

10-6-1960

## Montana State University swimmers open swim practice

University of Montana--Missoula. Office of University Relations

Let us know how access to this document benefits you.

Follow this and additional works at: <https://scholarworks.umt.edu/newsreleases>

---

### Recommended Citation

University of Montana--Missoula. Office of University Relations, "Montana State University swimmers open swim practice" (1960).  
*University of Montana News Releases*. 774.  
<https://scholarworks.umt.edu/newsreleases/774>

This News Article is brought to you for free and open access by the University Relations at ScholarWorks at University of Montana. It has been accepted for inclusion in University of Montana News Releases by an authorized administrator of ScholarWorks at University of Montana. For more information, please contact [scholarworks@mso.umt.edu](mailto:scholarworks@mso.umt.edu).

10-6-60

FROM: BOB GILLULY  
SPORTS NEWS EDITOR  
MONTANA UNIVERSITY

MISSOULA, MONTANA--Twenty-two Montana University swimmers opened practice for their 1960-61 season under the direction of coach Bud Wallace last week. "At first glance, this will be the strongest tank team in the University's history," the mentor commented.

"We're still a long way from our opening meet in January, but I'm sure we will strongly contend for the Skyline championship this season," Wallace added.

Among lettermen on hand are senior Wayne Veeneman, Idaho Falls, Idaho; senior Doug James, Oakland, California; senior Bill Brubaker, Beaver, Pa.; junior Gary Groshelle, Laurel; and junior John Vaught, Missoula. One of Wallace's top 1959-60 performers, butterfly expert Ivan Jacobsen, will be unable to compete this season because of an ear infection.

Two top newcomers on the Grizzly tank squad are freshmen Ray Ellis of Deer Lodge and Gaylon Kipp of Billings, both of whom ranked among the Nation's best high school swimmers last season. Another top man is distance ace Glenn Jones of Butte, a sophomore.

Other squad members include Scott Stewart, Topanga, Calif.; Gerald Tissue, Long Beach, Calif.; Steve Cropper, Downey, Calif.; Henry Manz, New Haven, Conn.; Bob Koons, Hershey, Pa.; Ralph Dodge, Miami, Fla.; Ken Stallcup, Oakland, Calif.; Pete Grant, Edmonton, Alberta; Harold Felter, Bob Dick, Ron Koble, Ron Deschamps and Reg Martin, Missoula; and Henry Cushing, Billings.

The Silvertips open their home schedule in early January against Idaho. Other home encounters will match the tankers against Washington, University of British Columbia, Oregon, Utah, Utah State, and possibly Air Force Academy and Denver University.

#####