

## Boys Varsity Swimming 2011

Saturday, January 15, 2011 @ Andover

Andover 101 – Choate 61

Andover opened their home dual meet season on Saturday with a strong team performance and victory over the Pelicans of Loomis, posting excellent performances after a long week of practice on their way to a 101 – 61 win.

Along the way, Andover won every individual and relay event (including swimming exhibition in the three events after the 200 Free Relay).

Relay winning teams included the team of Raphael Grandeau '11, Didi Peng '12, Michael Camarda '14 and Jon Leung '11 in the 200 Medley relay in 1:43.52, the team of co-captain Matt Mahoney '11, Peng, Nick Camarda '12 and Leung in the 200 Freestyle relay, and the team of Grandeau, Cameron Phillips '11, co-captain Ben Morris '11 and Alex Nanda '11, swimming unofficially in the 400 Freestyle relay.

Individual winners included Nanda in the 200 Freestyle in 1:49.10, and the 100 Free in 48.83, Conor Deveney '11 in the 200 IM in 2:00.67, and the 100 Back (unofficially) in 53.39, M. Camarda in the 50 Free in 23.26, Tommy Kramer '11 (unofficially) in the diving event, Andrew Xuan '13 in the 100 Fly, Alex Smachlo '11 in the middle distance event in 5:00.41, and Mahoney (unofficially) in the 100 Breast in 1:00.78.

Special mention should also go to several returning letter-winners for posting their best times ever in this meet: Peng in the 50 Free (22.69), Derrick Choi '12 in the 50 Back (25.68), Lorenzo Conte '12 in the 50 Back (27.75), Andrew Wilson '12 in the 100 Breast (1:04.02), as well as Nanda in the 200 Free and Xuan in the 100 Fly, as noted above.

New additions to the team this year showed great promise in this first home meet: as noted above, M. Camarda won the 50 Free, and posted an excellent 49.91 in the 100 Free. Joe Faller '14 finished second in the 200 Free in 1:50.65, Grandeau posted a 58.64 in Backstroke, while Andrew Yang '14 recorded a 2:06 in the 200 IM, and a 5:10 in the 500 Free. Travis Bouscaren '14 finished the 200 Free in 1:59.85 and the 500 Free in 5:21, while Justin Wang '13 added depth in the IM event with a 2:12 time.

On Saturday, January 22, Andover will travel to NMH for a dual meet scheduled to start at 3:45 pm.

Full league results are available at [www.nepssa.org](http://www.nepssa.org). For results, write-ups, and a historical perspective of swimming at Andover from 1912 to the present day, visit [www.andoveraquatics.net](http://www.andoveraquatics.net).