

USA Swimming Names Scholastic All America Team

Over 1,600 high school swimmers earn distinguished honor

- <u>Girls Roster</u>
- Boys Roster

COLORADO SPRINGS, Colo. – Following the conclusion of the 2018-2019 swim season, USA Swimming today announced the names of 1,634 high school swimmers who have been selected to the 2018-2019 Scholastic All America Team.

To earn the title of Scholastic All American, athletes must be in 9th – 12th grade and maintain a minimum 3.5 grade point average during the application year, while meeting the 2018 Winter Junior time standards in the pool. For the complete selection criteria, visit <u>usaswimming.org</u>.

Two athletes received perfect scores – earning a 4.0 GPA and a Phillips 66 National Championships title – in the 2018-2019 season. **Regan Smith** (Lakeville, Minn./Riptide Swim Team) claims the prestigious title by way of her national title in the 200-meter backstroke, while **Emma Weyant** (Sarasota, Fla./Sarasota Sharks) earns the perfect score with her 400m individual medley national title. Both athletes were recently named to the 2019-2020 U.S. National Team.

Southern California leads all LSC's with 106 honorees, while Swim MAC Carolina (N.C.) leads all clubs with 41 athlete selections. The 1,634 applicants is an increase from last year's total, and has risen by nearly 500 athletes since 2016.

Successful Applicants	1634
Girls	806
Boys	828
Three-Timers	150
Open Water	5
Disability	16
Central Zone	364
Eastern Zone	410
Southern Zone	454
Western Zone	406
9 th Grade	224

Athlete Numbers:

10 th Grade	461
11 th Grade	568
12 th Grade	381

Top LSCs		Top Clubs	
Southern California	106	Swim MAC Carolina-NC	41
Swimming			
North Carolina	104	Nation's Capital Swim Club-PV	39
Swimming			
Georgia Swimming	76	Dynamo Swim Club-GA	24
Pacific Swimming	75	Irvine Novaquatics-CA	23
Potomac Valley	73	Swim Atlanta-GA	21
Swimming			
Florida Swimming	64	NOVA of Virginia Aquatics-VA	20

USA Swimming is proud to recognize these scholar-athletes and congratulates the swimmers on their achievement, as well as their coaches and parents for their outstanding support

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About USA Swimming

As the National Governing Body for the sport of swimming in the United States, USA Swimming is a 400,000-member service organization that promotes the culture of swimming by creating opportunities for swimmers and coaches of all backgrounds to participate and advance in the sport through clubs, events and education. Our membership is comprised of swimmers from the age group level to the Olympic Team, as well as coaches and volunteers. USA Swimming is responsible for selecting and training teams for international competition including the Olympic Games and strives to serve the sport through its core objectives: Build the base, Promote the sport, Achieve competitive success. For more information, visit www.usaswimming.org.

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