



NVSL DIVE — BY THE NUMBERS 2026

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NVSL Dive Statistics

Team Participation

NVSL Dive includes 48 teams, highlighting the extensive involvement of divers, coaches, officials, and parents, and volunteers within the league.

Diver Count

Over 2,100 divers participated in NVSL Dive in 2026, showcasing the large number of both developmental and elite dive athletes in the Northern Virginia region.

Meet Frequency

NVSL Dive has 120 dual meets, and 5 championship meets each season, providing numerous opportunities for competition and skill demonstration.

Focus Areas

The NVSL Swim/Dive league emphasizes “A love for the sport, advanced aquatic skills, teamwork, and the principles of good sportsmanship.”



NVSL Dive – by the numbers



NVSL Dive Statistics

NVSL Dive is a *developmental, recreational* dive league, as part of NVSL Swim/Dive, and is composed of 48 community dive pools.

Diver Age

- NVSL Dive promotes safe diver participation for all ages
- In 2026, NVSL Dive had two 3-year-old divers participating from A and OKM. Seven 4-year-old divers participated from DR(2), GF, R, SB, SHB, and VW. Three of these divers dove in our competitive "A" meets.
- The youngest diver ever to participate was NVSL-age 2 (her 3rd birthday was in late June). Madeline Ice (LG) scored 8.5 and finished in 26th place in the NVSL sanctioned Cracker Jack Meet in 2005.





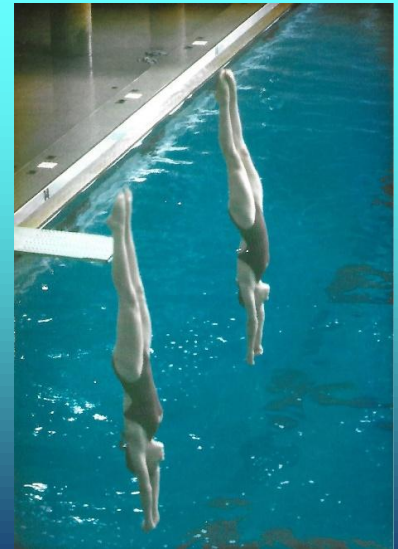
NVSL Dive Statistics

NVSL Dive claims to hold the largest single day Developmental Dive Meet in the country

- In 2026, the Cracker Jack Meet featured 295 divers in 16 events on a single day
 - Recent years it had over 350 divers

NVSL Dive also claims to hold the largest single day 1-Meter Synchro Dive Meet in the country

- In 2026, the 1-Meter Synchro Meet featured 71 pairs of divers in 4 events on a single day





NVSL Dive Legacy

Two NVSL Divers have competed in the Olympics

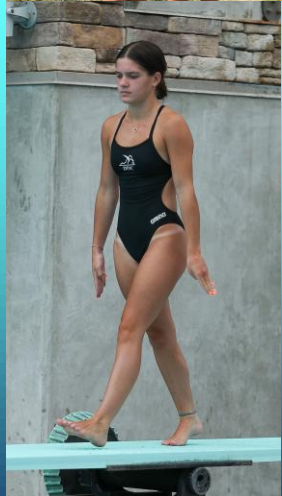
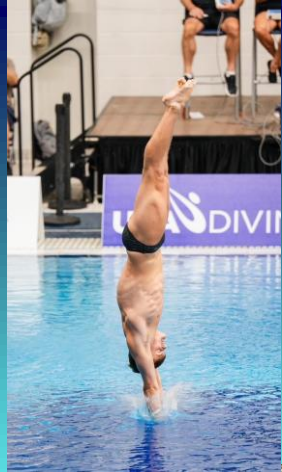
- **Matt Scoggin (GF) 1992 Team Captain**
 - **1992 Olympic Men's 10-meter Platform**
 - **NVSL 3-Meter Champion Intermediate Boys 1977-1978**
 - **NVSL All-Star Champion Intermediate Boys 1977**
- **Greg Duncan (DL) 2024**
 - **2024 Olympic 3-Meter Men's Springboard Synchro**
 - **NVSL 3-Meter Champion Senior Boys 2014**
 - **NVSL All-Star Champion Senior Boys 2015**
- **Numerous NVSL divers have competed at Olympic Trials**





NVSL Dive Legacy

- NVSL Dive has had 4 National Interscholastic Swim Coaches Association (NISCA) High School All-America Champions (who were former NVSL All-Star Champions)
 - *Grayson Campbell* (2014 and 2016 – Madison HS and Vienna Woods)
 - *Connor Casey* (2017 – Woodson HS and Truro Homes Association)
 - *Nathaniel Grannis* (2025 – Woodson HS and Wakefield Chapel)
 - *Marleigh daSilva* (2026 – Madison HS and Vienna Woods)
- In 2026, NVSL had 7 divers (4 boys and 3 girls) designated as All-America Divers -- in the top 100 High School divers in their gender in the country





Northern Virginia Swim League

NVSL Dive -- 2026

48

- ***Number of NVSL Dive Teams***

8

- ***Number of Divisions in NVSL Dive***

2104

- ***Number of NVSL Divers***
 - *8 divers lower than 2025, but the same number of girls*
 - *Still higher than pre-COVID years*

44

- ***Average number of Divers on an NVSL Dive Team***

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- ***Number of Divers on the Smallest and Largest NVSL Dive Teams***



