

Swimmers & Divers Down Oshkosh

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EAU CLAIRE - The UW-Eau Claire men's and women's swimming and diving teams each earned a fourth straight dual meet victory, topping UW-Oshkosh here tonight at the McPhee Physical Education Center pool.

Neither the men nor women have suffered a dual meet loss since December 11, when each team fell to UW-La Crosse. The teams have since defeated UW-River Falls, Hamline (MN), UW-Whitewater, and now UW-Oshkosh.

The men improve to 5-2 on the season in dual meets and 3-2 in conference dual meets with tonight's 142-93 win over the Titans. The Blugolds finished with wins in seven of the 13 events, including the 400-yard medley relay. No individual claimed more than one first place finish.

The Blugolds swept both of the men's diving events, with **Scott Heatwole** (*Jr.-Port Washington*) winning the 3-meter event with a score of 282.60 and **Bryan Dykstra** (*Fr.-Racine/Horlick*) winning on the 1-meter board with a score of 290.55.

Matt Schuebel (*Sr.-Racine/Horlick*) earned a win in the 200-yard freestyle with a time of 1:53.15 while **Brian Hauerwas** (*Fr.-Caledonia/Racine Case*) winning the 200-yard butterfly in a time of 2:08.83. **Cale Schmidt-Jackson** (*So.-Duluth, MN/East*) claimed first place in the 200-yard backstroke with a time of 2:09.03 while teammate **Doug Horton** (*Fr.-Burnsville, MN*) won the 200-yard breaststroke with a time of 2:23.83.

The Blugold women improve to 4-3 in dual meets on the season and 3-2 in the conference. The women defeated Oshkosh by a score of 158.50-83.50 and took first place in nine events, including wins in both relays. **Sarah Myers** (*So.-Eau Claire/North*) won both diving events, posting a score of 246.95 on the 1-meter board and 272.10 on the 3-meter board.

Annie Gorman (*Jr.-Menomonie*) took first place in the 1000-yard freestyle, winning in a time of 11:08.52 while **Cori Severson** (*Jr.-Brainerd, MN*) won the 50-yard freestyle in a time of 25.26 seconds. **Emmie Lee** (*Fr.-Zimmerman, MN/Elk River*) won the 200-yard backstroke with a time of 2:15.38 while **Amanda Kroger** (*Fr.-Shoreview, MN/Mounds View*) won the 500-yard freestyle in a time of 5:37.57. **Emily Diehl** (*Fr.-Prairie du Sac/Sauk Prairie*) earned the final victory of the day for Eau Claire, winning the 200-yard breaststroke in a time of 2:35.87.

The next stop for the Blugolds is the Wisconsin Intercollegiate Athletic Conference Championships, beginning Thursday, February 17 and concluding on Saturday, February 19 in Whitewater.

Complete Results

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