

Rebel challengers tread water

By Mike Zrostek

Great things will come from having large numbers on a team and that explains the Georgetown District High School swimming team dominating their own swim meet - featuring five schools - Thursday at GDHS.

The GDHS senior swimmers claimed an amazing 16 of 18 first place finishes, while the juniors placed first in nine of 16 races.

In the senior girls 200-metres freestyle relay, the GDHS "A" team of Steph Kuipers, Andrea Herner,

Karen Mathiasen and Kristin Herner was first in a time of 2:13.63. Acton High School was second in 2:22.56.

Neil Scudder, Matt Deruchie, Robert Weston and Glen Oomen won the senior boys 200-metre freestyle relay in a time of 1:50.92. The other GDHS team of Kevin Taylor, Osian Morgan, Micah Zarnke and Nick Jamotte was second while the Acton team was third.

Justine Colton of GDHS won the senior girls 100 breaststroke in 1:34.88 and

Acton's Amanda Crawford was second finishing in 1:38.80.

Zarnke won the senior boys 100-metre breaststroke in 1:20.57 while Acton's Darryl Darby finished in 1:27.72.

Sabrina Bassett and Andrea Herner were one two for GDHS in the senior girls 100-metre backstroke. Oomen and Scudder also came one-two in the senior boys 100-metre backstroke.

Kristin Herner, in the senior girls 50-metre butterfly was first in a time of 35:27. Weston and Kevin Taylor took top honors in the senior boys 50-metre butterfly. Weston finished in 29:37 seconds and Taylor in 29:86.

Bassett and Kristin Herner continued to dominate on the day, this time taking the top two spots in the senior girls 100 freestyle.

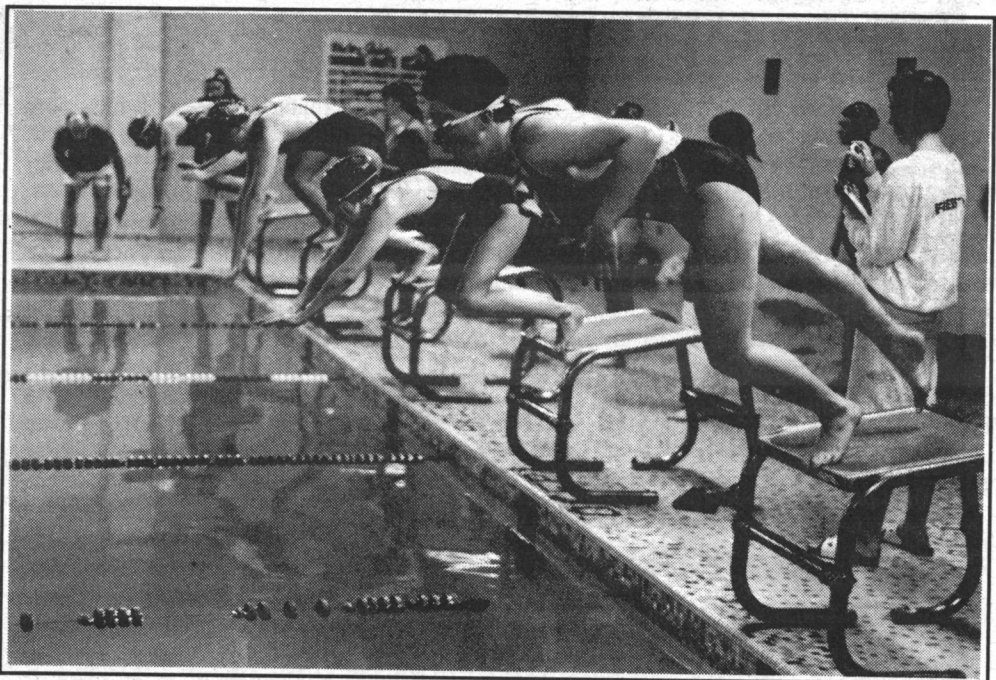
Oomen, Taylor and Scudder took the top three spots in the senior boys 100-metre freestyle.

