

Gulls and Fishermen split the Clatsop Splash

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The Seaside and Astoria swim teams met for the “Clatsop Splash” dual meet Thursday at the Astoria Aquatic Center, and the two rivals called it a draw, with the Seaside boys and the Lady Fish both scoring team victories.

Despite missing a few key swimmers, the Astoria girls scored enough points to get past the Lady Gulls, 85-77; while the Seaside boys continued their winning ways in dual meets with a 99-57 win.

The Seaside boys have now won 13 consecutive dual meets over the last two years, with one more remaining this season before the league and district meets.

Seaside and Astoria will take part in the Cowapa Championships, hosted by Scappoose Feb. 6, with districts the following weekend.

With a 6-0 mark in dual meets this season, the Seaside boys have high hopes of winning some heavy hardware.

“The boys are definitely pretty excited that we have the win streak going,” said Seaside coach Alex Reed. “That makes it 13 in a row today. We have Tillamook next week, and Tillamook’s going to be tough, so we’ll have to swim well there. Hopefully we can finish the season with another undefeated record.”

Five different Seaside swimmers won seven events Thursday, with Brad Rzewnicki (200-yard freestyle and 100-yard backstroke), and Sam Beaudoin (50- and 100-yard freestyles) leading the way as double winners. (See times in Scoreboard.)

Elsewhere, Seaside’s Luke Liljenwall and Daemon Fassler finished 1-2 in the 200-yard individual medley; Will Garvin placed first in the 100-yard butterfly; and Will Kendall took the top spot in the 100-yard breaststroke.

The Gulls made it a clean sweep in the relay events, with Liljenwall, Kendall, Garvin and Dylan Townsend taking the 200-yard medley relay in 1 minute, 57.13 seconds; Rzewnicki, Beaudoin, Garvin and Townsend took the 200-yard freestyle relay in 1:40.66; and Rzewnicki, Townsend, Liljenwall and Beaudoin swam to first in the 400-yard freestyle relay in 3:51.27.