NVSL Divers

1998 – 2026

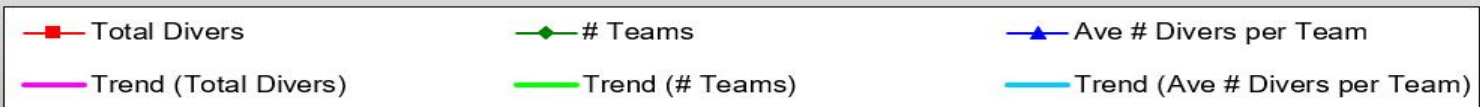
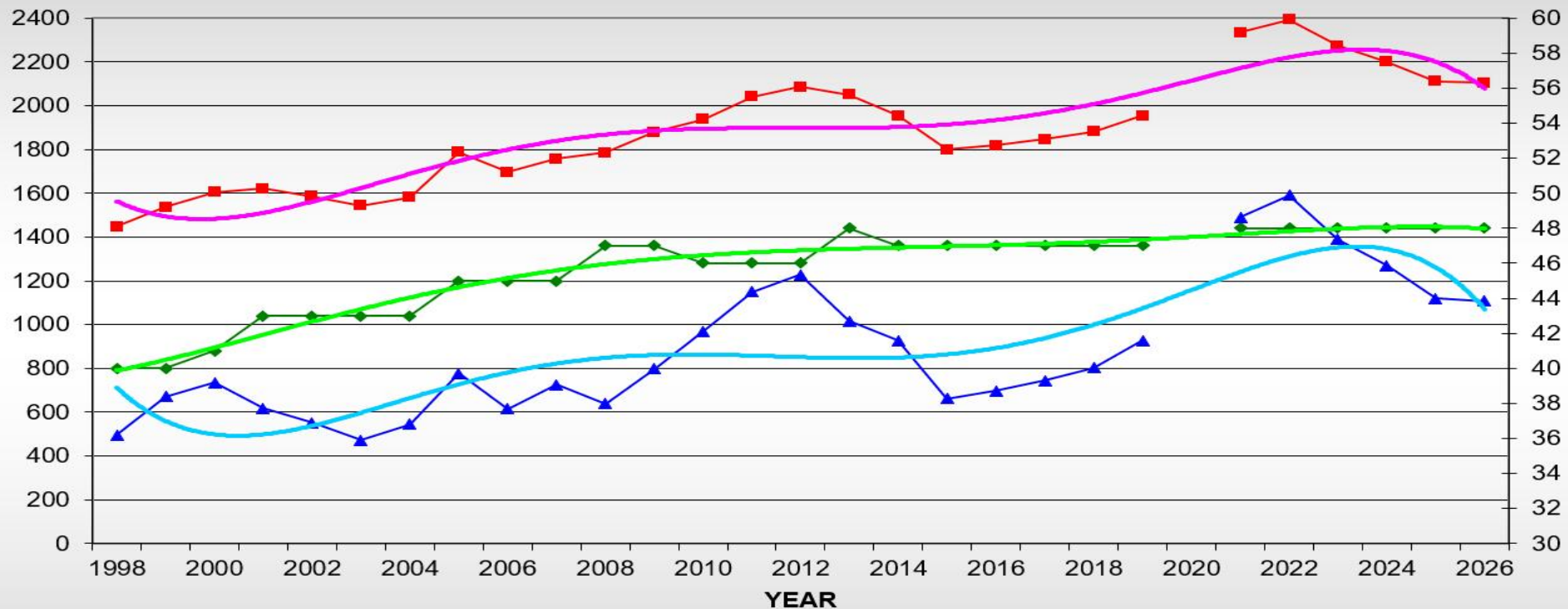
A 29-Year Perspective

