

Bermuda admits defeat to THAT Masters Swimmers

In what is now being called "The Battle of Bermuda," a small group of intrepid masters swimmers from Tar Heel Aquatic Team successfully milked very last drop of Caribbean goodness from their recent weekend operation in Bermuda. On Monday, sources told reporters that the North Carolina-based *THAT Masters Team* was seen all over the 22 square mile island; doing yoga, befriending locals and enjoying the native rum selection. It was not until the race started on Sunday morning that civilians and officials alike were made aware of the Masters Team's true intentions... the THAT OWS (Open Water Specialist) forces had come for gold, silver, bronze, and whatever you get for sixth place. The island's natural naval defenses (consisting mainly of large fleets of relatively ineffective jellyfish) could not stop the masters swimmers from taking more than their fair share of coveted race hardware. The following is a list of reported incidents involving this group of rogue warriors, whose attacks were reportedly led by a woman known only as "Coach Jen."

- Kacie Wallace got 6th place in her age group for the 10K with a time of 2:52:10 and was pleased with her race.

- Tommy Bastable got 4th place in his age group for the 10K with a time of 3:03:17 and felt he pushed too hard at the beginning and died with about 4K left. He did, however, find a bright green bracelet that the race organizers dropped along the race course and won a chocolate bar.

- Elizabeth Nowak got 1st place in her age group and 1st place overall for the 4K with a time of 1:05:01

- Martha Montgomery got 2nd place in her age group (even though they listed her in the 40-49 group) for the 4K with a time of 1:20:09 and was all smiles at the end.

Bermudian officials have formed a task force to assess the effectiveness of their Aquatic-Domination Response System (ADRS) to prevent future attacks, which they believe may occur annually around the time of the Bermuda Round-the-Sound Open Water Swim. In a recently released statement, the leader of the THAT Masters OWS Forces said he had no knowledge of any such activities, but did say that it is the mission of the OWS to engage in as many aquatic adventures as possible, and that if this meant another trip to Bermuda, he would have no knowledge of that either.

Complete results can be found at...

<http://www.aquamoonadventures.com/page1.html>