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200 Individual Medley

1. Kristen Funk (Camb) 2:18.37; 2. Harbold (Weir) 2:29.50; 3. Salonica (SHS) 2:37.54; 4. Zumpetta (Brk) 2:38.37; 5. Stanley (JM) 2:39.09; 6. Padden (SHS) 2:40.33.

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1. Alicia Copestick (EL) 54.04; 2. Trabert (Lin) 55.62; 3. Jamiel (Camb) 1:00.01; 4. Lemasters (Brk) 1:01.99; 5. Sada (JM) 1:02.06; 6. Herr (MtD) 1:02.34.

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1-Meter Diving

1. Jason Wahl (WP) 302.70; 2. Carmine (SHS) 289.05; 3. Sweeney (SHS) 264.25; 4. Matanzo (SCC) 249.60; 5. Lopatowicz (SCC) 226.90; 6. Pappas (Lin) 225.30.

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1. John Marshall A (Dalley, Artimez, Riggs, Maidens) 1:52.22; 2. Steubenville 1:53.76; 3. Steub. Central 1:54.58; 4. Wheeling Park 1:59.24; 5. Linsly 1:59.38; 6. John Marshall B 2:01.02.

200 Free

1. Andy Klotz (StC) 1:55.74; 2. Gilloon (SCC) 2:00.05; 3. Gotschall (Camb) 2:01.54; 4. Matanzo (SCC) 2:03.25; 5. Gasser (SHS) 2:04.64; 6.

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200 Free Relay

1. John Marshall (Dalley, Artimez, Maidens, Riggs) 1:37.66; 2. Steub. Central 1:37.72; 3. Steubenville 1:43.39; 4. Wheeling Park 1:43.89; 5. Brooke 1:46.19; 6. Linsly 1:46.31.

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1. Riley Rose (SHS) 1:06.14; 2. Pappas (Lin) 1:07.78; 3. Salvino (SHS) 1:09.23; 4. Carducci (SCC) 1:14.13; 5. Williams (Brk) 1:14.18; 6. Visnic (WP) 1:14.50.

400 Free Relay

1. Steub. Central A (Matanzo, Lee, Coulter, Gilloon) 3:42.26; 2. Steubenville 3:44.42; 3. Linsly 3:53.02; 4. John Marshall 3:54.14; 5. Steub. Central B 3:54.90; 6. Wheeling Park 3:59.68.

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20 schools entered in OVAC swim meet

There will be 20 schools set to dive in the water at the 2001 OVAC Swimming and Diving Championships, which are slated for Steubenville High School once again this year.

With the total schools comes some 325 athletes.

Action is slated to get under way at 5 p.m. Friday with diving preliminaries. The diving finals will start at 9 a.m. Saturday.

Swimming finals will start at noon on Saturday.

The top seeds for the championships have been announced.

200 Yard Medley Relay: Steubenville (Girls), John Marshall (Boys).

200 Freestyle: Stacey Hummenny

(Steubenville Central), Andy Klotz (St.C).
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Big Red capture OVAC crowns

BY JEREMY MIDEI
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Swimmers and divers from the all over the Valley gathered at the Steubenville High School Natatorium Saturday for the 2001 OVAC Swimming and Diving Championships.

As the Olympics are to world class swimmers and divers across the globe, so are the OVAC Championships to the cream of the Ohio Valley's swimming crop.

Consisting of 20 teams and over 300 athletes, the OVAC Swimming and Diving Championships are a huge undertaking, on par with the monstrous OVAC Wrestling Tournament and the OVAC Track and Field Championships.

Being held in Steubenville's Natatorium, it was fitting that the Steubenville school district dominated as both of last year's championships were able to repeat.

The juggernaut Steubenville Catholic Central boys captured their second straight OVAC crown while the dynastic lady swimmers from Steubenville Big Red managed to run away with their fourth consecutive title.

Steubenville was definitely the theme of the evening as the two rival schools battled the entire competition.

The Steubenville teams swapped second place finishes as the Crusader girls took the second spot while Steubenville finished as the runnerup in the boys' competition.

The Steubenville Big Red boys and girls combined to finish with the highest total among all teams with 867.5.

Steubenville was able to continue the tradition of throwing coach Sandy Grimm into the pool after an OVAC title. The last time the Big Red did not win a girls' championship was 1997.

"Our kids put a lot on the line today and we had some incredible efforts from kids that truly surprised me. I expected the girls to do as well as they did, but we were really hoping with the guys. I was

won't," coach Grimm stated.

"The kids have really sacrificed all season to get where we are. It's really a testament to both the boys and the girls that we finished where we did," coach Grimm added.

Steubenville Catholic also looked to continue their dominance of the boys' ranks.

Catholic Central coach Kay Beth Calabria credited her swimmers' perseverance.

"We've worked so hard this year and had so many setbacks. We were unable to establish the workouts that I would have liked to. I always felt like we were playing catch-up but it couldn't have worked out better," coach Calabria said. "I would just like to thank everyone who helped in the getting the pool open by Christmas for us. Without them, this wouldn't have been possible."

John Marshall senior Michael Riggs topped all men's scorers finishing with 57 points.

Riggs placed first in the 50 yard freestyle and second in the 100 yard freestyle while also taking part in the Monarch's two winning relays, the 200 yard medley and the 200 yard freestyle relay.

The ladies were paced by Cambridge High School's Kristen Funk who tallied 58 points.

Funk captured OVAC titles in both the 200 yard individual medley and the 100 yard butterfly, the latter coming in OVAC record time.

Funk was also a member of the Bobcats' champion 200 yard freestyle relay and the third place 200 yard medley relay.

The St. Clairsville Red Devils produced the highest finish among local teams, finishing seventh in the boys' competition and eighth in the girls'.

St. Clairsville's Andy Klotz paced all local finishers, winning both the 100 and 200 yard freestyle.

Klotz scored 46.5 points in the contest, also helping St. C to a 11th place finish in the 200 yard medley relay and a 10th place finish in the 200 yard freestyle relay.

Martins Ferry's Angie Delbrugge fashioned a second place finish in the grueling 20-lap 500 yard freestyle.

Bellaire had two place-winners as the Fighting Irish of St. John's had a top four place finisher as Ryan Rico took fourth in the 100 yard butterfly and the Big Reds received a second place effort from Anthony Valloric in the 100 yard backstroke.

Wheeling Park diving coach Nicole Hanson's charges swept the boys and girls one meter diving competition, both with OVAC record efforts, as sophomore Ashley Adamovich took top women's

Swimming



LEFT: Barnesville freshman Danelle Holskey competes in her event during the 2001 OVAC Swimming Saturday afternoon at Steubenville High School.

BOTTOM LEFT: St. Clairsville junior Sarah Stupak takes part in the backstroke.

BOTTOM RIGHT: Andy Klotz - a senior standout from St. Clairsville - takes part in one of his events. See story 4C.

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