NVSL Divers

Teams

Total Divers

Average # Divers per Team

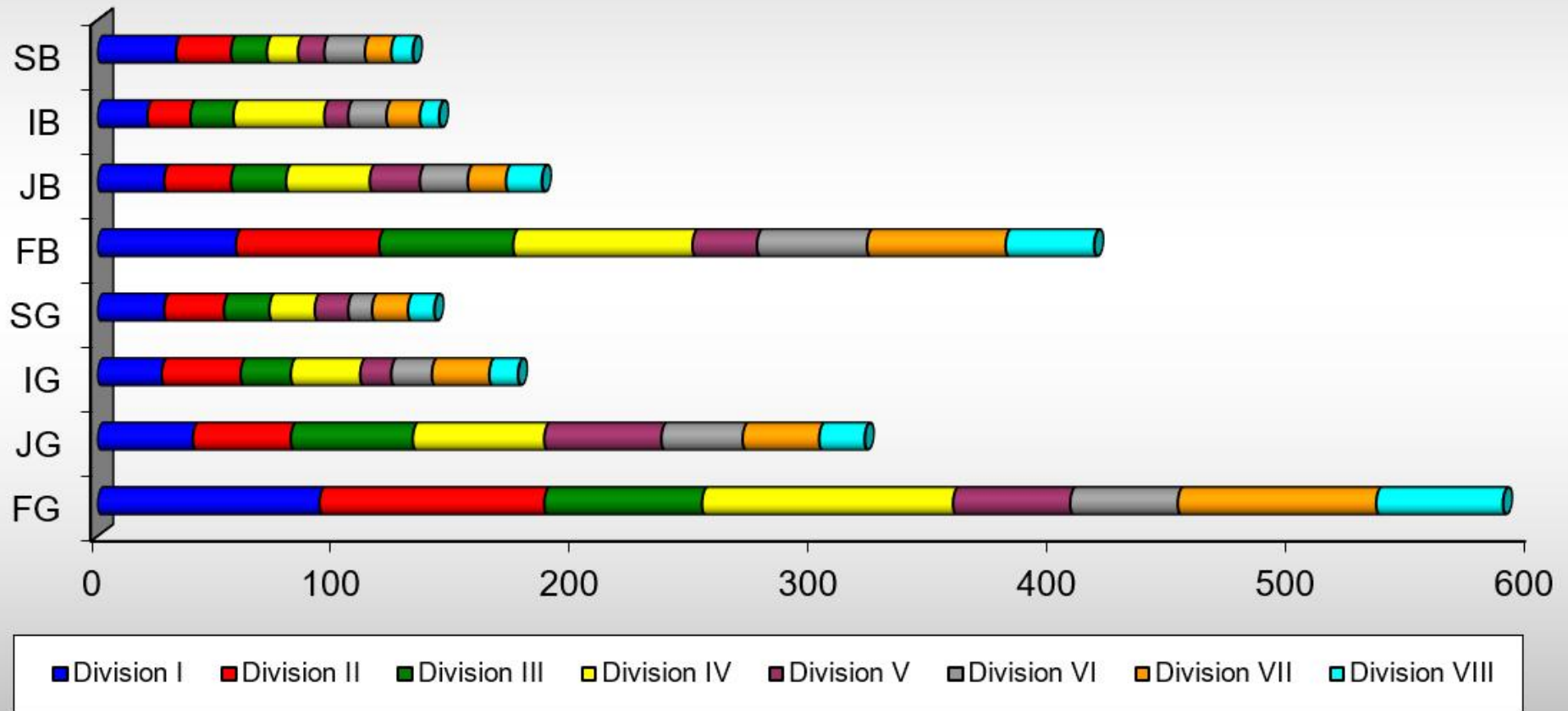




NVSL Dive -- 2026

The Season in Review

NVSL Dive Team Composition for 2026
1226 Girls, 878 Boys

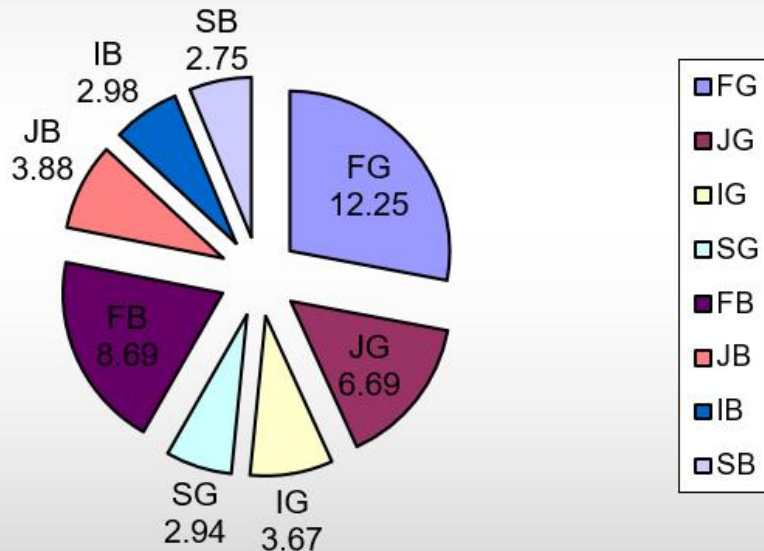




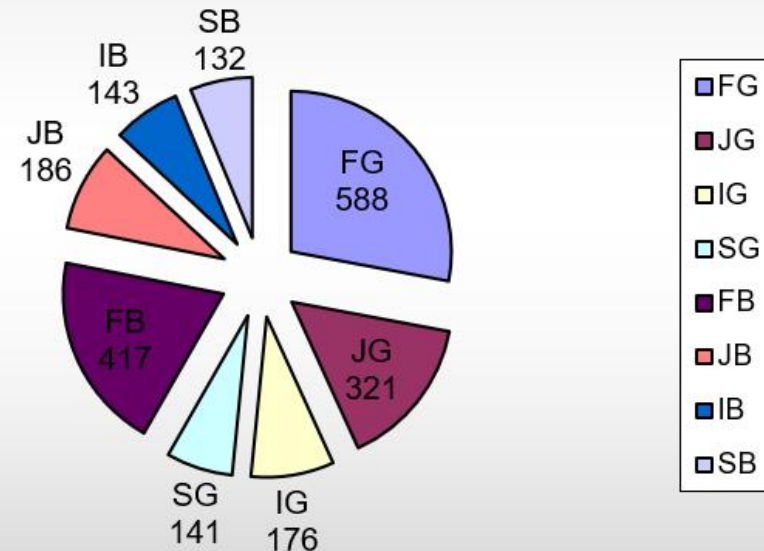
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The Average NVSL Dive Team for 2026
25.5 Girls, 18.3 Boys