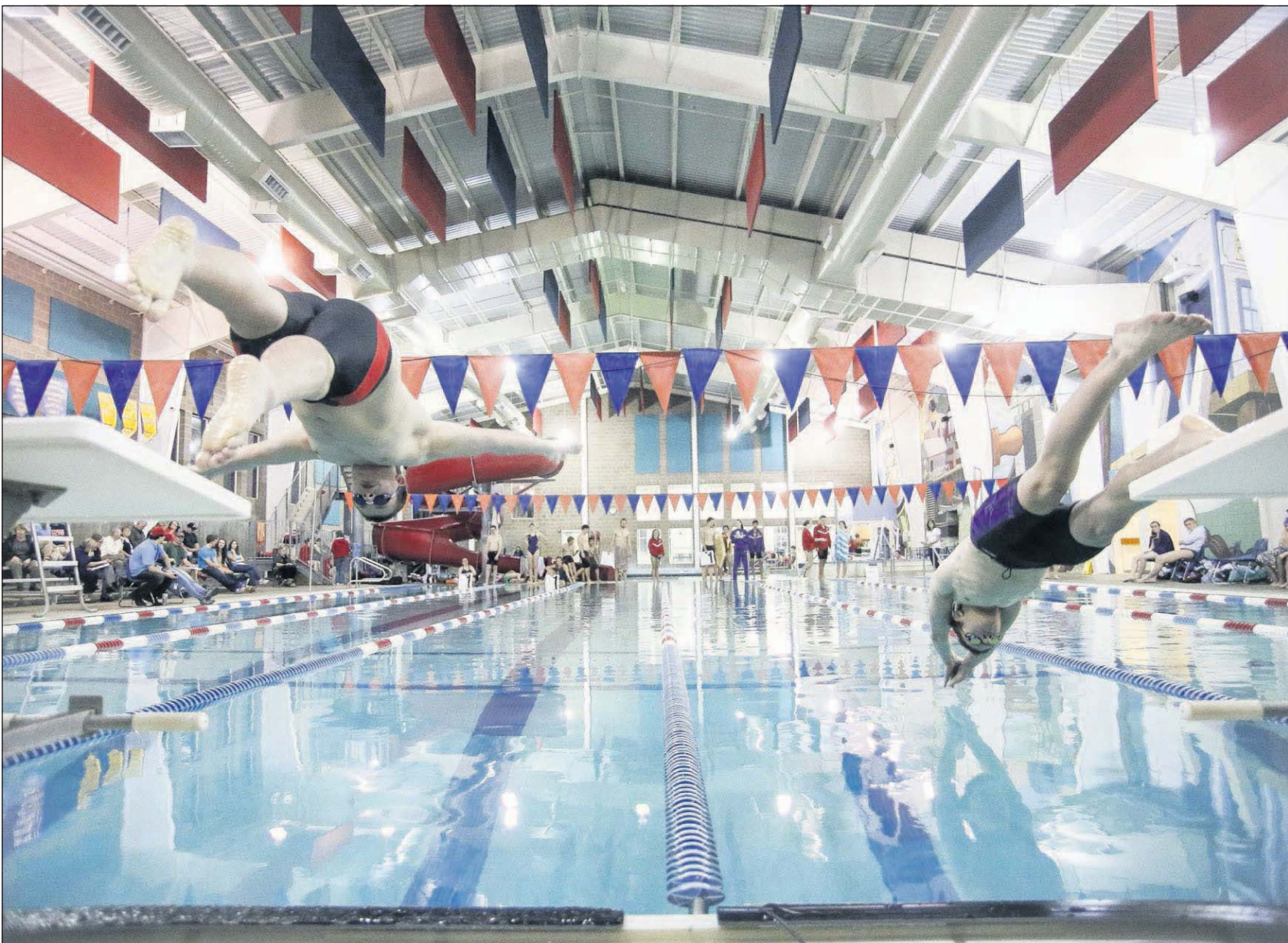
Astoria’s lone win came from Bryce Nurdning, who posted a 5:48.19 in the 500-yard freestyle to Fassler’s 6:43.74.

The Astoria girls won just four of the 11 events to score their team victory, leading off with Megan Sparks, Kristina Kjellberg, Ashley and Megan Schacher teaming up to win the 200 medley relay.

Ashley Schacher added a victory in the butterfly; Sparks and Jenna Rudolph made it a 1-2 finish in the backstroke; and Kjellberg took the breaststroke.

Seaside won seven events, with four individuals scoring victories.

The list included a 1-2 finish for Katherine Carey



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Seaside’s Daemon Fassler, left, and Astoria’s Bryce Nurdning, right, start the 500-meter freestyle at the Astoria Aquatic Center Thursday.



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Astoria’s Jacob Hulti, left, and Seaside’s Will Garvin, right, congratulate each other after finishing their 100 butterfly heat.



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Astoria’s Alyssa Harkins placed first in the 100 freestyle during the swim meet between Astoria and Seaside.

and Summer Spell in the 200 freestyle; Alyssa Harkins in the 200 individual medley and 100 freestyle; Tennaya Carr edged Astoria’s Ashley Schacher in the 50 freestyle; and Spell won the 500 freestyle 1 minute and 18 seconds ahead of the second-place finisher.

Carey, Carr, Elizabeth Barnes and Harkins won the 200 freestyle relay; and the Gulls (Carey, Carr, Kelsi Leer and Harkins) closed with a win in the 400 freestyle relay.

“Considering that we have some swimmers out, I thought our girls did really well,” said Astoria coach Amy Emmett.

The Lady Fish scored most of their points with depth, as they were missing Morgan Postlewait and Kendal Gustafson from the lineup.

Reed said, “Our girls really stepped up. We’re seeing some big time drops out of most of them. The boys are just where we want to be going into league and districts.”



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Astoria’s Ashley Schacher finished first in the 100 butterfly Thursday.



