27th National YMCA Swimming and Diving Championship Meet – April 22-24

Hosted by the YMCA of New Haven, Connecticut

Held in "The Pool of Champions", Payne Whitney Gym Yale University

At this 27th National YMCA Swimming and Diving Championship there were 30 YMCA Associations and 122 youthful participants representing 11 states that took part in this meet. There were eight Joseph G. Rogers Award Recipients in attendance at this meet.

Meet Officials:

Honorary Meet Referees:				
rt Kiphuth, Yale University				
rmood(+), National Council Y.M.C.A				
Russell, Detroit Y.M.C.A.				
Charles Sylvia, Springfield College				
Fred Geisler, New Haven Y.M.C.A.				
Charles McCaffree(+), Michigan State University				
Phillip Moriarity				
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William Dykes Swim Coach Hamden High School				
Warner Johnson, New Haven Y.M.C.A.				
Leigh Emmons, New Haven Y.M.C.A.				
Edward Tamashunas, Warren Harding, Bridgeport				
Leigh Emmons, New Haven Y.M.C.A.				
Scorer of Diving: Manuel Sylvia, Wilber Cross High School New Haven				

Judges, Timers, and Inspectors:

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Alder, Jack	Cirigliano, Caesar	Jacobsen, Louis	Ogle, Wesley
Alton, Rod	Cleavers, William	Jermain, Jerome	Parsons, R. B.
Alvin, Tim	Collver, Frank O.	Johnson, Matthew	Pfer, Henry
Amann, Larry	Colucci, Louis	Keefe, Frank	Ranhofer, Frank
Anderson, Robert	Corbin, Raymond	Kenes, Harry	Rezendes, Manuel
Apmann, John	Daland, Peter	Kuntz, Terry	Sanford, John
Arnold, Charles	Davin, James	LaFortune, Leon	Schoeberle, Carl
Ballou, Arnold	deBarbadillo, John(+)	Langer, Augustus	Sparling, Joe
Bechtel, Charles	Gerarden, Anthony	Langlios, Raymond	Steadman, Richard
Benevento, Harry	Gilroy, Felix	Lawlor, George	Sundley, Edward
Bormuth, Charles	Golay, Robert(+)	Liebensen, Manuel	Swisher, Thomas
Brown, Jess	Gotwalt, Raymond	Lichtenstein, Stanley	Tanner, Jack(+)
Budzako, John	Grant, Gilbert	Maddelena, Charles	Taylor, Paul
Burke, Harry	Griffin, Edward L(+)	Manherz, John	Tebbens, Arthur
Butt, Charles(+)	Gunther, Robert	Mann, William	Umberfield, Walter
Chandler, Edward	Harris, Robert	Mansfield, Harold	Weigold, G.
Cipriano, Carmen	Hummer, Glen(+)	Maxwell, Vern	Wiesing, John A.
Cirigliano, Caesar	Hutt, Earl	Melillo, Joseph	Wilson, Howard
	Isaacson, Scott	Nadile, Joseph	

(+) Indicates Joseph G. Rogers Award Recipients.

Bridgeport, CT Anastas, Frank Augustyn, Walter Baxa, Richard Chantland, Dick Dew, Donald Ellis, Richard Grant, Robert Piasick, William Plumb, Bill **Colorado Springs, CO** Abel, Thomas Carey, Cy Lindell, Charles McGuire, Edward Montgomery, Kenneth Taylor, James Weigand, Edward Germantown, PA Barshinger, Kenneth Gotwalt, George Jones, William Central Br. Hackensack, NJ Growney, Edward M. Jr. Hartford, CT Helm, John Meriden, CT Bristol, Dave Shippee, Paul Stratton, William Verch, Manfried New London, CT Minevich. John A. Norristown, PA Gleason, Francis E. Jr. **Providence**, **RI** Howes, Robert B. **Richmond**, IN Juerling, Jim Muphy, George Pilgrim, Bill Thomas, Jay Westfield, MA Griggs, Richard A.

