.53; 2. Steven Hill (AAP), 4:39.38; 3. Peter Gosselaar (WOT), 4:40.91; 4. Steven Dowling (BG), 4:41.79; 5. David Lutz (RA), 4:45.84; 6. Kevin Paavola (GPN), 4:50.26.

200-yard freestyle relay: 1. Saline (Mike Johnson, Aaron Shelton, Ben Dzilo, Eric Lynn), 1:25.90; 2. Rockford, 1:25.92; 3. Pioneer, 1:28.03; 4. Groves, 1:29.24; 5. Forest Hills Northern, 1:29.31; 6. Grand Blanc, 1:29.41.

Other area swimmers: 9. Catholic Central (Ed Lesnau, Brett Meconis, Kevin Ryan, Nick Markou), 1:29.14; 32. Stevenson (Justin Katterer, Eric Dabkowski, Jeff Darby, Brandon Truscott), 1:33.37; 35. Canton (Joe Le, Jon Heles, Troy Gercak, Ryan Ahern), 1:34.24.
100-yard backstroke: 1. Chris DeLong (H),

48.71 (new state record; old record 48.08 by Matt Parish, Brother Rice, 1998); 2. Luke Letner (LV), 51.02; 3. Greg Sticker (MOW), 52.78; 4. Kevin Hyde (Rock.), 53.00; 5. Andrew Ciesielski (BR), 53.29; 6. Jon Schaller (GH), 53.56.

Other area swimmers: 22. Zach Fellrath (CC), 55.81; 26. Brad Nelson (PC), 55.88.
100-yard breaststroke: 1. Joey Pearson (GL), 58.56; 2. Ondrej Pakarovic (RCent), 58.58; 3. Matt Schaffer (BG), 59.84; 4. Nick Mrozowski (EL), 59.92; 6. Andrew Kurtz (BH), 59.94; 6. Peter Nage (BR), 1:00.59.

Other area swimmers: 9. Mike Nemer (LS), 1:00.84; 26. Dan Dzian (CC), 1:03.60.
400-yard freestyle relay: 1. Saline (Mike Johnson, Aaron Shelton, Ben Dzilo, Eric Lynn), 3:09.79; 2. Pioneer, 3:11.75; 3. Brother Rice, 3:13.31; 4. Holland, 3:14.22; 5. Rockford, 3:15.57; 6. Grand Blanc, 3:16.09.

Other area swimmers: 9. Catholic Central (Ed Lesnau, Brett Meconis, Kevin Ryan, Nick Markou), 3:16.10; 20. Stevenson (Justin Katterer, Rob Cambridge, Mike Nemer, Joe Bublitz), 3:21.03; 23. Canton (Matt Wisniewski, Ryan Ahern, Joe Le, Brad Nelson), 3:21.41; 30. North Farmington (Brihanmad Bachrouche, Sermet Alver, Craig Peske, Brian Clayson), 3:25.30.

CC swimmers are much improved at state meet

Any time a team shows improvement, the coach is usually encouraged.

That sentiment suited Jeff Baker to a tee after the Shamrocks came in 20th overall at the Class A state swimming and diving championships in East Lansing on Saturday.

"That's 17 places better than last year," Baker said. "I'm pleased with what we did, and our kids should be as well. We made strides and hope to continue our upward movement in the state. We had a good weekend."

CC qualified for the consolation finals in four events, coming in ninth in two relays as well as having eighth- and 12th-place finishes in individual events.

Brett Meconis was eighth in the 100-yard butterfly, finishing in 52.92, while Ed Lesnau was 12th in the 50 freestyle in 22.40.

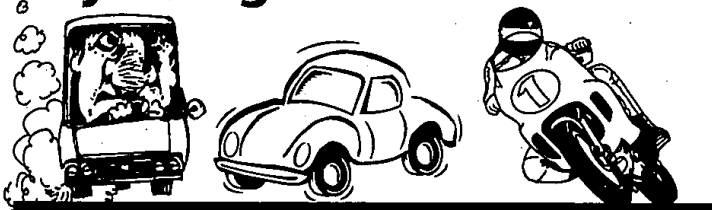
The 200 freestyle relay team of Lesnau, Meconis, Bryant Steele and Kevin Ryan was ninth in 1:29.14, and Lesnau, Meconis, Ryan and Nick Markou were ninth in the 400 freestyle relay at 3:16.10.

North Farmington's Adam Farber, who was third in the breaststroke last year and had the top seed time this year, didn't compete in the state meet due to a disciplinary reason.

The Raiders did compete in the 200 medley and 400 freestyle relays but didn't qualify for the finals.