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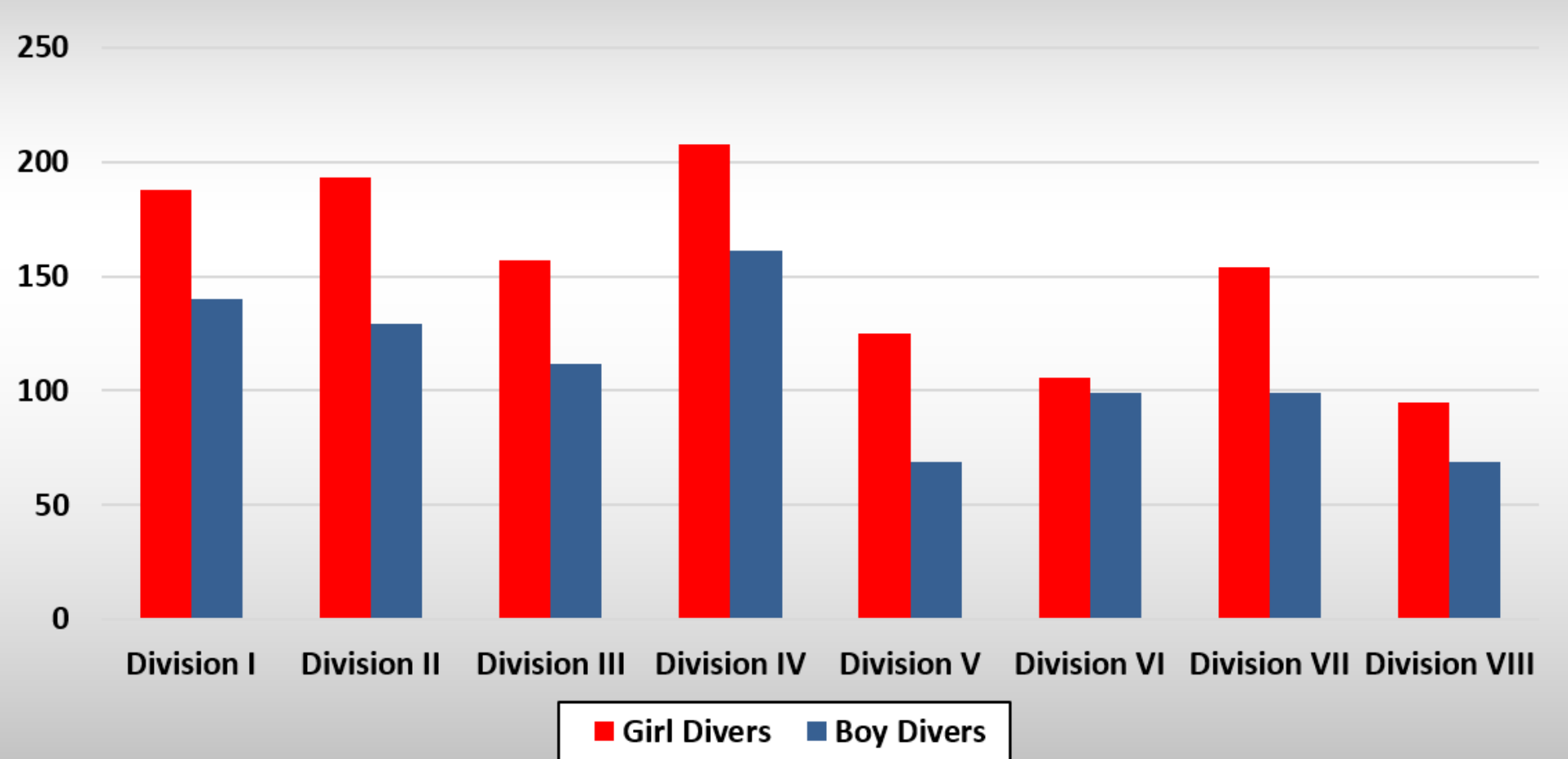




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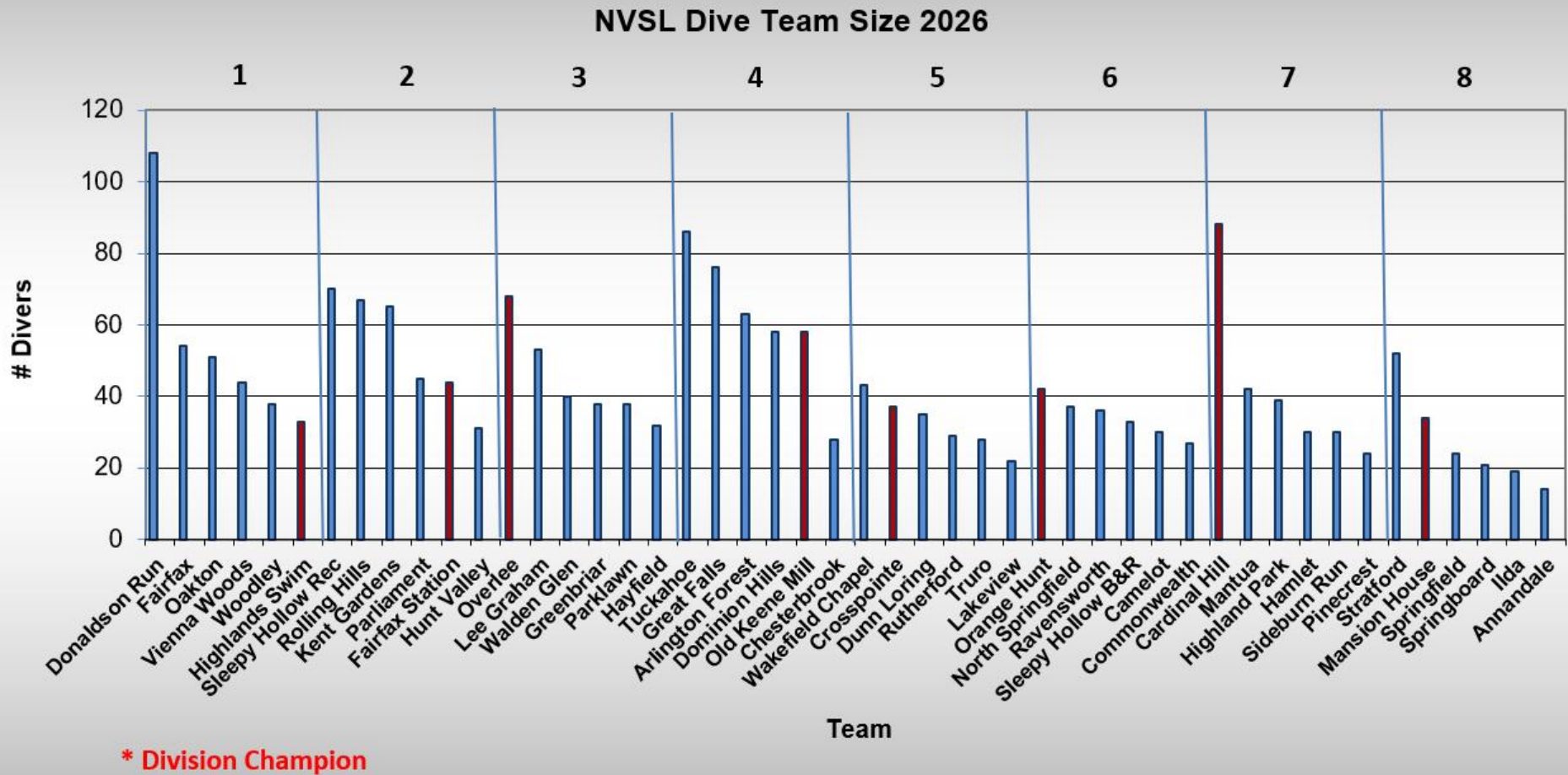
The Season in Review