Associations and Participants: Brockton, MA Woollery, Carl T. Bedford Br. Brooklyn, NY Schluter, Robert Cambridge, MA Barry, Walter R. Jr Bowers, Donald Jr, Hildrum, Donald Hunter, Bruce Hyde Park Br. Chicago, IL Kirk, Edward Jr. **Central Br. Dayton, OH** Hall, Sam Neil, Charles Rhoades, Lin Roberson, Gene Shulman, Jeff Flushing, NY Christ, Fred Gorman, Frank Guneau, Leonard Kaplan, Stephan Mick, Kenneth Ranhofer, Frank Jr. Walden, William Walk, Michael New Haven, CT Barrington, Robert Driscoll, Joe Enright, James Keefe, Frank Jr. Koletsky, Joseph Lavanway, Ray McLaughlin, Richard Raccaro, Edwin Russell, James Tenner, Arnold Turfan, James Springfield, MA Mayer, Fred Severance, Robert **Central Br. Washington DC** Houston, Joseph R. Woonsocket, RI Fadgen, Richard

Bronx Union, NY Schwartz, Marvin Central Br. Brooklyn, NY Adler, Eugene Annis, William Bunis, Jack Ciano, Joseph Donofrio, Frank Gallagher, Drury Ginenthal, Karl Hayman, John Maglano, Tony Maloney, Martin Minnino, Joseph McVeigh, Patrick Radziewicz, Bernard Stepeick, Richard Zwirn, Jerry Hamilton Ontario, Canada Cameron, Bill Davis, Roger Park, Geotge Samek, Walter Utz, Michael Zelinski, Ed Huntington, IN Griffith, Robert Haneline, Fred Holtrey, George Holtrey, Jerry Marks, Bill Rouch, James Rudig, Fred Shriner, Bill Smith Huston Webster, Bill Quincy, IL Seals, Ronald Lee **Downtown Br. St Louis, MO** Hite, William Hunsacker, Joseph Shasserre, Jack Underwood, Richard Yonkers, NY Smart, Gilbert A. Jr.

Associations and Participants Continued:

Waterbury, CT

Boardman, Daniel Cipriano, Aldo Galullo, Richard A.

Arnold, Donald Bealtie, James Bechtel, Charles Bormuth, Charles

York, PA

Eichhelberger, John Ilgenfritz, Ken Engdahl, Lee Lynne, Bill Suereth, Elwood Grimm, John Kent, Barry Swisher, Philip

30 YMCA's, 122 Participants from 11 States, 1 from the District of Columbia and 1 from Canada took part in this Championship Meet.

Order of Events

Thursday April 22, 1954

1500 Meters Freestyle

Saturday April 24, 1955

3 Meter Diving 100 Yard Backstroke 100 Yard Breaststroke 100 Yard Freestyle 440 Yard Freestyle

Friday April 23, 1954 50 Yard Freestyle 200 Yard Backstroke 220 Yard Freestyle 200 Yard Breaststroke One Meter Diving 400 Yard Freestyle Relay

150 Yard Individual Medley (Fly/Breast, Back. Free) 300 Yard Medley Relay (Back, Fly/Breast, Free.)

26th National YMCA Swimming and Diving Meet Results:

<u>1500 I</u>	1500 Meter Freestyle: National Record: Frank Nauss York, PA 19:35.0 (1952)			
Place: <u>Name:</u> <u>Association:</u>				
1 st	Jay Thomas	Richmond, IN	21:12.2	
2 nd	George Holtrey	Huntington, IN	NT	
3 rd	Mike Wolk	Flushing, NY	NT	
4^{th}	Jack Shasserre	Downtown Br. St Louis, MO	NT	
5^{th}	Jerry Holtrey	Huntington, IN	NT	
6^{th}	Joseph Houston	Washington D.C.	NT	
<u>50 Ya</u>	<u>rd Freestyle: Nati</u>	ional Record: Keith Peterson Wilson Br. Chicago, IL 22.8	P. (1953)	
Place:	Name:	Association:	Time:	
1^{st}	Carl Woollery	Brockton, Ma	23.2	
2^{nd}	Karl Ginenthal	Central Br Brooklyn, NY	NT	
3 rd	Bernard Radziew	vicz Central Br. Brooklyn, NY	NT	
4^{th}	William Hite	Downtown Br. St. Louis, MO	NT	
5^{th}	Frank Donofrio	Central Br. Brooklyn, NY	NT	
6^{th}	George Galullo	Waterbury, CT	NT	

Editorial Note: Meet results obtained for this meet did not give times for 2nd thru 6th places, however we are still working on acquiring this information. As soon as it is found, it will be placed in the appropriate events.

