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FSU takes swim win

Florida State's swimmers prepared to defend their Metro Conference championship by defeating South Carolina 78-35 Saturday.

The victory completed the dual meet season for the Seminoles and left them with a 6-2 record. FSU's only losses this season were against Florida and Auburn, both top five finishers in last year's NCAA finals.

"Generally speaking we swam better today (Saturday) as a team than we have all year long," FSU coach John Stafford said. "It's a nice way to end the dual meet season and we're looking forward to defending our Metro Conference title."

SWIMMING

FSU 78 S.Carolina 35 400-medley relay - FSU (McConnell, Perry, Rea, Ring) 3:31.57. 1000-freestyle -1. Schneider (SC) 9:34.45, 2. Shater (F), 3. Stetson (F). 200-freestyle - 1. Schneider (SC) 1:41.90, 2. Shreve (F), 3. Sawicky (SC). 50-freestyle - 1. Allbritton (F) 21.20, 2. Parker (SC), J. Doyle (SC). 200-individual mediev - 1. Connell (F) 1:55.97, 2. Nrown (F), J. Peterson (SC). 1-meter diving - 1. Lindell (F) 274.40, 2. Minik (SC), 3. Chambers (F). 200-butterfly - 1. Rea (F) 1:53.98, 2. Humby (SC), 3. Giese (SC). 100-freestyle - 1. Albritton (F) 46.16, 2. Connell (F), 3. Parker (SC). 200-backstroke - 1. McConnell (F) 1:54.49, 2. Hamilton (F), 3. Mercer (SC), S00-freestyle - 1, Schneider (SC) 4:37.79, 2. Shater (F), 3. Stetson (F). 200breaststroke - 1. Perry (F) 2:10.79, 2. Archer (F), 3. Peterson (SC), 3-meter diving - 1. Lindell (F) 282.05, 2. Carvin (SC), 1. Minik (SC). 400-freestyle relay - 1. FSU (Allbritton, Ring, Shreve, Connell).

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The Metro meet will be next Saturday at Memphis.

Steve Allbritton had two individual firsts and swam the opening leg on the winning 400-freestyle relay, and Craig Lindell won both the 1-meter and 3-meter diving events to pace the victory.

Allbritton won the 50-yard freestyle in 21.20, and added a 46.16 victory in the 100-yard freestyle. He joined Bob Ring, Paul Shreve and Kevin Connell in winning the 400freestyle relay in 3:07.77.