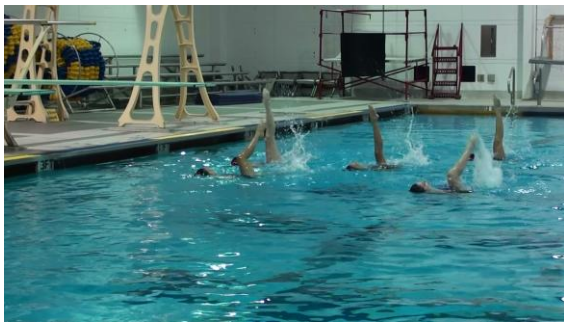
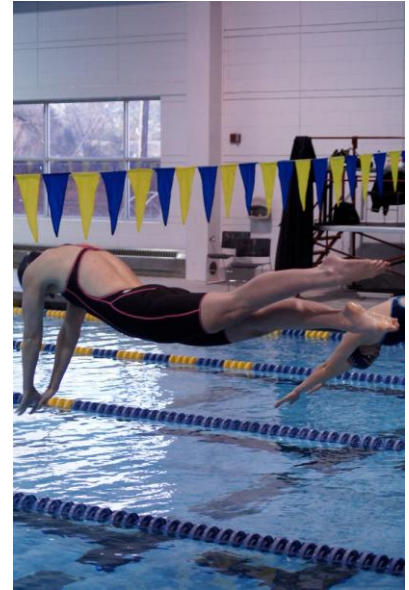


The Sunbelt Meet was held January 29 and 30, 2011 at the Mecklenburg Aquatic Center in Charlotte (as always). 174 swimmers from North Carolina, South Carolina, Virginia, and Georgia participated and had a wonderful time doing so. As always during the past 14 or so years, Jerry Clark was the meet director and he did a splendid job of it once again.

Not only did participants get to enjoy the wonderful atmosphere and friendly competition, but there were a few extra bonuses this time: a team of young synchronized swimmers gave a brief demonstration for us Masters, and that was very enjoyable. Also: Justine Mueller demonstrated that not only can she swim, but she can sing! A very beautiful rendition of the Star Spangled Banner was given by her at the start of the Saturday afternoon session.



We had quite the spread in ages of participants: our youngest swimmers were 19 years old, our oldest was 90! Several new state records were swum and I think I can speak for all swimmers: a good time was had by all. Here are some pictures for you to enjoy.



Left: 50% of the TRYM team from New Bern was here with their coach. Swimmers ages 19-90! F.Y.I.: **all** of these swimmers participated in the 1-hour postal championship in January.

