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2017 Streamline Swimstore State Swimming & Diving Championships

Albuquerque Academy Wins State Title for the 24th Time

The Albuquerque Academy Chargers hoisted the blue trophy overhead for the third straight year at the 2017 Streamline Swimstore State Swimming & Diving Championships. With the win, the Chargers collected their 24th boys' title and the 21st under the direction of Hall of Fame coach Dave Barney. Academy tallied 325.5 points on their way to the title, followed by La Cueva (256), Eldorado (243), Sandia (200) and Clovis (180).

Only one state record was broken during the 2017 State Championships, as Joshua Harlan of Cibola broke the state record in the 200 yard IM with a time of 1:15.24. The old record was set back in 1997 by Kirk Hampleman of Highland. Sandia recorded five first-place finishes, while Eldorado took home three gold medals, followed by Cibola with two.

Sandia's Lee Moffett took home gold in the 200-yard freestyle in a time of 1:42.13, while Ben Waterman of Eldorado was first to touch the pad in the 100-yard butterfly in a time of 49.43. In the 100-yard freestyle, Joseph Cecco of Sandia was victorious, winning by almost a half a second in a time of 47.15.

Lee again found himself atop the podium in the 500-yard freestyle, beating his closest opponent by just over three second, touching the wall in a time of 4:36.24. Harlan collected his second gold medal of the championships in the 100-yard backstroke in a time of 50.83, while Pierce Holler of Albuquerque High won the 100-yard breaststroke in a time of 57.22.

Sandia dominated the relay events taking gold in two of the three races.

The Matadors won the 200-yard freestyle relay in a time of 1:27.96, as Maxwell Hawton, Joseph Jaramillo, Moffett and Cecco won the race by almost a full second. Then, in the 400-yard freestyle relay, Hawton, Jaramillo, Moffett and Cecco captured gold in a time of 3:12.10.

In the 200-yard medley relay, Eldorado was just a little over a second off state record pace, winning in a time of 1:35.80, as Brandon Harden, Tyler Thibodeau, Ben Waterman and Aidan Mohns earned the first gold of the event for the Eagles.

Issaac Newman of Eldorado ran away with the 1-meter diving competition with a score of 535.75, followed by Hobbs' Nathan Collins (481.65), who won the 2016



championships.

In the inaugural season of the A/4A championship, Santa Fe Prep laid claim to the blue trophy, tallying 76 points overall. Sandia Prep (42) and Bosque School (34.5) finished second and third.

Chargers Hoist Blue Trophy for the First Time Since 2012

The 2017 Streamline Swimstore Girls' State Swimming & Diving Championships came down to two teams battling for the blue trophy until the very end. When the dust settled it was the Albuquerque Academy Chargers standing atop the podium with a team score of 368, followed closely by the La Cueva (317). It was the Chargers' first state title in swimming & diving since 2012 and their 16th overall.

Two state records were broken during the 2017 State Championships, including the 200-yard freestyle relay and the 100-yard breaststroke. La Cueva recorded four first-place finishes, while Albuquerque Academy grabbed three and Eldorado took home two gold medals.

The 200-yard freestyle relay team of Shaelyn Carmody, Kaci Jarry, Allison Bernier and Sara Vianco broke the state record set back in 2015 by Eldorado (1:37.21), touching the wall in a time of 1:36.58. Eldorado's Lauren Burckel broke her own state record set in 2016 (1:03.25) by nearly a second and a half, finishing in a time of 1:02.01.

In the 200-yard freestyle, Chrysten Pacheco of La Cueva won in a time of 1:51.94, almost two seconds faster than the closest competitor. Burckel collected her second gold of the day in the 200-yard IM, touching the wall in a time of 2:05.05, while Natalie Jones of La Cueva won the 50-yard freestyle in a time of 23.26.

Zofie Niemczak of Volcano Vista successfully defended her 100-yard butterfly title from 2016, winning the event by just over four seconds in a time of 56.16. Vianco also captured gold in the 100-yard freestyle with a time of 51.06, less than three-hundredths of a second in front of the second place finisher.

Hope Christian's Madison Gordley stood atop the podium after winning the 500-yard freestyle in a time of 5:02.13 and Sandia's Fiona Trotz-Chavez won the 100-yard backstroke in a time of 57.63.

La Cueva's Taylor Krupiak, Anita Sumali, Pacheco and Jones won the 200-yard medley relay in a time of 1:46.44, while in the 400-yard freestyle relay, Hannah Grenemyer, Emma Long, Pacheco and Jones of La Cueva continued the relay dominance, winning in a time of 3:31.92.

Albuquerque Academy's Lillie Guo won gold in the 1-meter diving competition, tallying 458.15 points, besting Michayla Trujillo-Paez of St. Pius X who finished with 396.05 points.

Hope Christian was crowned the inaugural A/4A state champion, scoring 120 points and taking home the blue trophy, followed by Bosque School (55) and Sandia Prep (29).

