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CORTLAND STATE SWIMMING 1974-75



1974-75 OUTLOOK

Coach Pete Cahill expects this to be the year he climbs over the .500 mark. After improving from 1-10 to 5-8-1 in his second year at the controls, Cahill has the quality to match that rise if his swimmers' lack of meet experience doesn't prove to be a drawback.

Cortland's roster sports eight freshmen and at least half of them will play significant roles for this season's Red Dragons.

But, the team is not all youth, witnessed by the five records set last season by returning swimmers. Heading that list is diver Kerry Quilty, who smashed both one-meter and three-meter standards. Yet Quilty, still only a sophomore, will be pushed by freshman Randy Taylor of Cayuga and Cahill expects both to exceed the existing records sooner or later.

Breaststroker Bob Ehrlich heads into his junior year with the 100-yard mark under his belt and he'll be adding depth to his year's butterfly group as well.

The other records set last season were in relays with at least two members of each team returning. Sophs Karl Joyce and Mike Meyer were members of both record-setters, the 400 and 800-freestyle relays. Also on that 400 team was Bob Kane, a junior.

In addition to his relay role, Joyce figures to be Cortland's top individual medley performer as well as a major factor in middle distance freestyle. He and Meyer may turn out to be the best swimmers Cahill has this season.

Meyer will also go in middle distance free along with backstroking.

Gary Hampton, a sophomore who has re-entered school, figures to give Ehrlich a run as the Red Dragons' premier breaststroker while also buoying the IM corps.

The distance freestyle events will bow to youth, namely soph Jim Crofts and frosh Tim Francisco while Kane should shine as a sprinter. The butterfly seems to be in good hands with frosh Bob Slater and Monroe CC transfer Tom Langendorfer.

"Our goals this year are a winning season, qualifying at least five swimmers and divers for the nationals and new records in quite a few events," says Cahill. And he knows none of those goals are out of the realm of possibility.

1973-74 RESULTS

Record: 5-8-1

<u>Cort.</u>		<u>Opp.</u>	<u>Cort.</u>		<u>Opp.</u>
44	Oswego	69	61	Buffalo	52
45	Hamilton	68	50	Oneonta	62
47	Geneseo	66	100	Utica	11
17	Colgate	94	63	Hobart	50
47	Potsdam	60	63	Binghamton	49
79	New Paltz	34	50	RPI	63
56	Ithaca	56	51	Brockport	62

1974-75 ROSTER

<u>Name</u>	<u>Yr.</u>	<u>Event</u>	<u>Hometown</u>	<u>High School</u>
Jeff Barnett	So.	Back	Amsterdam	Amsterdam
Paul Bartlett	Fr.	Free	Vestal	Vestal
David Bidlack	Fr.	Free	Norwich	Norwich
Gary Breeds	Jr.	Free	Cortland	Cortland
Michael Cohen	So.	Diving	Brooklyn	Tilden
James Crofts	So.	Free	Lockport	Lockport
Bob Ehrlich	Jr.	Fly, Breast	Jericho	Jericho
David Evans	Jr.	IM, Free	West Seneca	W. Seneca West
Timothy Francisco	Fr.	IM, Free	Rome	Rome Free Acad.
Gary Hampton	So.	Breast, IM	Cortland	Roch. Marshall
Karl Joyce	So.	Free, IM	Sauquoit	Dryden
Robert W. Kane	Jr.	Free	Bethpage	Bethpage
Thomas Langendorfer	Jr.	Fly	Bath	Haverling
Michael Meyer	So.	Free, Back	Lake Ronkonkoma	Sachem
Ray Miguelez	Fr.	Breast, Free	Brooklyn	Madison
Kerry Quilty	So.	Diving	Liverpool	Liverpool
Steven Saccoliti	Fr.	Free, Breast	Staten Island	Farrell
Robert Slater	Fr.	Fly, Back	Ithaca	Ithaca
Randy Taylor	Fr.	Diving	Cayuga	S. Cayuga
Fred Woller	Fr.	Breast	Bronx	Childs

Manager: Timothy Panek
Asst. Manager: Carl Relyea

PETE CAHILL: HEAD COACH

Now the head coach for both swimming and cross-country, Pete Cahill is in his third year as a member of the Cortland State staff.

Pete is a Cortland graduate and he captained the swimming team in the last of his four years with the squad. He was a specialist in both butterfly and breaststroke. While at Cortland, Cahill also played two seasons of varsity tennis.

Since his 1966 graduation, Cahill has earned a master's degree from the University of Massachusetts and is currently working on a doctorate in physical education at Springfield College.

He has also been a teaching fellow in tests and measurements at Springfield and from 1969-71 was the varsity swimming and tennis coach at Plattsburgh State. The Watertown native has also taught in the Clarkstown public schools.

JIM KINSELLA: DIVING COACH

Jim Kinsella graduate from Cornell University in 1972 where, as a diver, he placed first in the state on three-meter springboard and third on one-meter. Most recently, Jim was the diving coach at Colgate University before coming to Cortland.

RED DRAGON SWIMMING RECORDS

<u>Events</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Year</u>
400 Yard Medley Relay Bob Stefferson, Pete LeValley, Jack Cothren, Gary Kenline	3:51.7	1972
1000 Yard Freestyle--Jack Cothren	10:38.1	1972
200 Yard Freestyle--Bob McMurray	1:52.3	1967
50 Yard Freestyle--Gary Kenline	22.5	1972
200 Yard Individual Medley--Bob Stefferson	2:04.7	1971
1 Meter Diving--Kerry Quilty	271.75	1974
200 Yard Butterfly--Jack Cothren	2:11.1	1970
100 Yard Freestyle--Gary Kenline	:50.0	1972
200 Yard Backstroke--Bob Stefferson	2:06.7	1971
500 Yard Freestyle--Jack Cothren	5:09.9	1972
200 Yard Breaststroke--Peter LeValley	2:22.7	1971
3 Meter Diving--Kerry Quilty	269.85	1974
400 Yard Freestyle Relay Bob Kane, Craig Cornwall, Karl Joyce, Mike Meyer	3:23.75	1974
800 Yard Freestyle Relay Karl Joyce, Jim Ryan, Craig Cornwall, Mike Meyer	7:49.35	1974
100 Yard Breaststroke--Bob Ehrlich	1:05.69	1974
100 Yard Butterfly--George Youtt	56.3	1970
100 Yard Backstroke--Bob Stefferson	58.6	1969
400 Yard Individual Medley--Bob Stefferson	4:28.8	1971
1650 Yard Freestyle--Jack Cothren	17:41.65	1972

Swimming Schedule

Dec.	4	Hamilton w/Oneonta	A 3:00
	7	Oswego	A 2:00
	10	Colgate	H 7:30
Jan.	25	Potsdam	A 2:00
	29	Geneseo/Ithaca	H 7:30
Feb.	1	SUNY Buffalo	H 2:00
	4	Binghamton	H 7:30
	8	Hobart	A 2:00
	12	Oneonta	A 7:00
	15	New Paltz	H 2:00
	18	R.P.I.	H 4:00
	22	Fredonia/Brockport	H 2:00
Mar.	6-8	SUNYAC at Binghamton	A