

2017 East Zone Tech Chair Report

13-15 Age Group Championship

February 11-12, 2017 Hamden CT. Host team Hamden Heronettes

- No qualifying scores
- Total number of swimmers-103
- All swimmers performed figures
- 21 solos, 27 duets, 9 teams, 3 Combo (Total 60 routines)
- Smaller meet than previous years
- Convenient meet schedule (2 days)
- Music collected before the meet via email
- Due to snow storm on Sunday team prelim event was eliminated and Combo event moved to Saturday
- 7 solos, 6 duets and 7 teams qualified to Nationals, please let tech chair and runners up know if not attending

Junior and Senior Championship

March 10-12, 2017 Hamden CT. Host Team New Canaan YMCA Aquianas.

- Senior athletes are required to perform Technical routine in each event they entered except Combo
- No qualification, open
- Total number of swimmers 147
- All solo, duet and team swimmers performed figures. Combo only swimmers could have entered figures, but were not required to.
- For Junior track we allowed 13 or 14 years old swim team routine and Combo
- Juniors: 29 solos, 26 duets, 17 teams
- Seniors: 4 solos, 3 duets, 10 Combo
- Total 89 routines
- Good size of the meet
- Convenient meet schedule (2 ½ days)

- Music collected before the meet via email
- 8 Junior and 4 Senior solos, 9 Junior and 3 Senior duets, 8 teams qualifies to Nationals, please let tech chair and runners up know if not attending

Thank you to all meet hosts for organizing and running Zone meets. Special thanks to Pete McGeoch for scoring, Jen Wilczynski for facilitating commutation with East Zone members, Jen Hatt for taking care of awards, Patty Flanagan for organizing judges panels Krista Bessinger for taking care of All Star clinic selections and Betsy McGeoch for admin support.

Respectfully submitted by Svetlana Malinovskaya

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