NVSL Divers for 2026





NVSL Dive Team Size by 2026 Division & Team





NVSL Dive -- 2026

The Season in Review

7

- ***Number of Undefeated/Untied Teams***
 - ***Highlands Swim, Overlee, Old Keene Mill, Crosspointe, Orange Hunt, Cardinal Hill and Mansion House (5-0-0)***

0

- ***Teams who won meets by an average of 20+ points***
 - ***Mansion House average margin (highest) was 18.80***

5,4

- ***5 NVSL Dive dual meets ended in a tie score***
- ***4 NVSL Dive dual meets were decided by 1-point***

5

- ***25% of all dual meets were decided by 5 points or less***

17

- ***25% of all dual meets were decided by 17 points or more***



NVSL Dive -- 2026

The Season in Review

10

- ***Median winning margin for dual meets (2025)***
- ***50% of all 2025 meets were decided by 10 points or less***

0

- ***0 Divisions had dual-champions***

45%

- ***% of all dual meets won by the home team***
 - ***No definitive home/away pool advantage this year (5 ties, or 4%)***
 - ***Div 7 -- home teams won 12 of 15 dual meets (highest in the league)***

52%

- ***Over half of NVSL divers also swam for their pool***

15/26/21

- ***15 NVSL Dive Teams had 26 divers compete from 21 NVSL pools who did not have their own dive teams.***



NVSL Dive (1998 – 2026)

29-Year Historical Perspective

98

- ***Number of dual meets ending in a tie score (1998 – 2026; 3080 total meets)***

123

- ***Number of dual meets decided by 1 point (1998 – 2026)***

58

- ***Largest winning (losing) margin in a dual meet (2010: 65–7)***
 - ***By comparison, the largest winning (losing) margin in a dual meet this year was 46 points (2026:)***

11

- ***Median winning margin for all dual meets (1998 – 2026)***
 - ***Median for 2026 dual meets was 10 points***

175

- ***175 dual meets have been decided by exactly 4 points, the most likely score difference (or statistically, the mode)***



NVSL Dive -- 2026

The Season in Review

27

- ***Number of NVSL Dive Teams reported as "Building"***

19

- ***Number of NVSL Dive Teams reported "Static"***

2

- ***Number of NVSL Dive Teams reported as "Declining"***

48%

- ***The 10-and-Under Age Group (Freshmen) accounted for 48% of all NVSL Divers (1005 out of 2104)***

13%

- ***The Senior Age Group accounted for about 13% of all NVSL Divers (273 out of 2104)***



NVSL Dive -- 2026 Season Highlights

- 1. 7 of 8 Division Champions had a 5-0-0 record; the other Division Champion had a 4-0-1 record.***
- 2. 6 of 8 Divisions had a pool with an 0-5-0 record.***
- 3. Division 2 had 3 tie meets; PAR had 2 of them.***
- 4. The 5th (last) meet of the season decided ALL the Division Champions. No pool clinched their division title prior to the last meet of the season .***
- 5. Only 1 rain-delayed meet for some teams – 5th meet.***
- 6. 47/48 pools had at least one All-Star qualifier; 46/48 had at least one All-Star participant.***
- 7. All-Stars completed in one day with 3 rain delays.***



NVSL Dive -- 2026 All-Star Championship Meet



157

- ***Total number of NVSL Divers who qualified for the NVSL All-Star Championship***

4,9

- ***Number of NVSL divers who qualified by score (4)***
- ***Number of NVSL divers who qualified as a Top 8 finisher from last year's All-Star Meet and finished 1st alternate this year (9)***

151

- ***Number of NVSL Divers who actually competed in the NVSL All-Star Championship***
 - ***Includes Alternates who competed***

8

- ***Most All-Star Competitors – HS and F***
 - ***FS (7); CH, G, KG, M, OH, and PL (5)***

8

- ***Number of Teams with All-Star Champions (8 events)***
 - ***LG, MHC, FS, HS, PL, DH, G, and A***



