



### **City Hosts Swimming Provincials**

*November 17, 2010-* Nine hundred swimmers will converge on the Nanaimo Aquatic Centre this Friday, November 19<sup>th</sup> and Saturday, November 20<sup>th</sup>, as we host the BC School Sports Provincial Swimming Championships. Swimmers from seven zones will be represented at the competition; Vancouver/Richmond, Fraser Valley, Burnaby, Vancouver Island, Okanagan, Kootenays, and North Central British Columbia.

The competition starts at 8:30 am Friday with the Synchro competition. Speed swimming competitions start on Friday at 1:00pm, with finals beginning on Saturday at 9:00am. Last year the winning synchronized team was Oak Bay, the aquatics portion of the event was won by St. Georges of Vancouver. Spectators are welcome.

To accommodate the event the morning aquacise programs at the Nanaimo Aquatic Centre will be cancelled on Friday and Saturday mornings. Please join us at Beban Park Pool. For more information contact 250 756 5200 or [www.nanaimo.ca](http://www.nanaimo.ca)

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