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Northern Lights Swim Meet

This past weekend in Grande Prairie was hot, hot, hot, and I am not talking about the wildfires. Pirate swimmers heated up the pool taking first in their heats, top three in their events and making finals at multiple age levels. The competition this past weekend was challenging but as a whole we gave our best and come out on top. Great job to all our swimmers.

New Pirate Records Set:

Male 11-12, 1500m Free, new record: Bruce Wurban 20:46.02

Male 11-12, 100m Fly, Bruce Wurban 1:16.90, beating the old record by Brevan Wagner 2015 of 1:16.98

Male 11-12, 200m Fly, Bruce Wurban 3:05.40, beating the old record by Kail Ketelars 2013 of 3:54.80

On the Podium:

Isla Walkom, Bruce Wurban, Leighton Ceh, Sarah Harbin, Ella Mouser, Jack Mouser, Jasper Nelson, Peyton Tucker, Sydney Tucker

Top-10 Finishers:

Lucy Van Keulen, Zoe Van Keulen, Sara Wilhite, Olivia Barr, Alexis Diachinsky, Shayna Elias, Skylar Fechter, Astra Kapicki, Jade Kapicki, Sierra Melnyk, Alicia Mills, Sadie Mouser

New Pirate Times Achieved by:

AA Times: Peyton Tucker

A Times: Astra Kapicki, Sydney Tucker, Bruce Wurban

BB Times: Alexis Diachinsky, Sarah Harbin, Sierra Melnyk, Ella Mouser, Sadie Mouser, Jasper Nelson

B Times: Olivia Barr, Leighton Ceh, Emily Eaton, Jade Elias, Skylar Fechter, Aaron Kachmarski, Ahriyah Martin, Alicia Mills, Jack Mouser, Lucy Van Keulen, Ruby Van Keulen, Sara Wilhite

New Festival Cut Times:

Jade Elias - 100 Back, Emily Eaton - 100 Free, 100 Back, Jack Mouser - 50 Back, 100 Back, Jasper Nelson - 100 Back, Lucy Van Keulen - 100 Back, Isla Walkom - 50 Free, 50 Fly

Upcoming Swim-A-Thon:

Swim-A-Thon is coming up fast. The entire team will swim on Sunday, May 28th from 7am-9am. Swimmers get to show off their endurance by swimming up to **200 laps** or **2 consecutive hours** whichever they accomplish first and afterwards swimmers can dunk the Coach. Coach Ryan and Coach Heidi will take turns in the dunk tank. So windup your throwing arm and practice your aim. Not sure what the Swim-A-Thon is, it is a fundraising event that your athlete/s get to participate in. This Fundraiser is for swimmers in Discovery, Imagination, Endeavour, and all Academy levels.