

21 Records Are Broken In Junior Olympic Swim

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THE BIGGEST and best Junior Olympic Week Program in the eight-year history of the event ended Saturday.

About 600 spectators watched youngsters from 10-16 years old put on an aquatic attraction that accounted for 21 records and another tied. That's the way the City-County Junior Olympic Swimming Championships went in Kensington Pool.

Almost as fast as the speedy swimmers were the Niagara District AAU officials under the direction of referee Joe Sweeney, assistant referee Phil Patti, starter Frank Vogel and chief judge Doug Cameron. The 38-event program lasted only an hour 45 minutes.

Three Set Two Marks Apiece

Ideal weather accompanied the

week-long Olympic program that also included City and County Track qualifiers and finals. In all these events, records prevailed. But in Saturday's swimming championships, there was a cloudburst of marks. One record followed another in an almost endless parade.

Ron Traver, Tonawanda City, Berta Schreiber of Tonawanda-Kenmore and Walter Mahoney of Kensington accounted for two records apiece.

Other Records Fall

Traver did it in the intermediate boys 50-yard butterfly and 100-yard breast stroke. Miss Schreiber, a comely bundle of swimming energy, set marks in the girls intermediate 50 and 100-yard freestyle. And Mahoney, son of State Senator Mahoney, excelled in the 100 and 200-yard

freestyle events for intermediate boys.

Kent Gonsler of Kensington, in the midget boys bracket, tied the 25-yard freestyle mark and also won the 25-yard backstroke.

Other record-breakers were: Maureen O'Hara of Tonawanda-Kenmore in the 25-yard midget girls backstroke; Bill Bartlett of Kensington in the junior boys 50-yard backstroke; Dana Gallahue of Riverside in junior girls test at the same distance.

Relay Mark Broken

Kathy Erkkila of Orchard Park in the 50-yard butterfly among intermediate girls; Tim O'Hara of Tonawanda-Kenmore in the senior boys 50-yard butterfly; Paul Shanahan in the 200-yard breast stroke for senior boys; Lorraine Dissette of Riverside in the 50-yard senior girls butterfly; Amy Johnson of Riverside in the senior girls 100-yard freestyle.

Records also were set by the following relay teams; Kensington's 220-yard junior boys team, Tonawanda City's 200-yard intermediate boys team, Tonawanda-Kenmore's 200-yard senior boys team, Riverside's 200-yard freestyle senior girls group and Tonawanda-Kenmore's 200-yard freestyle intermediate girls team. The Junior Olympic Week program was co-sponsored by the Erie County and City Recreation Departments in co-operation with The Buffalo Evening News.

Olympic Swim Results

MIDGET BOYS

(10 Years and Under)

25-YARD FREESTYLE—Kent Gonsler, Kensington; Tony DeJoseph, West Seneca; Dave Turtle, Tonawanda City; Dave Johnson, Tonawanda-Kenmore, 14.8 (tied record).

25-YARD BACKSTROKE—Kent Gonsler, Kensington; Dale Neuberger, Amherst-Williamsville; Mike Wolf, Tonawanda City; Bruce Simmons, Tonawanda-Kenmore, 18.6 (new record).

100-YARD FREESTYLE RELAY—Tonawanda City (Mike Wolf, Dave Turtle, Jim Johnson, Mike Christy); Kensington, West Seneca, Tonawanda-Kenmore, 1:11.2.

MIDGET GIRLS

(10 Years and Under)

25-YARD FREESTYLE—Gail Roland, Kensington; Sally Woodward, Tonawanda-Kenmore; Marilyn Papich, Hamburg; Peggy Briggs, Elma, 17.8.

25-YARD BACKSTROKE—Maureen O'Hara, Tonawanda-Kenmore; Sharon Sanders, Amherst-Williamsville; Carolyn Erkkila, Orchard Park; Candice Reise, Cazenovia, 20.4 (new record).

100-YARD RELAY—Kensington (Maureen O'Hara, Sally Woodward, Barb Konikof, Cecily Schauer); Kensington, Amherst-Williamsville, 1:19.1.

JUNIOR BOYS

(11-12 Years)

50-YARD FREESTYLE—Bill Gonsler, Kensington; Denton Klahn, Tonawanda-Kenmore; Chuck Zernetsch, West Seneca; Mike Grys, Cazenovia, 30.4.

50-YARD BACKSTROKE—Bill Bartlett, Kensington; Kerry O'Hara, Tonawanda-Kenmore; Bob Ahlgren, East Aurora, 35.4 (new record).

200-YARD FREESTYLE RELAY—Kensington (Bob Pritchard, Brent Minet, Bill Gonsler, Bill Bartlett); Tonawanda-Kenmore, Tonawanda City, 2:10.4 (new record).

JUNIOR GIRLS

(11-12 Years)

50-YARD FREESTYLE—Karen Frank, Kensington; Barbara Bcbnek, Rees; Barb Fleming, Orchard Park; Donna Paché, Hamburg, 36.4.

50-YARD BACKSTROKE—Dana Gallahue, Riverside; Debbie Ballinger, Amherst-Williamsville; Betty Hargeshelmer, Hamburg; Susan Monaco, Cazenovia, 38.6 (new record).

200-YARD FREESTYLE RELAY—Kensington (Karen Frank, Fran Leto, Linda Dahlstrom, Karen Dreschler); Tonawanda-Kenmore, Hamburg, Amherst-Williamsville, 2:41.8.

INTERMEDIATE BOYS

(13-14 Years)

50-YARD FREESTYLE—Mike Gfroerer, Tonawanda City; Kurt Pitzal, East Aurora; Steve Talty, Cazenovia, 22.3.

