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*Reminder:
All-Stars at
Castle Rock this
Saturday*

Current Remaining Schedule

- July 29—All-Stars @ Castle Rock

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Gators Pull Down Second Place Finish at Championships

8 & Unders Shine in Individual and Relay Events

On a beautiful - and hot - day in Castle Rock, The Gators, Castle Rock Cruisers and Hills West Waves slugged it out for the Championship of the “B” Division. Neither team could establish any significant control during the course of the meet. The teams traded positions; one team taking the lead on the strength of a strong swim only to fall back in the next event. At one time, as few as 12 points separated the three teams.

Going into the free style relays at the end of the meet, Castle Rock held a slim 19-point lead over Hills West (2,233-2,214). Southglenn was in third place at that point with 2,138.5 points. The Gators then mounted a comeback and narrowly surpassed Hills West for second place.

The final scores were as follows:

Castle Rock – 2,757
 Southglenn – 2,636.5
 Hills West – 2,608
 Forest Park – 2,085.5
 Willow Creek I – 1,723.5
 Smoky Hill – 1,701.5

Younger Gators Shine

Our 8 & Under and 6 & Under Gators shined throughout the meet. **Evan Hoodmaker** had an outstanding day with 2 golds (25 fly, 100 IM) and a silver (50 Free). **Adeline Weems** also had two gold medals in the 25 Free and 50 Free.. In addition, the 8 & Under boys won both the Medley Relay and Freestyle Relay. The

girls won the gold in the Freestyle Relay and silver in the Medley Relay.

Coach Grant’s age group also showed considerable depth. **Kiley Dindinger** grabbed silver in the 25 fly and 25 breast (as well as a 4th place in the 100 IM.) **Mitchell Debban** scored a silver medal in the 25 Free. **Cory Ortiz** also scored a silver in the 25 Breast. **Nicholas Maddalone** scored bronze medals in the 25 Back and 50 Free and **Alexa Williams** grabbed bronze in the 25 Free (and 4th in the 25 Breast). **Nicholas Walters** placed third in the 25 Breast **Evan Montgomery** placed 3rd in the 25 Fly. The future of the Gators looks secure with these great young swimmers.

The older swimmers were not just lying around in the sun while the younger

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Coaches’ Corner

Hey Gators,

Congratulations on a wonderful season to every swimmer who came out this summer - we were proud to have you as a part of the team, and hope to see you out next summer again! We had many great performances at the Championships meet at Castle Rock! Please check the website next week for results from the All-Stars meet on Saturday, July 28, to see how participating Gators perform!

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Championships, Cont.

swimmers were collecting all their hardware. **Will Sanders** won the gold in the 13-14 50 Free and two silver medals in the 100 Back and 100 Breast. **Nik Thomas** won gold in the 15-18 Free plus a silver in the 50 Free and bronze in the 100 Back. **Hunter Bannick** won the 9-10 50 Free and added to his day with a silver in the 100 Free and 4th in the 50 Back.

Also racking up some hardware was **Kris 'Muscles' Thomsen** who won silver medals in the 13-14 200 Free and 100 Fly as well as bronze in the 200 IM. **Anna White** won silver in the 9-10 100 Free and bronze in the 50 Free (and a 4th place in the 50 Back to boot.) **Kymerli Schrock** grabbed silver in the 11-12 100 Free (and a 4th place in the 50 Free). **Amanda Cadorette** scored the silver medal in the 9-10 50 Free. **Hunter Bacon** won the silver in the 9-10 50 Free and a bronze in the 9-10 100 Free and **James Womack** won the bronze in the 50 Breast. **Katherine Peterson** scored the bronze in the 9-10 50 Breast and **Emily Thompson** finished 3rd in the 50 Free.

The boys 9-10 Free Relay team of Hunter Bacon, Hunter Bannick, **Dylan Johnson** and **Mathew Debban** won the gold in the Free Relay and a silver in the Medley Relay. The 'B' relay team of James Womack, **Troy Dindinger**, **Pierce Schell** and **Mathew Dunn** won the bronze in the Free Relay. The girls 9-10 relay team of **Caroline Montgomery**, Amanda Cadorette, Anna White and Katherine Peterson won the bronze in the Free Relay.

The 15-18 Girls relay of Kalyssa Moehlenpah, **Lauren Moehlenpah**, **Alyson Schrock** and Emily Thompson won gold in the Free Relay. The 15-18 Girls relay of **Anna Blakney**, **Sarah Gardner**, Emily Thompson, and Lauren Moehlenpah won silver in the Medley Relay. And the Boys 15-18 relay of **Brett Reeder**, **Richard Sanders**, Nik Thomas and **Luke Rein** won bronze in the Medley Relay.

In total, Southglenn had 12 first place finishes, 19 second place finishes and 15 third place finishers. Congratulation to all the swimmer who participated in the meet!

Coaches' Corner, Cont.

If you were unable to attend the banquet on Sunday, July 22, please be checking the website in the weeks to come - we will be posting a date or two that coaches will be up at the pool for you to pick up your awards from the year! If they are not picked up by the end of August, it is difficult to guarantee that they'll still be available at the beginning of the season next summer!

Thanks again for all of the help and support of friends and family, as the season wouldn't run as smoothly without you! We hope to see you all back for the next Gators season in 2008!

Your Coaches,

Andy, Trish, Lauren and Grant