NVSL Dive -- 2026

Divisional Championship Meets

646

- ***NVSL Divers who competed in Divisional Championship Meets (30% of all NVSL Divers)***

13.5

- ***Average number of NVSL Divers per team who competed in their Divisional Championship Meet***

14

- ***Number of teams that sent the maximum of 16 divers to their Divisional Championship Meet***

7

- ***Least number of divers sent to the Divisional Championship Meet by one team***



NVSL Dive -- 2026

Wally Martin 3-Meter Championship Meet

90

- ***Number of NVSL Divers who competed in the Wally Martin 3-Meter Championship Meet***
 - ***8 more than last year***

27

- ***Number of NVSL Dive Teams who sent divers to the Wally Martin 3-Meter Championship Meet***

11

- ***Most Divers sent to the Wally Martin 3-Meter Championship Meet – OH***

7

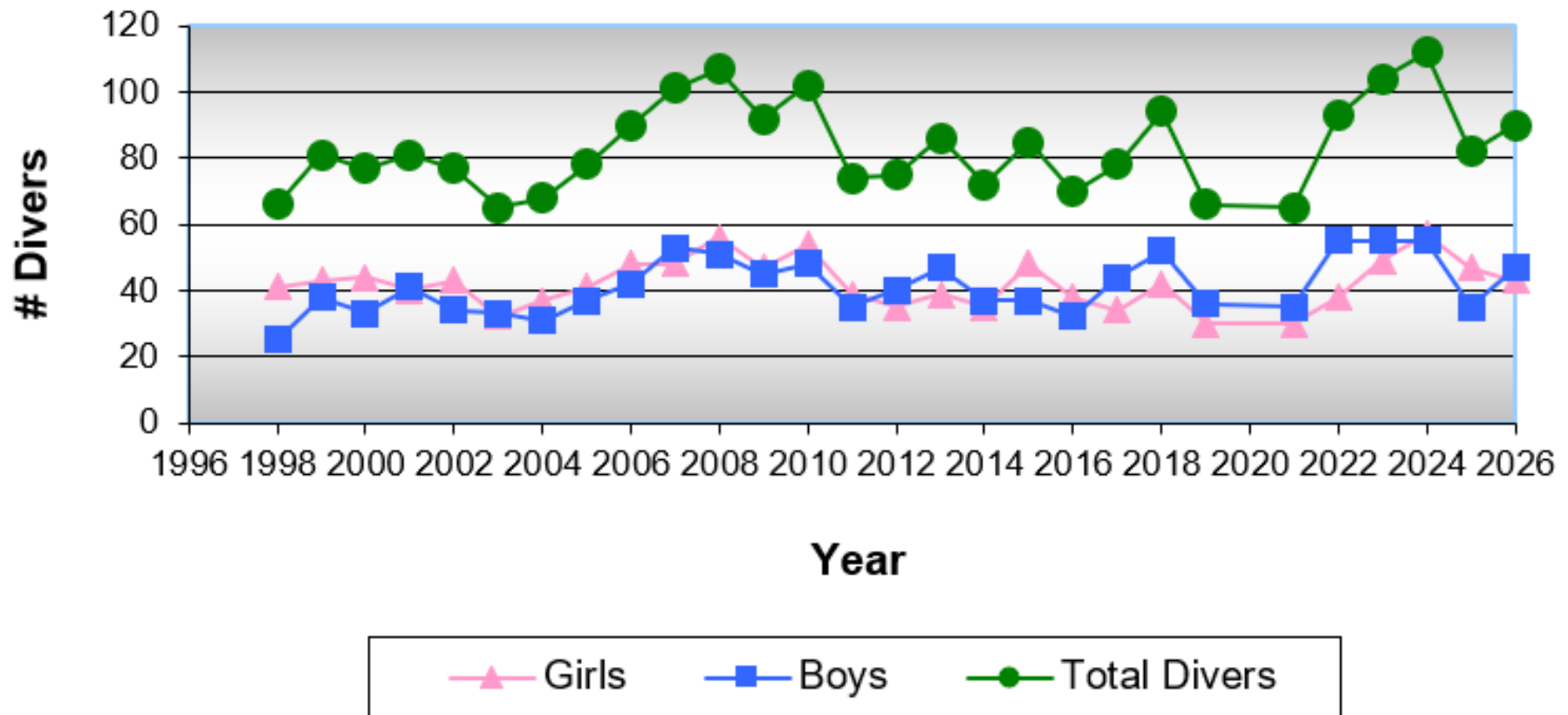
- ***Number of teams with individual 3-Meter Champions (8 events)***
 - ***LG, OAK, W, WC, VW(2), HV, and O***
 - ***3-Meter talent spread across NVSL Dive***



NVSL Dive

Historical 3-Meter Meet Statistics

Total 3-Meter Divers





NVSL Dive -- 2026

1-Meter Synchro Championship Meet

142

- ***Number of NVSL Divers who competed in the 1-Meter Synchro Championship Meet (71 dive pairs)***

25

- ***Number of NVSL Dive pools who sent divers to the 1- Meter Synchro Championship Meet***

20

- ***Largest number of divers from one team – OKM***
 - ***KG (16) and G (10)***

2,1

- ***Winning pairs, same pool (KG (2), WC,)***
- ***Winning pairs, different pools (T-F)***

