

## Section VI Swimming

December 4, 2009

Post Season Report 2009

This season was yet another banner year for the Section 6 girls swimmers and divers at the state meet. Our section finished a great weekend at Webster Schroeder High School of Section 5 with a solid second place finish and winning three events. The Olean 200 yd. Medley Relay team started the meet off by touching first in an All American time, Marissa Dressel of Kenmore West defended her title in the 100 yd Freestyle and Kenmore West won the final event of the meet the 400 yd Free Relay.

In all, we took a record 62 swimmers and divers to the meet in Rochester with 57 of those swimmers riding the contracted buses provided by the section. The entire weekend went like clockwork. The coaches and athletes were cooperative and represented the section admirably. The staff at the Marriott were also a pleasure to work with.

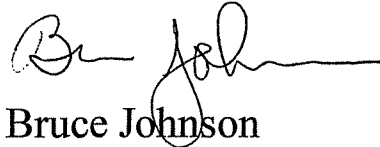
Our Section 6 Championship Meet was again held at the Flickinger Aquatic Center of ECC City campus. We had 406 girls entered in the meet which also ran smoothly. It is always great to work with people that appreciate that we are trying to make a special weekend for our athletes and Brad Boyle and the ECC people were again bending over backwards to accommodate our needs.

As always, we are trying to keep the sectional meet financially viable at ECC. The section 6 staff aided us greatly with admission and program sales. I do not have the final finances for the meet, but Bob Dinse seemed pleased with the financial outcome

Looking to next year, the state coordinators have already voted to return the state meet to Section 6 for 2010. It will mark the 35<sup>th</sup> Annual NYSPHSAA New York State Girls Swimming and Diving Championship which we have already began making preparations to host. This will mark the tenth time in the past fifteen years that we will have hosted this meet. We are very proud of the job that our team does hosting this prestigious event.

It remains an honor to serve the swimmers, coaches, and administrators of Section 6 as swimming coordinator. We will continue to insure that our sport one that all of WNY can be proud of.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Bruce Johnson".

Bruce Johnson  
Sect. 6 Coordinator