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Astoria’s Bryce Nurdning, right, competes in the 500 freestyle. Nurdning finished first in the event.

SCOREBOARD

PREP SCHEDULE	
TODAY	
Boys Basketball — Tillamook at Astoria, 5:30 p.m.; Seaside at Banks, 5:30 p.m.; Neah-Kah-Nie at Knappa, 7:45 p.m.; Jewell at Country Christian, 7 p.m.; Raymond at Ilwaco, 7:30 p.m.	
Girls Basketball — Tillamook at Astoria, 7:15 p.m.; Seaside at Banks, 7:15 p.m.; Neah-Kah-Nie at Knappa, 6 p.m.; Jewell at Country Christian, 5:30 p.m.	
Wrestling — Astoria at Tillamook Invitational, Noon	
SATURDAY	
Girls Basketball — NW Christian at Ilwaco, 5:45 p.m.	
Boys Basketball — NW Christian at Ilwaco, 7:30 p.m.	
Wrestling — Ilwaco at Coyote Classic, Kittitas, 10 a.m.	
SWIMMING	
HIGH SCHOOLS	
Seaside at Astoria	
Girls	
Astoria 85, Seaside 77	
200 Medley Relay: 1, Astoria (Sparks, Kjellberg, Ash.Schacher, Meg.Schacher), 2:14.01. 2, Seaside, 2:39.98. 3, Astoria B, 2:50.92.	
200 Freestyle: 1, Katherine Carey, Sea, 2:38.77. 2, Summer Spell, Sea, 2:40.01. 3, Daily Gayral, Ast,	

3:03.69. 4, Jenna Rudolph, Ast, 3:08.06.	200 Individual Medley: 1, Alyssa Harkins, Sea, 2:43.40. 2, Megan Schacher, Ast, 3:04.54. 3, Cadyn Carr, Sea, 3:12.0. 4, Kristina Kjellberg, Ast, 3:30.74. 5, Megan Postlewait, Ast, 3:52.73.
50 Freestyle: 1, Tennaya Carr, Sea, 29.26. 2, Ashley Schacher, Ast, 29.57. 3, Elizabeth Barnes, Sea, 34.34. 4, Kira Worwood, Ast, 34.69. 5, Kelsi Leer, Sea, 34.88.	100 Butterfly: 1, Ashley Schacher, Ast, 1:14.99. 2, Tennaya Carr, Sea, 1:23.49. 3, Katherine Carey, Sea, 1:23.90. 4, Megan Schacher, Ast, 1:28.39. 5, Shoshanna McCleary, Ast, 1:48.66.
100 Freestyle: 1, Alyssa Harkins, Sea, 1:01.73. 2, Megan Sparks, Ast, 1:06.93. 3, Kira Worwood, Ast, 1:16.09. 4, Kelsi Leer, Sea, 1:20.25. 5, Daisy Gayral, Ast, 1:20.65.	500 Freestyle: 1, Summer Spell, Sea, 7:10.0. 2, Shoshanna McCleary, Ast, 8:28.89. 3, Megan Postlewait, Ast, 9:12.55.
200 Freestyle Relay: 1, Seaside (Carey, T.Carr, Barnes, Harkins), 2:01.99. 2, Astoria, 2:04.54. 3, Astoria B, 2:37.03.	100 Backstroke: 1, Megan Sparks, Ast, 1:10.72. 2, Jenna Rudolph, Ast, 1:35.84. 3, Samantha Wozniak, Sea, 1:55.09.
100 Breaststroke: 1, Kristina	

