

2024 Regular Session

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 104

BY REPRESENTATIVE WRIGHT

A RESOLUTION

To commend the 2024 St. Scholastica Academy varsity swim team on winning the school's thirteenth consecutive Louisiana High School Athletic Association Division II state championship.

WHEREAS, the St. Scholastica Academy varsity swim team claimed the program's thirteenth consecutive Division II Women state championship at the Louisiana High School Athletic Association state swimming championships held on November 19, 2023, at the SPAR Aquatic Center in Sulphur, Louisiana; and

WHEREAS, St. Scholastica dominated the competition at the state championship swim meet, receiving a team score that was more than one hundred points higher than the runner-up; and

WHEREAS, St. Scholastica's team of Gabby Hall, Hadley Mary, McKenzie Douglas, and Emma Mae Smith set a state record in the 400m-freestyle relay by posting a time of 3:37.59; and

WHEREAS, another team consisting of Olivia Graham, Hadley Mary, Gabby Hall, and Emma Mae Smith also set a state record in the 200m-freestyle relay by posting a time of 1:39.77 during prelims; that same squad won the final event during the state championship meet; and

WHEREAS, in addition to St. Scholastica's team wins, Gabby Hall won the individual state title in the 100m-backstroke with a time of 56.46 seconds and placed second in the 100m-butterfly with a time of 56.60 seconds; Emma Mae Smith claimed the individual state title in the 100m-freestyle with a time of 52.03 seconds and finished third in the 200m-freestyle with a time of 1:56.44; and

WHEREAS, the St. Scholastica Academy varsity swim team is most deserving of the highest recognition for carrying the school's tradition of sustained excellence in swimming.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the House of Representatives of the Legislature of Louisiana does hereby commend the 2024 St. Scholastica Academy varsity swim team on winning the school's thirteenth consecutive Louisiana High School Athletic Association Division II state championship and does hereby extend sincerest wishes that the team continue its excellent work and always strive for greatness.

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SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES