

Oakland Community Pools Project Pacific Swimming Grant Report:

For the spring and summer portion of this grant, we were able to accomplish many of the goals outlined in our grant proposal. The team provided registration materials to the local schools and recruited 25 students for the spring swim school sessions and an additional 50 students ages 10 and under for the summer program. Of these students, we offered scholarships to 75% of them. The ethnic breakdown for these students:

30% Asian

27% African-American

27% Hispanic

10% Multi-ethnic

6% Other

We were able to graduate 10 of our swim school students to the swim team. We expect all of these students to return in the fall for the bridge swim program.

In our competitive program, we were able to provide meet fees for 5 of our 10 and under competitive swim team members. One of those swimmers was selected for the Western Zone Team. Others attended various long and short course meets. All of our 10 and under swimmers will be returning in the Fall and we will help them with meet fees and USS swim registration.