Kristin and Andrea Herner were first and second in the senior girls 100 individual medley. Kristin was just 4 / 10 of a second out of first.

Weston, Zarnke and Cam Charles finished in the top three for the senior boys 100-metre individual medley.

Kuipers finished third in the senior girls 50-metre freestyle, while Oomen was first in the senior boys 50-metre freestyle while Matt Deruchie was second and Acton's Daniel Bonnell took third.

The senior girls 200-metre medley relay team of Colton, Bassett, Mathiasen and



Everybody into the pool! Last Thursday Georgetown District High School Rebels swim team hosted a meet at the Georgetown Indoor Pool, competing against Halton secondary schools. The Rebels handily won the meet. photo by Simon Wilson/HHTW

Andrea Herner was first with the Acton team finishing second.

Scudder, Zarnke, Taylor and Deruchie teamed up in the senior boys 200-metre medley relay with Acton coming in second and the other GDHS team of Cam and Trevor Charles, Weston and Morgan was third.

Bassett and Colton were one-two in the senior girls 200-metre freestyle with Acton's Tracey Moore third.

The junior girls 200-metres freestyle relay team of Tracy Tabuchi, Melissa Discenza, Lisa Mathiasen, Leigh Shillington finished first in a time of 2:19.48. The second team of Rachel Bodig, Sarah McEachern, Diana Guest and Amanda Walker from GDHS was second.

GDHS' Steve Masters, Ian

Ritchie, Harry Park and Andrew Gibson were first in the junior boys 200-metre freestyle relay.

Jenn Grant and Lisa Mathiasen finished one-two in the junior girls 50-metre breast stroke from GDHS and Derek Lambert of Acton High School came in third in the junior boys 50-metre breaststroke.

Amanda Bonnell of Acton High School was first in the junior girls 50-metre backstroke and Tracy Taburni of GDHS was second. Lambert of Acton and Harry Park of GDHS was second in the junior boys 50-metre backstroke.

Bonnell also won the junior girls 50-metre freestyle edging Walker. Masters and Jason McKinlay finished second and third in the junior boys 50-metre

freestyle.

In the junior girls 50-metre butterfly Discenza and Tabuchi of GDHS took the top two spots, while Andrew Gibbon won the junior boys 50-metre butterfly.

Leigh Shillington was first in the junior girls 100-metre individual medley, while Jenny Grant was third. Jason Morden and Andrew Gibbon were second and third in the junior boys 100-metre individual medley.

Shillington of GDHS was first, with Acton's Bonnell second in the junior girls 100-metre freestyle.

John Eddolls of Acton won the junior boys 100-metre freestyle beating Steve Masters and Harry Park of GDHS.

Both the GDHS junior girls and boys 200-metre medley relay teams won.

Lady Rebs primed and ready

By Mike Zrostek

The regular season starts Monday for Georgetown District High School Rebels senior girls volleyball team, but the team already has two tournament wins to date.

Last Saturday in Streetsville, the Rebels again proved dominant.

GDHS won the five-team tournament quite easily winning the final match over host Streetsville in two-straight games; the second game taking all of eight minutes.

Throughout the tournament, the girls never lost a game and coach Bevin Clark says the players are very satisfied with their play.

"The competition wasn't very tough but they feel good in what they accomplished," said Clark. "Winning two tournaments in two starts has them feeling good. They're very keen and aware and want to improve on their play, and that's a good sign."

Clark credited Jenn Murray and Christine Hallet for their play on the weekend.

Thursday and Friday the girls are in tournaments that Clark says will see the Rebels facing six of the top teams in Ontario and this should be a good indication of the team's ability.

Murray, Erinn Steringa and Carrie Shenk will miss the tournaments but Clark likes the balance on the team and says it shouldn't be a huge factor.

The seniors, as well as the juniors open league play Monday at GDHS against Burlington Central.

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