88/54

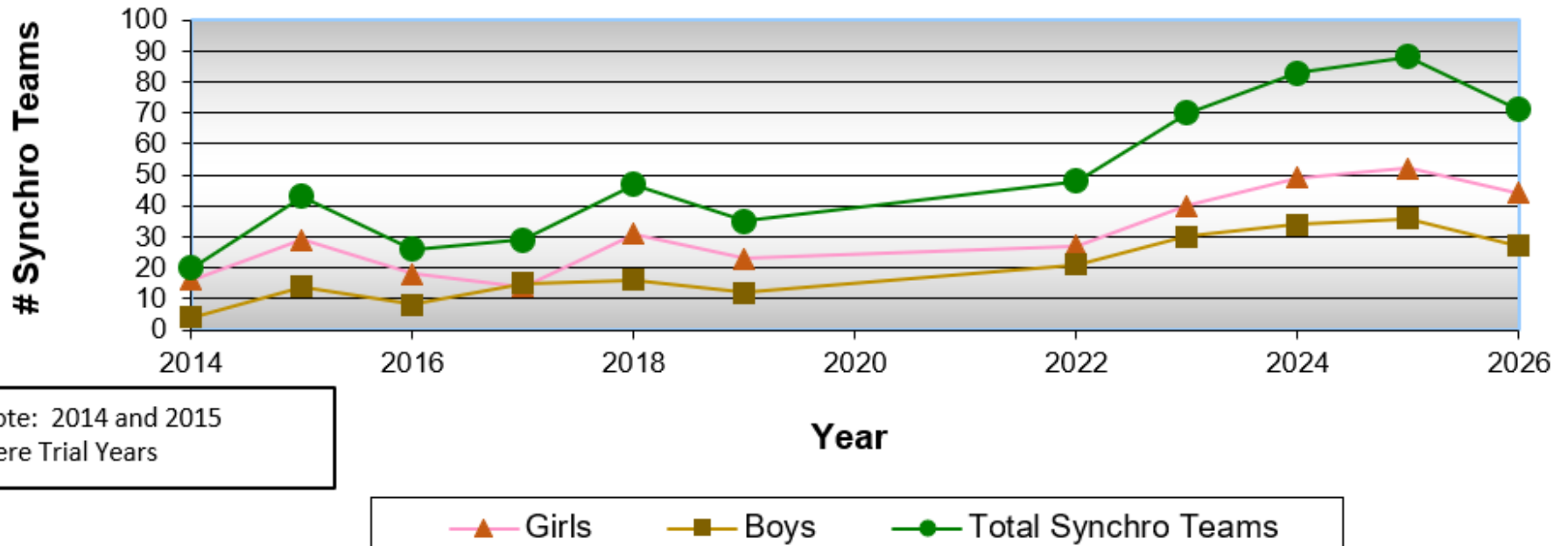
- ***Number of girls / Number of boys who competed***



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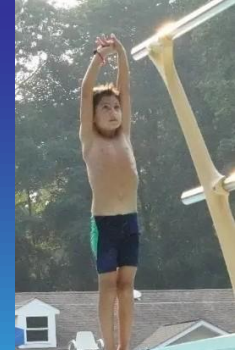
Historical 1-Meter Synchro Statistics

Total Synchro Teams





NVSL Dive CrackerJack Meet



Developing Future NVSL Dive Champions

- ***Established in 1987 to provide a skill-appropriate championship meet for beginning divers***
- ***Claimed as the world's largest one-day diving competition***
- ***The first Cracker Jack Invitational was held at Freedom Park and attracted approximately 600 divers***
- ***Cracker Jack has been hosted by Overlee, Cardinal Hill, Truro, Mansion House, Springfield, Sideburn Run, Fairfax Station, Ravensworth, and North Springfield***
- ***In 2026, Cracker Jack was hosted again by North Springfield***
- ***Divers compete by gender within their age group***
 - ***Age groups are: 6 and Under, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, and 13 and Up***



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NVSL Dive -- 2026

CrackerJack Championship Meet

295

- ***Number of NVSL Divers who competed in CrackerJack***

34

- ***Number of NVSL Dive Teams who sent divers to CrackerJack***

26

- ***Most Divers sent to CrackerJack—RH***
- ***NS (19), OKM (19), KG (16), SHR (16), WG (15)***

