

WHS Swimming Results from L-R

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The Watauga High boys and girls swimming teams, despite a limited roster, competed at a four-team meet at Lenior-Rhyne University Wednesday night. The WHS girls were 3-1 in their dual meets and

won two events. WHS defeated North Lincoln 39-36, Bandys 63-12, Alexander Central 57-20, and lost to St. Stephens 61-31. Anne Taylor won the 50 free style in 26.98, and Carson Middlebrook won the 100 breast stroke in 1:14.91.

The boys, who only had five swimmers in the field, gave it their best shot, but weren't as fortunate. They lost to Bandys 35-34, North Lincoln 75-15, St. Stephens 61-25, and Alexander Central 46-33. Marcus Funston posted two third place finishes in the 50 free style (24.70) and the 100 butterfly (59.73); Ben Watson finished third in the 500 free style (6:35.62) and WHS finished third in the 200 free style relay (Funston, Chris Winkler, Watson and Ben Michelsen in 1:48.03).

"We swam with a limited roster due to sickness, exams, and to attend Leigh Cooper Wallace's service," said WHS coach David Gragg. "All were understandable absences, but missing that many swimmers really put us at a disadvantage. Anne Taylor swam well in the 50 Free and 200 IM. Eliza Enterline and Riley Dobbins swam well in the 500 free. Neither of those girls had swam the event before. We were shorthanded I only had five guys competing for the boys team, so it was not really a good indication of what we can do. But I was pleased they all swam well considering all the outside events that were happening. We will have to buckle down over the next two weeks of training and then get ready for meets in January. Conference is a little over a month away."

The Pioneers will take time off for the Christmas holidays. WHS travels to Lenior for a dual meet with Hibriten on January 9.

SWIM MEET RESULTS

GIRLS:

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St. Stephens – 61, Watauga – 31
Watauga – 39, North Lincoln – 36
Watauga – 63, Bandys – 12
Watauga – 57, Alexander Central – 20

200 Medley Relay

1. St. Stephens 2:06.78
2. Watauga 2:13.47
(Kursten Stang, Carson Middlebrook, Anne Taylor, Cheyenne Hayler)
3. St. Stephens 2:18.87

200 Free

1. McKenzie Weed (NL) 2:09.62
2. Jordan Krumanocker (SS) 2:20.38
3. Kellie Stamey (SS) 2:20.63
5. Sidney Wiswell (W) 2:52.31
6. Riley Dobbins (W) 2:53.10

200 IM

1. Maria Turcanu (SS) 2:24.62
2. Anne Taylor (W) 2:30.81
3. Polina Cherkez (SS) 2:32.15

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50 Free

1. Anne Taylor (W) 26.98
 2. Mandi Biondi (NL) 27.53
 3. Caitlyn Ebert (SS) 28.24
 8. Cheyenne Hayler (W) 32.81
- Eliza Enterline (W) 31.83
Kurstin Stang (W) 32.60
Kat Welsh (W) 35.35
D. Harmon (W) 37.05

100 Free

1. McKenzie Weed (NL) 58.47
2. Carson Middlebrook (W) 1:01.96
3. Mandi Biondi (NL) 1:05.47
6. Cheyenne Hayler (W) 1:13.91

500 Free

1. Maria Turcanu(SS) 5:40.86
2. Tayler Tierney (NL) 7:05.78
3. Eliz Enterline (W) 7:30.97
4. Riley Dobbins (W) 7:57.44

200 Free Relay

1. North Lincoln 1:59.09
2. Watauga 2:01.78
(Anne Taylor, Cheyenne Hayler, Riley Dobbins, Carson Middlebrook)

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3. St. Stephens 2:10.22

100 Back

1. Marinela Procopii (SS) 1:07.74
2. Sandy Alkoutami (SS) 1:17.87
3. Maddie McDonald (NL) 1:21.87
4. Kursten Stang (W) 1:29.15
6. Dakota Harmon (W) 1:34.37
7. Kat Welsh (W) 1:38.29

100 Breast

1. Carson Middlebrook (W) 1:14.91
2. Jordan Krumanocker (SS) 1:24.15
3. Hunter Short (SS) 1:26.09
4. Sidney Wiswell (W) 1:43.17

400 Free Relay

5. Watauga 5:18.43
(Eliza Enterline, Kat Welsh, Sidney Wiswell, Kursten Stang)

BOYS:

Bandys – 35, Watauga – 34

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North Lincoln – 75, Watauga – 15

St. Stephens – 61, Watauga – 25

Alexander Central – 46, Watauga – 33

200 Medley Relay

1. North Lincoln 1:48.91

2. St. Stephens 1:49.71

3. North Lincoln 2:03.25

WHS – DQ

(Chris Winkler, Noah Padgett, Marcus Funston, Brandon Michelsen)

200 Free

1. Sava Turcanu (SS) 1:50.29

2. John Biondi (NL) 1:51.91

3. Jacob Queen (SS) 1:59.06

5. Brandon Michelsen (W) 2:12.48

6. Ben Watson (W) 2:19.63

50 Free

1. Bennett McDonald (NL) 23.53

2. John Biondi (NL) 24.03

3. Marcus Funston (W) 24.70

8. Chris Winkler (W) 29.32

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100 Fly

1. Sava Turcanu (SS) 55.64
2. Jacob Queen (SS) 59.10
3. Marcus Funston (W) 59.73

100 Free

1. Bobby Regan (NL) 51.68
2. Caleb Riddle (AC) 57.21
3. Cody Marik (NL) 57.50
4. Brandon Michelsen 58.74

500 Free

1. James Biondi (NL) 5:43.10
2. Taylor Burgess (SS) 6:02.77
3. Ben Watson (W) 6:35.62
5. Noah Padgett (W) 8:05.28

200 Free Relay

1. North Lincoln 1:44.78
2. Alexander Central 1:47.38
3. Watauga 1:48.03
(Marcus Funston, Chris Winkler, Ben Watson, Brandon Michelsen)

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100 Breast

1. Tyler McBee (NL) 1:16.68
2. Alex Ivanov (SS) 1:16.89
3. Brandon Tellado (AC) 1:18.53
6. Noah Padgett (W) 1:30.38
7. Chris Winkler (W) 1:35.80