50-YARD BUTTERFLY—Ron Traver, Tonawanda City; Bill Tempest, Tonawanda-Kenmore; Gary Grundtish, Cazenovia, 30.8 (new record).

100-BREAST STROKE—Ron Traver, Tonawanda City; Ken McGeough, Tonawanda-Kenmore; Bill Lawson, Rees; Nick Greco, Kensington, 1:16.9 (new record).

100-YARD FREESTYLE—Walter Mahoney, Kensington; Ken McGeough, Tonawanda-Kenmore; Ken Zuhr, Tonawanda City; Gary Grundtish, Cazenovia, 57.7 (new record).

50-YARD BREAST STROKE—Barbara Getty, Tonawanda-Kenmore; Marianne Slaby, Riverside; Ann Marcille, Amherst-Williamsville, 41.1.

100-YARD FREESTYLE—Amy Johnson, Riverside; Jane Klahn, Tonawanda-Kenmore; Gail Schevler, Orchard Park; Ledo Morreale, Hamburg, 1:01.7 (new record).

50-YARD BACKSTROKE—Jane Klahn, Tonawanda-Kenmore; Sharon Richardson, Kensington; Kathy Manley, Hamburg; Sandy Cook, Amherst-Williamsville, 40.7.

200-YARD FREESTYLE RELAY—Riverside (Marianne Slaby, Lorraine Dissette, Chris Kelly, Amy Johnson); Orchard Park; Tonawanda-Kenmore; Amherst-Williamsville, 2:07.2 (new record).

200-YARD FREESTYLE—Walter Mahoney, Kensington; Bill Tempest, Tonawanda-Kenmore; Bill Fisher, Tonawanda City; Al Soboleski, Hamburg, 2:23.1 (new record).

100-YARD BACKSTROKE—Jeff Wolf, Tonawanda City; Nick Greco, Kensington; Steve Talty, Cazenovia, 1:14.6.

200-YARD FREESTYLE RELAY—Tonawanda City (Mike Gfroerer, Jeff Wolf, Ken Zuhr, Bill Fisher); Tonawanda-Kenmore, Cazenovia, 1:54.1 (new record).

INTERMEDIATE GIRLS (13-14 Years)

50-YARD FREESTYLE—Berta Schreiber, Tonawanda-Kenmore; Becky Robinson, Kensington; Beverly Dumke, Amherst-Williamsville; Nancy Roberts, Lancaster-Depew, 30.1 (new record).

50-YARD BUTTERFLY—Kathy Erkkila, Orchard Park; Diana Homjak, Riverside; Angelina Jankowski, Tonawanda-Kenmore; Linda Dahlstrom, Kensington, 33.6 (new record).

50-YARD BREAST STROKE—Lorraine Duthie, Tonawanda-Kenmore; Judy Richardson, Kensington; Carol Schoukens, Riverside; Carol Wohlfiel, West Seneca, 40.2.

50-YARD BACKSTROKE—Trudy Turner, Tonawanda-Kenmore; Nancy Roberts, Lancaster-Depew; Penny Moore, Amherst-Williamsville, 40.9.

100-YARD FREESTYLE—Berta Schreiber, Tonawanda-Kenmore; Kathy Erkkila, Orchard Park; J. dy Kaminiski, Kensington, 1:03.6 (new record).

200-YARD FREESTYLE RELAY—Tonawanda-Kenmore (Lorraine Duthie, Jane Schreiber, Angelina Jankowski, Trudy Turner); Kensington, Amherst-Williamsville, 2:20.8 (new record).

SENIOR BOYS

(15-16 Years)

50-YARD FREESTYLE—Pat LaPorte, Tonawanda-Kenmore; Deiter Heinze, Hamburg; Robbin Piel, Cheektowaga-Shoan, 26.1.

50-YARD BUTTERFLY—Tim O'Hara, Tonawanda-Kenmore; Tom Farenholz, Rees; Peter Minich, Amherst-Williamsville; Deiter Heinze, Hamburg, 29.6 (new record).

200-YARD BREAST STROKE—Paul Shanahan, Tonawanda City; Alex Hanse, Amherst-Williamsville; Bob Fleishman, Tonawanda-Kenmore, 2:51.7 (new record).

100-YARD FREESTYLE—Jim Crosby, Tonawanda City; Tim O'Hara, Tonawanda-Kenmore; John Ernst, Orchard Park; Mike Farinedi, Riverside, 53.9.

200-YARD FREESTYLE—Jim Eadie, Tonawanda-Kenmore; John Ernst, Orchard Park; Pete Moore, Rees; Pete Minich, Amherst-Williamsville, 2:20.9.

100-YARD BACKSTROKE—Bill Penn, Tonawanda-Kenmore; Dave Hammond, Rees; Larry Jones, West Seneca; Arno Lastarl, Kensington, 1:09.6 (new record).

200-YARD FREESTYLE RELAY—Tonawanda-Kenmore (Bill Penn, Jim Eadie, Bob Duthie, Pat LaPorte); Rees, 1:46 (new record).

SENIOR GIRLS

(15-16 Years)

50-YARD FREESTYLE—Barbara Watson, Orchard Park; Chris Kelly, Riverside; Mary Wheeler, Schiller; Ellen Schauer, Tonawanda-Kenmore, 32.3.

50-YARD BUTTERFLY—Lorraine Dissette, Riverside; Barbara Getty, Tonawanda-Kenmore; Beth Erkkila, Orchard Park, 37.2 (new record).