Diversity & Inclusion Newsletter

Spring | 2017

DIVERSITY EVENTS & DEADLINES

- National Diversity Select Camp May 4-7 | Colorado Springs, CO
- ◆ College Knowledge Seminar Saturday, May 13 | Takoma Community Center [PLEASE RSVP HERE!]
- ◆ Eastern Zone Diversity Select Camp—June 15-18 | University of Buffalo, NY

USA Swimming Selects 3 from PVS to Attend the 2017 National Diversity Select Camp!

Each spring, USA Swimming invites 48 athletes from underrepresented populations to participate in a three-day camp program which includes pool training, motivational and education sessions and team-building activities. Selection is based on times swum at USA Swimming sanctioned events.

This year three PVS athletes were selected to attend the camp: Miguel Davis (DC Wave), Freddie Deweese (Potomac Marlins), and Gabrielle Zhang (Nation's Capital). To view the complete camp roster click here.

Congratulations swimmers and coaches!

PVS Sends five athletes to Eastern Zone Diversity Select Camp and Regional Summit!

Similar to the National Diversity Select Camp, each Zone holds a Diversity Camp and Regional Summit of their own every other year. This year's Eastern Zone Diversity Camp and Summit will be held at the University of Buffalo. Participants from the various LSCs that comprise the Eastern Zone will participate in a three-day program, which includes pool training,



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motivational, and education sessions and team-building activities. The purpose is to celebrate the diversity in Eastern Zone Swimming through inspiration of athletes, coaches and volunteers, and to create local ambassadors and leaders to further assist in growing our sport.

Many PVS athletes applied to attend this camp, but only 5 were selected to attend as representatives of PVS: Jasmine Barry (DC Wave), Jennifer Luong (Nation's Capital), Henry Radzikowski (Occoquan Swimming), Gabrielle Standfield (Nation's Capital), and Joshua Wolfson (Nation's Capital). Congratulations swimmers and coaches!



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