

XXVI CARIFTA SWIMMING CHAMPIONSHIPS

APRIL 23-26, 2011

DAY FOUR FINALS

Jamaica gained an additional 8 medals (3 gold, 3 silver and 2 bronze) on the last day of the CARIFTA Swimming Championships in Barbados to finish with 34 medals (10 gold, 13 silver and 11 bronze), eighth on the medals list. They however, finished in fourth position with 561 points. Kendese Nangle (2:24.87) earned the gold medal with new national senior and age group records in the 15-17 girls 200m backstroke, erasing the old records of 2:28.03. Timothy Wynter also bettered his national age group record (2:16.68) by winning the 13-14 boys 200m backstroke, touching in 2:15.44

Jamaica's other gold medal came from the 13-14 boys 200m freestyle relay team (Antoine Young, Matthew Lyn, Timothy Wynter, Sidrell Williams) which finished the race in 1:43.43.

Silver medal winners were Sidrell Williams (25.12) in the 13-14 boys 50m freestyle, Priscilla McClure (1:18.20) in the 13-14 girls 100m breaststroke and the 11-12 girls (Tiara Myrie, Angara Sinclair, Brittney Campbell, D'Agaene Clarke) 200m freestyle relay who finished in 2:00.58.

Victoria Ho (4:31.94) in the 15-17 girls 400m freestyle and Xavier Phillips' 1:22.51 in the 11-12 boys 100m breaststroke gave them each their second bronze medal of the championships.

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