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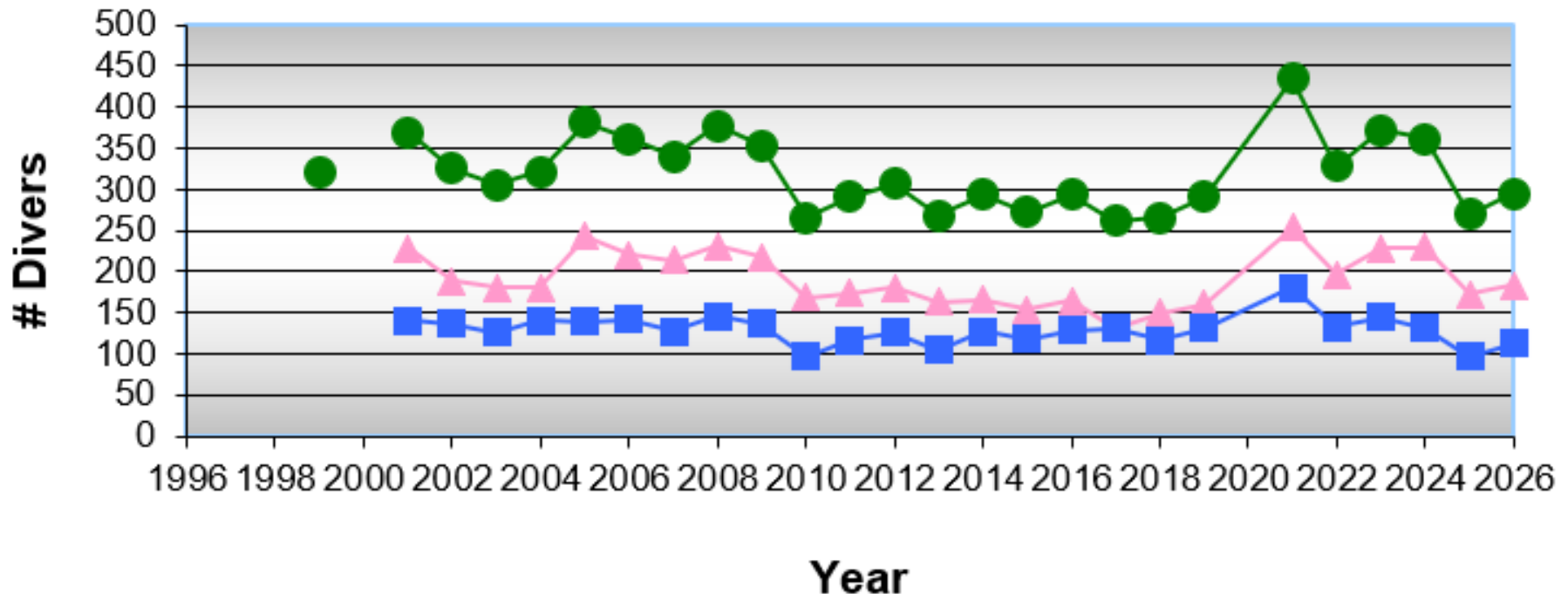
- ***Teams with CJ Champions (16 events)***
- ***RH (4), KG (3), OAK (2), CP, CSC, DR, FS, HV, PAR, SHR***



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Historical CrackerJack Meet Statistics

Total CrackerJack Divers



NOTE: in 2010, events 8B, 9B, & 9G were cancelled due to weather

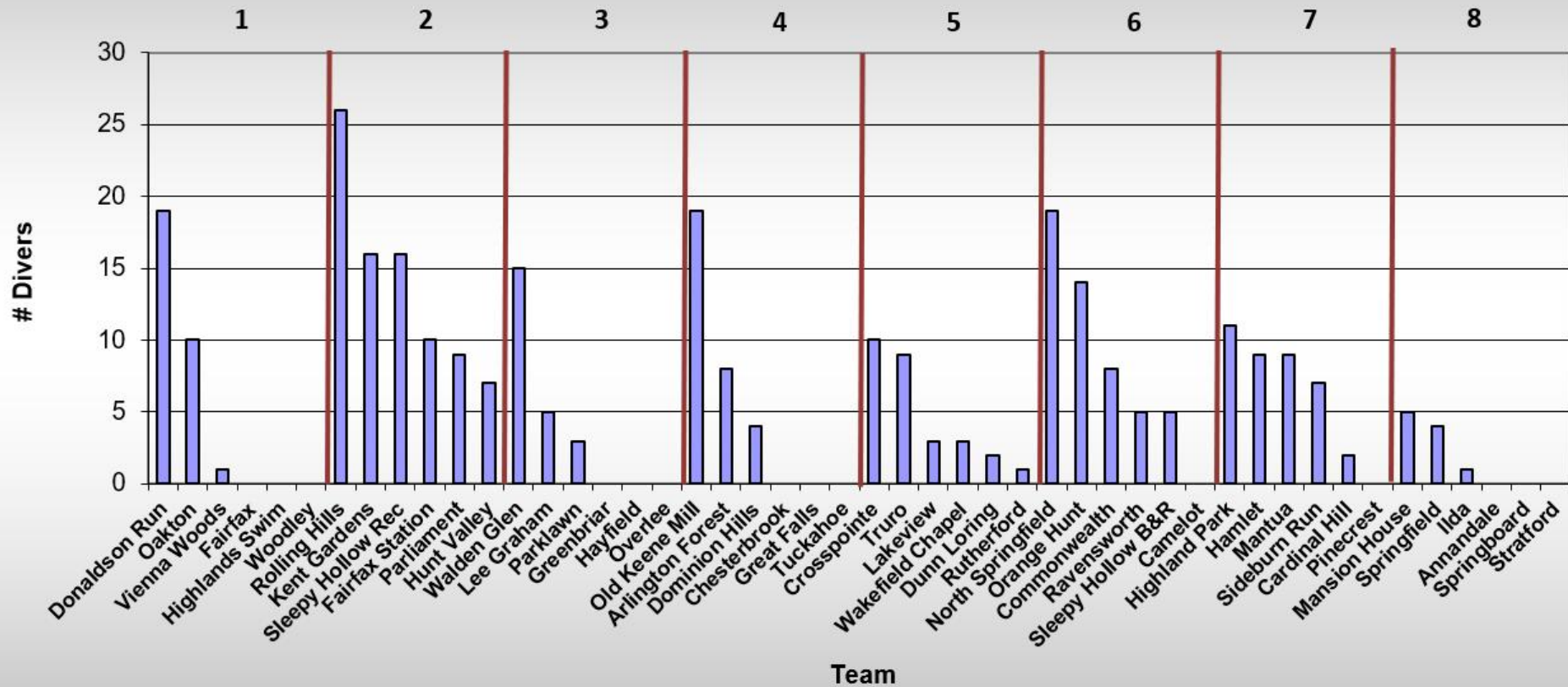
Girls Boys Total Divers



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CrackerJack 2026 Meet Statistics

CrackerJack Divers by Team and Division -- 2026





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