



NEISDA News

Celebrating 102 Years
October 18, 2021 ~ Week 2



SWIMMERS OF THE WEEK

Women's Swimming – Nikky Ansley, Norwich University



Nikky Ansley, a Junior at **Norwich University**, has been voted as the NEISDA Women's Swimmer of the Week.

In last weekend's dual meet vs Maine Maritime Academy, Nikky dominated her individual events winning the 50 Free (25.62), 100 Free (57.35), and 50 Fly (28.05) while helping the Medley Relay to take 1st in the time of 4:32.62 splitting a 56.01 in the anchoring freestyle leg.

Nikky, a Tri-Captain, is a force on the team that leads both in and out of the pool. She is a Sargeant in the Corps of Cadets, and is majoring in Political Science with a minor in German. She is from Owens Cross Roads, AL. The Cadets will be travelling to the University of Saint Joseph on October 29 to take on the Blue Jays.

Men's Swimming – Ben Stark, Norwich University



Ben Stark, a Sophomore at **Norwich University**, has been voted as the NEISDA Men's Swimmer of the Week.

In Ben's first competition for Norwich University, he placed 1st in all four events against Maine Maritime Academy. He placed first in the 200 Free (1:50.67) and the 500 Free (5:02.40). Ben anchored both the 400 Medley Relay (3:53.00), and the 400 Free Relay (3:21.78) to victories.

Ben is a Private in the Corps of Cadets, and is majoring in Electrical Engineering. He is from Montverde, FL. The Cadets will be travelling to the University of Saint Joseph on October 29 to take on the Blue Jays.

Founded in 1920, the New England Intercollegiate Swimming and Diving Association (NEISDA) is a coach-run association made up member institutions in New England.

NEISDA annually sponsors and administers a championship for those qualifying swimmers and divers in February.

Previous winners:

Week 1: Brooke Podsiadlo (SJCME) / Brendan Lynch (USJ)



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DIVERS OF THE WEEK

Women's Diving – Sarah Carls, Norwich University



Sarah Carls, a Senior at **Norwich University**, has been voted as the NEISDA Women's Diver of the Week.

In last weekend's dual meet vs Maine Maritime Academy, Sarah lead the charge in the 1-Meter diving scoring 180.45. Sarah has been leading her team since the opening of diving since Covid-19 restrictions.

Sarah is a Major in the Corps of Cadets, and is majoring in Electrical and Computer Engineering. She is from Niagara Falls, NY. The Cadets will be travelling to the University of Saint Joseph on October 29 to take on the Blue Jays.

Men's Diving – Jack Brennan, Norwich University



Jack Brennan, a Junior at **Norwich University**, has been voted as the NEISDA Men's Diver of the Week.

Jack set the tone for bringing diving back to competing in last weekend's dual meet vs Maine Maritime Academy. Brennan lead Norwich in the 1-Meter with a score of 197.92

He is from Hopkinton, MA. The Cadets will be travelling to the University of Saint Joseph on October 29 to take on the Blue Jays.

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Previous winners:

Week 1: Ella Warner (USJ)
