

Lafayette Diver Wins NORCAL Scholarship at Invitational Submitted by Steve Sherman

Lafayette resident and one of the Sherman Divers from Sherman Swim School, Laura Winn, won one of four \$1,000 scholarships from NORCAL Diving at the 47th Annual Sherman Invitational. The scholarships were created for those planning to continue to dive in college. Winn, who plans on attending UCLA in the fall, took first place in the 16-18 girls (JO) category with a score of 334.70 and first in the 19 & Over Women with a score of 238.95.

Other top divers at the Invitational included Rachel Purcell (Orinda), who placed second in the 11 & under girls (Novice) category with a score of 81.50, Mikeala Moore

(Moraga) who placed fourth with 79.00, and Sophie Brown (Moraga), in fifth with 76.50. Donna Bracket (Lafayette) placed third in the 13 and under girls (Novice) with 120.05, and Eliza Galligan (Moraga) placed fourth in the 14 & 15 under girls category with 217.25, and Heather Finertie (Orinda) took fourth with 150.75 in the girls 14-18 (Novice) category.

Six teams participated in the event, including Sherman Divers (Lafayette), Capital Divers (Sacramento), All Valley Divers (San Ramon), Santa Clara Divers (Santa Clara), DeVinci Divers (Nevada City), and Santa Rosa Diving Team (Santa Rosa).

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