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Karishma wins diving gold

KOLKATA: Karishma Mohite of Bangalore won the women's 3m springboard diving on the penultimate day of the interuniversity aquatics meet here on Wednesday.

Gagan A.P. and Suravi Tipre of Jain University obliterated the men's and women's 400m freestyle records while the other two marks were established by Aaron D'Souza of Bangalore and Puja R. Alva of VT University (Belgaum) in the 100m butterfly.

The fifth record was in the women's 50m backstroke where Fariha Zaman of Jain rewrote the earlier mark.

The results (winners only): Men: 400m freestyle: Gagan A.P. (Jain) 4:09.71s (NMR, old 4:09.94s): 50m backstroke: Aaron D'Souza (Ban) 27.54s; 100m butterfly: Aaron D'Souza (Ban) 56.30s (NMR, old 57.32s): 4x200m freestyle relay: Punjab (8:48.30s).

Women: 400m freestyle: Suravi Tipre (Jain) 4:36.75s (NMR, old 4:47.44s); 50m backstroks: Fariha Zaman (Jain) 31.70s (NMR, old 32:40s); 100m butterfly: Puja R. Alva (VT) 1:06.47 (NMR, old 1:07.53); 4x200m freestyle relay: Jain (9:56.46s).

Diving: 3m springboard: Men: Avishek (Delhi) 188.80 points; Women: Karishma Mohite (Ban) 141.70.