

AU swimming and diving teams claim third at Harvest Relays

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ROCHESTER, NY-- The Alfred University swimming and diving teams competed Saturday at the Harvest Relays, hosted by the University of Rochester. The men and women's teams both finished third overall. For the men, Alfred's 300 butterfly relay team of senior Bill Brown (Chaffee/Pioneer), junior Kevin Martin (Conesus/Livonia), and freshman Brandon Striker (Caledonia/York) took second as well as the 400 Medley relay team of Mike Dube (Williamsburg, VA/Lafayette), Brown, sophomore Brian Gotham (Syracuse/Nottingham), and senior Brenden Miller (Auburn/Auburn). Also taking second, the 400 freestyle relay team of McNamara, sophomore Alex Crowell (Wayland, MA/Wayland), Martin and Striker and the 300 breaststroke relay team of Crowell, Miller, and Gotham. For the women, Alfred's 400 medley relay team of sophomore Rachel Saroka (Groton/Groton), junior Lacy Clifford (Oil City, PA/Oil City), senior Sara Thompson (Batavia/Batavia), and freshman Zara Racz (Morristown, NJ/Morristown) took second place. In the 300 butterfly relay, Saroka, Thompson, and Clifford grabbed third along with the 300 breaststroke relay team of junior Lauren McCormack (Norwich/Norwich), Thompson, and Bonnie McDermott (Grand Island/Mt. St. Mary). The women's swimming and diving team will compete next on Saturday, Nov. 15 at William and Smith College and the men's team will not be back in action until Nov. 18 when they travel to Fredonia.