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Subject: Championship Meet Confusion

KAC Parents,

I wanted to take a moment to explain how the championship meets work for any new families or anyone who has been confused by the "A" and "B" Meets. There are three championship meets at the end of every winter/summer season. Your child can only swim at one of these meets. I encourage every swimmer to sign up for the proper meet. This is the last meet of the season and is a chance to see all of the hard work throughout the season pay off. There will be a sign up sheet on the white board for the championship meets starting tonight at practice. I will also post a sign up sheet for our dual meet against Ludington.

Any swimmer who is in the 13 & 14 year old age group automatically qualifies for the "A" Meet. These swimmers will be swimming at the 11 & up "A" Meet, which will be held at Rockford High School, on Friday, February 13th.

All other swimmers, including the 11-12, 9-10, and 8 & under age groups, have qualifying times they have to meet or exceed to swim at the "A" Meet. I have a list of swimmers who have currently qualified for at least one "A" meet time on the white board, in our team room. If your child is in the 11-12 age group and has qualified for the "A" meet, they will be joining the 13-14 age group at Rockford High School, on Friday, February 13th. If your child is in the 8 & under or 9-10 age group and has qualified for an "A" time, they will be swimming at Zeeland on Saturday, February 14th.

If your child has not met an "A" qualifying time, they will be swimming at the "B" Meet, which will be hosted by Jenison on Saturday, February 7th.

All "B" Meet swimmers last practice will be on Friday, February 6th. "A" Meet swimmers will have their last practice the following week. Please let me know if you have any questions regarding the final weeks of the season. Thanks!

~Coach Josh