



Preston Village Tiger Sharks Newsletter

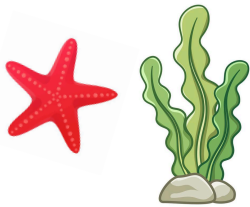
Summer 2026
July 16th



Hello Tiger Shark families:

What an amazing season! Thank you to everyone who made this swim season so fun and successful - we hope to see you all back next season!





CITY MEET RECAP



We had 27 swimmers attend the Cary City Meet, which is a great turnout!!

Overall, Preston Village placed 14th out of 25 teams! There was lots of team spirit and great swimming - a huge thank you to Natalie Schrader & Coach Sophie who led our theme of **"Under the Sea"**!

A big shoutout to Tessa and Tatum Jeltema who placed first or second in all of their events, setting all new team records as well!

High Point Winners for PV:

Tessa Jeltema- 60 points (4th in her age group)

Tatum Jeltema- 57 points (6th)

Maple Meekins- 29 points (9th)

Riley Vail- 20 points (8th)

Gracie Gill- 15 points (17th)

Also scoring: Kate Saxer, Nora Allsopp, Samuel Shumaker, Harrison Roede, Michael Bartleson, James Wynalek

Triple Winner (3 first place finishes!):

Tessa Jeltema - 50 Free, 50 Back, 50 Breast

Double Winner:

Tatum Jeltema - 50 Free, 50 Back (& 2nd in the 50 fly!)

Top 10 Finishes:

Riley Vail, 6 & Under 25 Back - 5th

Maple Meekins, 9-10 25 Back - 5th

Gracie Gill, 9-10 25 Back - 8th

Kate Saxer, 7-8 25 Breaststroke - 10th

Maple Meekins, 9-10 25 Fly - 7th

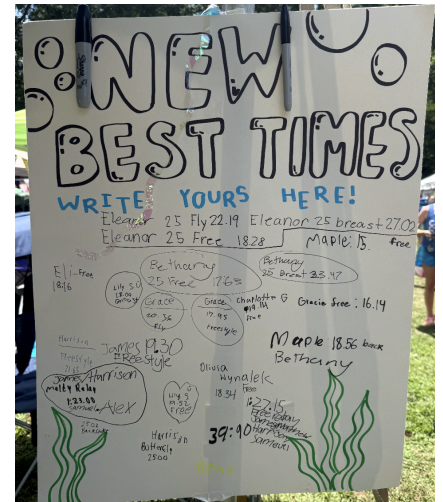
James W., Matthew W., Harrison R., Samuel S., 8&U 100 Freestyle relay - 6th

Maple M., Bethany W., Olivia W., Gracie G., 9-10 100 Freestyle relay - 6th

TEAM BESTS (at City Meet)!!

Age group	Name(s)	Event	Previous Record	NEW Record
11-12 boys	Tatum Jeletma	50 Freestyle	26.34	24.31
11-12 girls	Tessa Jeletma	50 Freestyle	27.87	25.87
11-12 boys	Tatum Jeletma	50 Backstroke	30.25	28.53
11-12 girls	Tessa Jeletma	50 Backstroke	29.97	29.17
11-12 boys	Tatum Jeletma	50 Butterfly	28.67	27.50
11-12 girls	Tessa Jeletma	50 Breaststroke	33.96	32.25
6&U girls	Riley Vail	25 Backstroke	46.87	31.51

PICTURES!



VOLUNTEER RAFFLE WINNERS

A big thank you to ALL of our volunteers!! We appreciate each and every one of you for making this season run so smoothly!

WINNERS:

Abbingdon Meet: Evelyn Comrey & Robbie Gill

Lochmere Meet: Ying-Ying & Jacques!

TEAM BESTS!

Great job to Clayton Chia who went 4/4 on records!!!

RECORDS:

Age group	Name(s)	Event	Previous Record	NEW Record
11-12 boys	Clayton Chia	50 Freestyle	24.31	24.31
11-12 boys	Clayton Chia	50 Backstroke	28.53	25.87
11-12 boys	Clayton Chia	50 Breaststroke	33.33	28.53
11-12 boys	Clayton Chia	50 Butterfly	27.50	29.17
15-18 boys	Julian Saldanha	50 Backstroke	27.46	27.25
15-18 girls	Nola Meekins	50 Butterfly	27.83	27.29

All time top 5 performances:

- Gracie Gill, Bethany Woodruff, Maple Meekins, Stella Cygan: 9-10 100 medley relay 1:16.23 - 5th
- Charlotte Mills: 11-12 50 Breaststroke 37.13 - 4th
- Micheal Bartleson: 6 & Under 15 Breaststroke 18.58 - 5th
- Nola Meekins: 15-18 50 Breaststroke 32.24 - 2nd
- Mia Berenson, Molly Davis, Daphne Cygan, Charlotte Mills: 11-12 200 Freestyle Relay 2:17.34 - 5th

PANCAKE BREAKFAST!



PICTURES FROM THE LOCHMERE MEET





SEE YOU SUMMER 2027!!!!