

OFFICIAL ENTRY LIST

65TH ANNUAL

NAT N. SCHWEDEL

GREATER VERNON SWIMMING CHAMPIONSHIPS

FRIDAY JULY 27TH, 2018

5:30PM WARMUP

6:00PM START

SPONSORING ORGANIZATION

GATORS SWIM TEAM

VERNON PARKS & RECREATION DEPARTMENT

HENRY PARK

HOROWITZ POOL

120 SOUTH STREET

VERNON, CONNECTICUT

WHO WAS NAT N. SCHWEDEL?

Nat. N. Schwedel, 1910-2003.

Mr. Schwedel lived a wonderful life filled with love, respect, and concern for people, especially the youth of Vernon. Mr. Schwedel was born in New York City, NY attended college there, and became one of the youngest CPA's in New York. After several years in public accounting, he changed his focus and was one of the founders of The Amerbelle Corporation, a textile dyeing and finishing concern in Vernon. Over the years, he served as Treasurer, President, CEO and Chairman of Amerbelle until his retirement in 1999 at 89 years young. Mr. Schwedel was active in many community ventures including being instrumental in the consolidation of the governments of Rockville, Vernon, and the Fire District into the Town of Vernon. He was a founder of the Rockville Rotary Club, served as its President, and was honored as a Paul Harris Fellow. He was particularly fond of a project for grade school children that taught traffic safety using pedal cars, which eventually became known as Safety Town. He spearheaded the drive to fund and build a community swimming pool for the Town of Vernon and the William Horowitz Pool became the first privately funded pool donated to a town in the State of Connecticut. Through the years he got great pleasure from serving as an official at the yearly swim meets and awarding prizes to the youthful swimmers.

Dear Mr. Schwedel,

Thank you for your work so long ago, we honor your memory. Thank you for your commitment to your community. Today we show our love for swimming, our respect for our parents and coaches, and our sportsmanship and spirit with our teammates. We love Horowitz Pool!

BEST ALL-AROUND SWIMMER AWARD
IN MEMORY OF NAT N. SCHWEDEL

Selection of the Best All-Around Swimmer Award will be made on the following basis:

5 Points	-	First Place
3 Points	-	Second Place
1 Point	-	Third Place

In addition to the above, a bonus of 2 points shall be given for each record which is broken. A bonus of 1 point shall be awarded for each record that is tied. If ties develop using the above point system, winners of the Best All-Around Award will be made based on the difference between new records or first place and old records.

DISQUALIFICATIONS

Competitive swimming is a sport with many technical rules. The intent of this swim meet is to encourage swimming by allowing swimmers to swim events within their ability and to recognize swimmers based on their performance. Swimmers who are disqualified because of obvious mistakes on the swimming of the event will finish last in the event and become ineligible for points on that event.

SENIOR SWIMMERS, 16-18 YEARS OLD

Based on past precedent, 16-18 year old swimmers are ineligible for the Best All-Around Swimmer Award, but are encouraged to compete for best times.

ELIGIBILITY

The greater Vernon Swimming Championships are offered to encourage competitive swimming in the Tri Town area. With this goal in mind, any swimmers up to the age of 18 are eligible.

SWIMMER SIGNUP FORM

Friday July 27, 2018

Swimmer's Name: _____ Age: _____ Birthdate: _____

Address: _____ Town: _____ Phone #: _____

REGISTRATION DEADLINE: Wednesday July 25th FOR PROGRAM INCLUSION

Limit of 3 events per swimmer (please mark below) Please, one swimmer per envelope

Freestyle Backstroke Breaststroke Butterfly IM

\$10:00 Fee per swimmer (covers event fees, awards, pizza, drink & dessert)

The parent, guardian, or participant does grant permission to the registered individual/s to participate in the Vernon Parks and Recreation Department program/s. The parent, guardian, or participant does hereby waive, absolve, indemnify, and agree to hold harmless the Town of Vernon, Parks and Recreation Department, the Vernon Board of Education, and all other sponsors and supervisors of the registered program/s. The Town of Vernon is not responsible for any lost or stolen items. As a parent, guardian, or participant/s, I realize there are inherent risks involved in physical activity. I acknowledge that I have read and understand the Vernon Parks & Recreation cancellation and refund policies, which include fees for cancellations. Pictures taken of participant/s may be used for publicity by the Town of Vernon.

Parent/Guardian name: _____ Date: _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____

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GREATER VERNON SWIM CHAMPIONSHIPS
PIZZA PARTY SIGN-UP FORM FAMILY & FRIENDS

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After the meet, there is pizza, drinks, and desserts for the swimmers, which is included in the registration fee.

Parents', siblings, grandparents and friends are welcome to join in the post-race festivities.
The cost is \$5.00 per person. Please use this sign up form.

Family Name: _____

Number of Adults: _____ Number of Kids: _____ Amount Enclosed: \$ _____

DO NOT INCLUDE ANYONE SWIMMING ON THIS FORM

Can you believe it...the season is almost over. Senior and Junior champs are just around the corner. The greater Vernon Champs are Friday July 27th and the Gator Swim Team Award & Splash party for swimmers and immediate family is Sunday, July 29th at Community Pool from 10:00AM to Noon. Before we know it, it will all be done.

Please sign-up and attach Money to appropriate forms.

-Greater Vernon Swim Champs swimmer's form & money (deadline Wednesday, July 25th for program inclusion)

-Family pizza form & money (deadline Thursday July 26th) should be in.