

PRESS RELEASE

TORNADOES INVITATIONAL SWIM MEET – FINAL RESULTS (DAY III)

As the curtains came down on the final day of competition of the Tornadoes Invitational Swim Meet at the UWI Swimming Pool, Mona Bowl, the hosts safely defended their title with 1,641 points, a lead of 501 points ahead of their nearest rival the Y-Speedos Swim Club (1,140 points). The Tornadoes, who was out in front from the 1st whistle of the three-day Meet, never looked back as team members were determined to shrug off any challenge and put on a sterling performance to end the Meet on a high note.

The day saw four (4) meet records being broken bringing the total records for the Meet to sixteen (16). Kevaughn Campbell (Swimaz) put on another outstanding performance and claimed his third record of the Meet in the 11-12 Boys 100M Breaststroke in a time of 1:17.27 erasing the old mark of 1:18.91. Anastazia Chin, swimming for the hosts, claimed her second Meet Record when she lowered the 10 & Under 200M Freestyle by 2.36 secs to 2:52.87 (2:55.23).

In the Masters section, Lisa Griffith, also of the host club, set two (2) Meet records in the Masters Female 50M Butterfly and 50M Backstroke in 46.90 secs and 48.18 secs. respectively.

Rounding off the top five places were Swimaz Aquatics Swim Club – 367.50, Marlins Swim Club – 253 and Flying Fish Ambassadors – 162. A total of nine (9) clubs participated in the Meet which received a significant sponsorship boost from Grace Kennedy & Co. Ltd. under their Capri Sun brand.

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