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BEST TIMES

200-YARD MEDLEY RELAY

(state cuts: A = 1:43.09)

Plymouth Salem 1:37.03
Redford Catholic Central 1:40.37
Livonia Stevenson 1:40.68
Plymouth Canton 1:40.81
North Farmington 1:41.87

200-YARD FREESTYLE

(state cuts: A = 1:49.39)

Eric Lynn (Saline) 1:44.58
Ben Dzilo (Saline) 1:46.44
Joe Bublitz (Stevenson) 1:47.03
Nick Markou (Redford CC) 1:47.56
Brett Meconis (Redford CC) 1:48.06
Matt Wisniewski (Canton) 1:48.25
Jim Ross (Saline) 1:50.33
Justin Katterer (Stevenson) 1:51.29
Joe Le (Canton) 1:53.09
Mike Johnson (Saline) 1:53.54

200-YARD INDIVIDUAL MEDLEY

(state cuts: A = 2:03.98)

Joe Bublitz (Stevenson) 1:53.94
Eric Lynn (Saline) 1:58.82
Andrew Carlin (Redford CC) 2:02.21
Adam Farber (N. Farmington) 2:03.51
Mike Nemer (Stevenson) 2:04.54
Mike Krustewski (Redford CC) 2:05.48
Ben Dzilo (Saline) 2:05.94
Brian Martens (Saline) 2:07.03
Rob Cambridge (Stevenson) 2:07.32
Brad Nelson (Canton) 2:09.00

80-YARD FREESTYLE

(state cuts: A = 22.89)

Mike Johnson (Saline) 21.59
Ed Lesnau (Redford CC) 21.64
Aaron Shelton (Saline) 22.10
Joe Bublitz (Stevenson) 22.28
Kevin Ryan (Redford CC) 22.44
Jeff Andonian (Redford CC) 22.69
Brett Meconis (Redford CC) 22.73
Adam Farber (N. Farmington) 22.74
Bryant Steele (Redford CC) 22.82
Sermet Alver (N. Farmington) 23.07

DIVING

Chris McFarland (John Glenn) 259.80
Joe Rohde (Redford CC) 230.20
Greg Kubitzki (Saline) 224.05
Derek Bell (John Glenn) 214.05
Blake Brunner (Canton) 212.30
Tyler Flood (Redford CC) 208.55
Mark Monette (Redford Union) 203.00
Andrew Silasette (Stevenson) 194.40
Ken Douglas (Franklin) 190.20
Chris Dering (Redford CC) 185.55

100-YARD BUTTERFLY

(state cuts: A = 58.89)

Brett Meconis (Redford CC) 52.50
Adam Farber (N. Farmington) 52.64
Ben Dzilo (Saline) 52.76
Eric Lynn (Saline) 52.95
Joe Bublitz (Stevenson) 53.51
Bryant Steele (Redford CC) 54.00
Matt Wisniewski (Canton) 54.78
Brandon Truscott (Stevenson) 56.70
Yuhel Uno (Canton) 57.57
Robert Cambridge (Stevenson) 57.85

100-YARD FREESTYLE

(state cuts: A = 48.49)

Eric Lynn (Saline) 46.59
Joe Bublitz (Stevenson) 47.17
Mike Johnson (Saline) 48.07
Ed Lesnau (Redford CC) 48.29
Aaron Shelton (Saline) 49.29
Andrew Carlin (Redford CC) 49.31
Jeff Andonian (Redford CC) 49.45
Matt Wisniewski (Canton) 49.93
Adam Farber (N. Farmington) 49.99
Brad Nelson (Canton) 50.30

800-YARD FREESTYLE

(state cuts: A = 4:17.99)

Ben Dzilo (Saline) 4:51.09
Joe Bublitz (Stevenson) 4:55.57
Brian Martens (Saline) 4:59.07
Nick Markou (Redford CC) 4:59.63
Ryan Ahern (Canton) 5:01.65
Eric Lynn (Saline) 5:02.26
Justin Katterer (Stevenson) 5:03.01
Tim Ryan (Redford CC) 5:03.78
Jim Ross (Saline) 5:04.51
Rob Cambridge (Stevenson) 5:06.49

200-YARD FREESTYLE RELAY

(state cuts: A = 1:31.99)

Plymouth Salem 1:25.90
Redford Catholic Central 1:29.34
Plymouth Canton 1:31.62
Livonia Stevenson 1:33.15
Farmington-Harrison 1:35.66

100-YARD BACKSTROKE

(state cuts: A = 58.89)

Joe Bublitz (Stevenson) 54.22
Eric Lynn (Saline) 54.71
Zach Fellrath (Redford CC) 55.81
Brad Nelson (Canton) 55.88
Aaron Shelton (Saline) 57.56
Brian Clayson (N. Farmington) 58.23
Nick Markou (Redford CC) 58.31
Garrett Stone (John Glenn) 59.32
Andrew Carlin (Redford CC) 59.51
Jeff Neel (Saline) 59.98

100-YARD BREASTSTROKE

(state cuts: A = 1:02.82)

Adam Farber (N. Farmington) 1:02.84
Dan Dzian (Redford CC) 1:02.82
Eddie Lindow (Canton) 1:03.85
Mike Krustewski (Red CC) 1:04.30
Aaron Shelton (Saline) 1:05.98
Matt Showalter (Saline) 1:06.00
Jeff Andonian (Redford CC) 1:06.85
Jon Heles (Canton) 1:06.72
Dennis Speck (Canton) 1:07.14

400-YARD FREESTYLE RELAY

(state cuts: A = 3:25.30)

Plymouth Salem 3:09.79
Redford Catholic Central 3:16.10
Livonia Stevenson 3:21.03
Plymouth Canton 3:21.41
North Farmington 3:21.66