26th National YMCA Championship Meet Results continued:

200 V	ard Backstroke: National Record: I	Don Brown Colorado Springs CO 2:16 S	
-	Name:	Association:	. ,
<u>1 lace.</u> 1 st	Robert Schulter	Bedford Br. Brooklyn, NY	<u>Time:</u> 2:22.0
2^{nd}	Lin Rhoades	Central Br. Dayton, OH	2.22.0 NT
$\frac{2}{3^{rd}}$	Walter Samek	Hamilton Ontario, Canada	NT
4^{th}	John Hayman	Central Br. Brooklyn, NY	NT
5 th	Charles Bormuth	York, PA	NT
6^{th}	Frank Keefe	New Haven, CT	NT
-	ard Freestyle: <u>National Record:</u> Ron	-	
	Name:	Association:	<u>Time:</u>
<u>1 lace.</u> 1 st			<u>111112.</u> 2:16.4
2^{nd}	George Park Charles Bechtal	Hamilton Ontario, Canada	
2 rd		York, PA	NT
	Jay Thomas	Richmond, IN	NT
4 th	Joseph Ciano	Central Br. Brooklyn, NY	NT
5 th	George Holtrey	Huntington, IN	NT
6 th	Ronald Seals	Quincy, MA	NT
	ard Breaststroke: <u>National Record:</u>		
	Name:	Association:	<u>Time:</u>
1 st	Richard Fadgen	Woonsocket, RI	2:18.0*
2^{nd}	Eugene Alder	Central Br. Brooklyn, NY	NT
3^{rd}	Bob Thomas	Richmond, IN	NT
4^{th}	Michael Wolk	Flushing, NY	NT
5^{th}	Joseph Hunsaker	Downtown Br. St. Louis, MO	NT
6^{th}	Martin Maloney	Central Br. Brooklyn NY	NT
Fancy	Diving (Low Board): National Reco	ord: Charles Chelich Wilson Ave. Br. Cl	nicago, IL
	(1953)		U /
Place:	Name:	Association:	Points:
1 st	Edwin Raccaro	New Haven, CT	301.50
2^{nd}	Robert Griffith	Huntington, IN	No Pts
3 rd	Sam Hall	Central Br. Dayton, OH	No Pts
4^{th}	Frank Gorman	Flushing, NY	No Pts
5^{th}	Gene Robeson	Central Br. Dayton, OH	No Pts
6 th	Bill Plums	Bridgeport, CT	No Pts
		ord: Wilson Ave, Br. Chicago, IL 3:41.	
	haw, Tom Anderson, Deed Hardin, Richa		5 50111
	<u>Name:</u>	Association:	<u>Time:</u>
1 st	No Names Available	Central Br. Brooklyn, NY	3:42.4
2^{nd}	No Names Available	York, PA	NT
$\frac{2}{3^{rd}}$	William Hite, Joseph Hunsacker,	Downtown Br. St. Louis, MO	NT
5	Jack Shasserre, Richard Underwood	-	TAT
4^{th}	No Names Available		NT
$\frac{4}{5^{\text{th}}}$		Huntington, IN New Heyen, CT	
5	Robert Barrington, Arnold Tenner	New Haven, CT	NT
cth	Dick McLaughlin, James Trufan.		
6 th	Cy Carey, Charles Lindell,	Colorado Springs, CO	NT
(. 	James Taylor, Edward Weigand.		
<u>(*) In</u>	<u>licates those individuals who have bro</u>	<u>ken the existing National YMCA Reco</u>	rd time.

26th National YMCA Championship Meet Results continued:

