Swimmers make waves in Sudbury, Markham pools

Six members of the Stouffville Swim Club joined forces with the Aurora Ducks to finish second out of 34 entries in the team competition at the Division Two Team Championships in Sudbury last weekend.

Among Stouffville competitors that took to the pool, Grace Harris and Tori Rapp were gold medallists as members of the 13-14 medley relay team.

Shannon Meadway swam her way to a bronze in the 400 metre and 800m freestyle events.

Other bronze medals were recorded by

Jacob Rapp in the 200m breaststroke and Harris, 200m breaststroke.

In all, the swimmers swam to 26 personal best times and broke 18 club records.

GOLD MEDALS

Among other top eight results posted by club members, Rapp was fourth, 100m breaststroke, 800m freestyle and 100m backstroke; sixth 100m breaststroke and seventh 200m freestyle relay and 200m medley relay.

Louise Meadway was fourth in the 100 IM, fifth 100m back, 200 free relay, 200

medley relay and sixth 100m free and 200 m free.

Brooke Lewis was fifth 200 free relay and 200 medley relay.

Shannon Meadway was sixth 400m IM and eighth 200m back.

Harris finished fourth in the 200m and 400m IM and 200m fly.

By virtue of their placement, the team will move up into Division One.

Two weeks ago the Stouffville club competed at the Alex Baumann invitational in Markham where they were again a dominant force.

Gold medal winners included Rapp with seven, Harris with four, Tori Rapp three, Lauren Baines and Meadway one each.

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Harris and Jacob Rapp each claimed four silver medals while Audrey Ho had two and Baines one.

Ho swam her way to three bronze medals while Baines, Harris and Tori Rapp each returned with a pair.

In all, the swimmers achieved more than 100 personal best times.

- Michael Hayakawa

