

# Torri Huske Wins Timely Double to Close Out TYR Pro Swim Series Mission Viejo

#### Results

**MISSION VIEJO, Calif.** – Competition at the 2023 TYR Pro Swim Series Mission Viejo concluded Saturday at the Marguerite Aquatics Complex with competition in the 800m freestyle, 100m backstroke, 200m breaststroke, 100m butterfly, 200m individual medley and the 50m freestyle.

World Champion and National Team member Torri Huske (Arlington, Va./Alto Swim Club) won back-to-back events in just over 10 minutes – 100m butterfly and 200m individual medley – to close the four-day competition.

## Women's 800m Freestyle - FINAL

- 1 Bella Sims (Las Vegas, Nev./Sandpipers of Nevada), 8:29.85
- 2 Kayla Han (La Mirada, Calif./La Mirada Armada), 8:32.88
- 3 Jillian Cox (Cedar Park, Texas/Longhorn Aquatics), 8:33.36

Sims on her performance: "I'm tired. That was good for me. I didn't really die out or anything and wanted to keep my legs consistent. I wanted to go out fast and try to hold it. I think I did that pretty well."

## Men's 800m Freestyle - FINAL

- 1 Marwan Aly ElKamash (EGY), 7:53.56
- 2 Yigit Aslan (TUR), 7:55.61
- 3 Alec Enyeart (Kansas City, Mo./Triumph Swim Team), 7:59.66

## Women's 100m Backstroke - FINAL

- 1 Claire Curzan (Cary, N.C./Alto Swim Club), 59.00
- 2 Isabelle Stadden (Blaine, Minn./California Aquatics), 59.56
- 3 Olivia Smoliga (Glenview, Ill./Sun Devil Swimming), 1:00.01

Curzan on her performance: "I'm feeling super excited. I think it was a really fun session and I'm just really happy with this meet."

## Men's 100m Backstroke - FINAL

1 – Hunter Armstrong (Dover, Ohio/New York Athletic Club/California Aquatics), 52.82

- 2 Ryan Murphy (Ponte Vedra Beach, Fla./California Aquatics), 53.36
- 3 Justin Ress (Cary, N.C./Mission Viejo Nadadores), 53.77

Armstrong on his performance: "I'm feeling pretty good. Every meet we've stepped up the training. I'm really happy I was able to repeat and stay undefeated so far."

# Women's 200m Breaststroke - FINAL

- 1 Lilly King (Evansville, Ind./Indiana Swim Club), 2:25.34
- 2 Tess Cieplucha (CAN), 2:28.14
- 3 Isabelle Odgers (Aliso Viejo, Calif./Trojan Swim Club), 2:28.50

King on her performance: "It was a little tiring but not too bad considering. I don't want to make excuses but there are outdoor conditions we can't control today. It's a little cold and a little slow so it's all good for where I am right now in the season."

## Men's 200m Breaststroke - FINAL

- 1 Jake Foster (Cincinnati, Ohio/Mason Manta Rays), 2:11.58
- 2 Nic Fink (Morristown, N.J./Metro Atlantic Aquatic Club), 2:11.72
- 3 Brandon Fischer (Palo Alto, Calif./Tri-Valley Aquatics), 2:12.52

Foster on his performance: "I feel good. I've had that event circled on my event lineup for the whole week. I think there was definitely room to improve but the way I executed it – five-and-a-half weeks out of (world championships) team trials – I'm really happy with it."

## Women's 100m Butterfly - FINAL

- 1 Torri Huske (Arlington, Va./Alto Swim Club), 56.84
- 2 Claire Curzan (Cary, N.C./Alto Swim Club), 57.26
- 3 Kelly Pash (Carmel, Ind./Longhorn Aquatics), 57.89

## Men's 100m Butterfly - FINAL

- 1 Dare Rose (Jersey City, N.J./California Aquatics), 51.47
- 2 Youssef Ramadan (EGY), 52.02
- 3 Trenton Julian (Glendale, Calif./Mission Viejo Nadadores), 52.26

Rose on his performance: "I'm tired. It's been a long weekend but I'm super excited. I was fourth in the 50, third in the 200 so I was happy to get away with that win."

## Women's 200m Individual Medley - FINAL

- 1 Torri Huske (Arlington, Va./Alto Swim Club), 2:11.88
- 2 Alicia Wilson (GBR), 2:12.62
- 3 Justina Kozan (Brea, Calif./Trojan Swim Club), 2:14.00

Huske on her performances: "It was really fun. I was really excited to swim the 100 fly since that's my favorite event. And the 200 IM is also one of my favorites. It's a little rough in season but I was actually really happy with the result."

#### Men's 200m Individual Medley - FINAL

1 – Hugo Gonzalez (ESP), 1:58.52

- 2 Trenton Julian (Glendale, Calif./Mission Viejo Nadadores), 2:00.09
- 3 Grant House (Maineville, Ohio/Sun Devil Swimming), 2:00.58

# Women's 50m Freestyle - FINAL

- 1 Abbey Weitzeil (Santa Clara, Calif./California Aquatics), 24.59
- 2 Katarzyna Wasick (POL), 24.82
- 3 Simone Manuel (Sugar Land, Texas/Sun Devil Swimming), 25.22

Weitzeil on her performance: "The weekend was good, but that swim in particular, I didn't come out very excited about. The goal is always to be faster than you were in the morning so thinking about what happened and looking back on my race, I was rushing it a bit. There's a lot more to improve on. I'm excited about the next five-ish weeks, starting to settle in. I'm pretty excited about my swims and to know that there are more coming. My 50 was faster in Fort Lauderdale but just by a little bit."

## Men's 50m Freestyle - FINAL

- 1 Bjorn Seeliger (SWE), 22.11
- 2 Ryan Held (Springfield, Ill./New York Athletic Club), 22.12
- 3 Jonathan Kulow (Lander, Wyo./Sun Devil Swimming), 22.27

Up next on the competition calendar are the 2023 Phillips 66 National Championships, June 27-July 1, at the Indiana University Natatorium, in Indianapolis, Indiana. Meet information lives <a href="here">here</a>. Tickets can be purchased <a href="here">here</a>.

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