Kjellberg, Ast, 1:30.66. 2, Cadyn Carr, Sea, 1:36.26. 3, Lisa Wuerfel, Ast, 1:36.75. 4, Louisa Samuel, Ast, 1:43.60.	400 Freestyle Relay: 1, Seaside (Carey, T.Carr, Leer, Harkins), 4:49.14. 2, Astoria, 5:33.89. 3, Astoria B, 6:14.40.
Boys	
Seaside 99, Astoria 57	
200 Medley Relay: 1, Seaside (Liljenwall, Kendall, Garvin, Townsend), 1:57.13. 2, Seaside B, 2:19.08. 3, Astoria, 2:35.29.	
200 Freestyle: 1, Brad Rzewnicki, Sea, 2:08.19. 2, Isaiah Collins, Sea, 2:33.96. 3, Spencer Johnston, Ast, 2:40.39. 4, Isaac Gray, Ast, 2:44.61. 5, Thaddaeus Stapleton, Sea, 2:53.87.	
200 Individual Medley: 1, Luke Liljenwall, Sea, 2:41.59. 2, Daemon Fassler, Sea, 2:43.94. 3, Thayne Covert, Ast, 2:44.26. 4, Anthony Miller, Ast, 3:02.46.	
50 Freestyle: 1, Sam Beaudoin, Sea, 24.74. 2, Dylan Townsend, Sea, 24.92. 3, Jacob Hulti, Ast, 25.47. 4, Will Garvin, Sea, 25.97. 5, Will Kendall, Sea, 27.15.	
100 Butterfly: 1, Will Garvin, Sea, 1:02.03. 2, Jacob Hulti, Ast, 1:09.78.	
100 Freestyle: 1, Sam Beaudoin, Sea, 56.19. 2, Bryce Nurdning, Ast, 59.53. 3, Luke Liljenwall, Sea, 1:00.33. 4, Anthony Miller, Ast,	

1:11.09. 5, Isaac Gray, Ast, 1:12.89.	500 Freestyle: 1, Bryce Nurdning, Ast, 5:48.19. 2, Daemon Fassler, Sea, 6:43.74. 3, Isaiah Collins, Sea, 7:00.93. 4, Spencer Johnston, Ast, 7:12.75. 5, Aleks Matthews, Ast, 7:19.80.
200 Freestyle Relay: 1, Seaside (Rzewnicki, Beaudoin, Garvin, Townsend), 1:40.66. 2, Astoria, 1:52.59. 3, Astoria B, 2:09.67.	
100 Backstroke: 1, Brad Rzewnicki, Sea, 1:10.19. 2, Thayne Covert, Ast, 1:19.69.	
100 Breaststroke: 1, Will Kendall, Sea, 1:17.28. 2, Aleks Matthews, Ast, 1:37.04. 3, Michael Zavalza, Ast, 1:37.45. 4, Thaddaeus Stapleton, Sea, 1:37.53.	
400 Freestyle Relay: 1, Seaside (Rzewnicki, Townsend, Liljenwall, Beaudoin), 3:51.27. 2, Astoria, 4:18.85. 3, Seaside B, 4:39.13.	
BASKETBALL	
HIGH SCHOOLS	
Boys	
Catlin Gabel 52, Warrenton 41	
CG (52): Jacob Adler 24, McClanan 8, Nallakrishnan 6, Park 5, Gowgiel 5, Vanka 2, Alan 2.	
WAR (41): Brock Johnson 19, Holt 12, Thomas 3, Wilson 3, Ocana 2, Cochran 2.	
Catlin Gabel	5 20 16 11—52
Warrenton	17 2 17 5—41

Eagles run past Warriors

BOYS BASKETBALL Catlin Gabel 52, Warrenton 41

WARRENTON — A promising start ended in a disappointing defeat for the Warrenton boys basketball team Thursday night.

Hosting Catlin Gabel, the Warriors jumped out to a 12-0 lead and led 17-5 after one quarter.

But the Eagles answered with a 20-2 run in the second quarter, on their way to a 52-41 win over the Warriors in a Lewis & Clark League contest.

The Warriors hurt themselves at the free throw line (3-for-16, 0-for-8 in the fourth quarter), while Catlin Gabel sophomore Jacob Adler scored 12 of his game-high 24 points in the second quarter.

Brock Johnson scored 19 and Christian Holt added 12 for Warrenton, which plays at Portland Adventist Tuesday.

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