	20 National Miller Championship wielt Results continueu:				
<u>100 Y</u>	ard Backstroke: <u>National Record:</u> I	Dan Zehr Ft. Wayne, IN 1:01.3 (1934)			
Place :	<u>Name:</u>	Association:	Time:		
1 st	Carl Woollery	Brockton, MA	1:02.4		
2^{nd}	Robert Schulter	Central Br. Brooklyn, NY	NT		
3 rd	Bernard Radiewicz	Central Br. Brooklyn, NY	NT		
4^{th}	George Gotwalt	Germantown, PA	NT		
5^{th}	Lin Rhoades	Central Br. Dayton, OH	NT		
6 th	John Hayman	Central Br. Brooklyn, NY	NT		
100 V	ard Breaststroke: <u>National Record:</u>	TIE: Robert Sohl Central Br. Davton C	H 1.01 4		
	and Ronald J. Gainsforth Allegheny Br		11 1.01.4		
	Name:	Association:	<u>Time:</u>		
1 st	Richard Fadgen	Woonsocket, RI	1:02.0		
2^{nd}	Eugene Alder	Central Br. Brooklyn, NY	NT		
$\overline{3}^{rd}$	Houston Smith	Huntington, IN	NT		
4^{th}	Robert Thomas	Richmond, IN	NT		
5^{th}	William Stratton	Meriden, CT	NT		
6 th	Charles Neil	Central Br. Dayton, OH	NT		
100 Y	ard Free: National Record: Keith P	•	5 (1953)		
	Name:	Association:	<u>Time:</u>		
1 st	George Park	Hamilton, Ontario Canada	52.8		
2^{nd}	Carl Woollery	Brockton, MA	NT		
3 rd	Carl Ginenthal	Central Br. Brooklyn, NY	NT		
4^{th}	Bruce Hunter	Cambridge, MA	NT		
5^{th}	George Galullo	Waterbury, CT	NT		
6^{th}	William Hite	Downtown Br. St. Louis, MO	NT		
<u>440 Y</u>	440 Yard Free: National Record: Andrew Clark Fisher Br Detroit, MI 4:49.3 (1938)				
Places	Name:	Association:	Time:		
1^{st}	George Holtrey	Huntington, IN	5:05.7		
2^{nd}	Jay Thomas	Richmond, IN	NT		
3 rd	Michael Wolk	Flushing, NY	NT		
4^{th}	Jack Shasserre	Downtown Br. St. Louis, MO	NT		
5^{th}	William Annis	Central Br. Brooklyn, NY	NT		
6 th	Joseph Houston	Washington DC	NT		
150Yard Individual Medley: National Record: Eugene Adler Central Br. Brooklyn, NY					
1:34.4 (1954)					
	Name:	Association:	<u>Time:</u>		
1 st	Eugene Adler	Central Br. Brooklyn, NY	1:34.4*		
2^{nd}	Joseph Hunsacker	Downtown Br. St. Louis, MO	NT		
3 rd	Richard Fadgen	Woonsocket, RI	NT		
4 th	Martin Maloney	Central Br. Brooklyn, NY	NT		

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6th

(*) Indicates those individuals who have broken the existing National YMCA Record time.

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26th National YMCA Championship Meet Results continued:

<u>3 Meter Diving:</u> National Record: Charles Chelich Wilson Ave. Br. Chicago, IL 517.65 Points (1953)						
Place: Name: Association: Points:						
1 st	Frank Gorman	Flushing, NY	364.35			
2^{nd}	Sam Hall	Central Br. Dayton, OH	No Pts.			
3 rd	Gene Robeson	Central Br. Dayton, OH	No Pts.			
4^{th}	Robert Griffin	Huntington, IN	No Pts.			
5^{th}	Bill Cameron	Hamilton, Ontario Canada	No Pts.			
6^{th}	Donald Dew	Bridgeport, CT	No Pts.			
	ard Medley Relay: National Record					
	Kivland, John Otis, Keith Peterson. (193	53)				
	Name:	Association:	<u>Time:</u>			
1^{st}	Charles Bechtel, Charles Bornauth,	York, PA	3:07.9			
	Kenneth Ilgenfritz					
2^{nd}	No Names Avaliable	Central Br. Brooklyn, NY	NT			
3 rd	George Park, Walter Samek,	Hamilton Ontario, Canada	NT			
	Michael Utz					
4^{th}	No Names Availble	Huntington, IN	NT			
5^{th}	Cy Carey, James Taylor,	Colorado Spring, CO	NT			
	Edward Weigand.					
6^{th}	George Murphy, Bill Pilgrim,	Richmond, IN	NT			
	Bob Thomas					

Final Point Standing:

Place:	Association:	Points:	Place:	Association:	Points:
1^{st}	Central Br. Brooklyn, NY	72	$11^{ ext{th}} \mathbf{T}$	New Haven, CT	12
2^{nd}	Huntington, IN	39	$11^{ ext{th}} \mathbf{T}$	Bedford Br Brooklyn, NY	12
3 rd	York, PA	29	$13^{Th}T$	Cambridge, MA	3
4^{th}	Hamilton Ontario, Canada	28	$13^{\text{th}} T$	Colorado Springs, CO	3
5^{th}	Downtown Br. St Louis, MO	25	$13^{\text{th}} T$	Germantown, PA	3
6 th	Richmond, IN	24		Quincy, IL	3
$7^{\rm th}$	Central Br. Dayton, OH	23	$13^{\text{th}} T$	Waterbury, CT	3
8^{th}	Flushing, NY	21	$18^{\text{th}} T$	Bridgeport, CT	2
9^{th}	Brockton, MA	19	$18^{\text{th}} T$	Meriden, CT	2
10^{th}	Woonsocket, RI	18	$18^{\mathrm{Th}}\mathrm{T}$	Washington DC.	2

	t Scor	<u>ing:</u>				
Scoring Points:	1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th	<u>5th</u>	<u>6th</u>
Individual Events:	7	5	4	3	2	1
Relays:	14	10	8	6	4	2

26th National YMCA Championship Meet Material Continued:

Individual High Point Award Winner Results: (Relay Points not Counted.)

	<u>(Relay Points not Counted.)</u>					
	<u>Name:</u>	Association:	<u>Points:</u>			
1 st	Carl Woollery	Brockton, MA	19			
2^{nd}	Richard Fadgen	Woonsocket, RI	18			
3 rd	Eugene Adler	Central Br. Brooklyn, NY	17			
4^{th}	Jay Thomas	Richmond, IN	16			
$5^{\text{th}}\mathbf{T}$	Holtrey, George	Huntington, IN	14			
$5^{\text{th}}\mathbf{T}$	George Park	Hamilton Ontario, Canada	14			
7^{th}	Robert Schulter	Bedford Br. Brooklyn, NY	12			
	Frank Gorman	Flushing, NY	10			
-	Michael Wolk	Flushing, NY	10			
	Karl Ginenthal	Central Br. Brooklyn, NY	9			
	Sam Hall	Central Br. Dayton, OH	9			
	Robert Griffith	Huntington, IN	8			
	Bernard Radziewicz	Central Br, Brooklyn, NY	8			
	Joseph Hunsacker	Downtown Br. St Louis, MO	7			
$14^{\text{th}}\mathbf{T}$	Edwin Raccaro	New Haven, CT	7			
	Lin Rohodes	Central Br. Dayton, OH	7			
	Thomas, Robert	Richmond, IN	7			
	Gene Robeson	Central Br. Dayton, OH	6			
$18^{ ext{th}}\mathbf{T}$	Shassere, Jack	Downtown Br. St Louis, MO	6			
	Charles Bechtel	York, PA	5			
$21^{\text{sh}}\mathbf{T}$	John Hayman	Central Br. Brooklyn, NY	4			
$21^{st}T$	William Hite	Downtown Br. St Louis, MO	4			
$21^{st}T$	Martin Maloney	Central Br. Brooklyn, NY	4			
$21^{st}T$	Walter Samek	Hamilton Ontario, Canada	4			
	Huston Smith	Huntington, IN	4			
26^{th}T	George Galullo	Waterbury, CT	3			
26^{th}T	George Gotwalt	Germantown, PA	3 3 3 3 3			
	Bruce Hunter	Cambridge, MA	3			
26^{th}T	Joseph Sciano	Central br. Brooklyn, NY	3			
	Seals Ronald	Quincy, IL				
$31^{st}T$	William Annis	Central Br. Brooklyn, NY	2			
$31^{st}T$	Charles Bormuth	York, PA	2			
$31^{st}T$	William Cameron	Hamilton Ontario, Canada	2			
$31^{st}T$	Frank Donofrio	Central Br. Brooklyn, NY	2			
$31^{st}T$	Jerry Holtrey	Huntington, IN	2			
$31^{st}T$	Joseph Houston	Washington DC.	2			
	William Stratton	Meriden, CT	2			
	Donald Dew	Bridgeport, CT	1			
	Frank Keefe	New Haven, CT	1			
	Bill Plumb	Bridgeport, CT	1			
38^{th}T	Mike Utz	Hamilton Ontario, Canada	1			