

# Jevon Tarantino

Height ..... 5'8"  
Weight ..... 160 lbs.  
Birthdate ..... January 30, 1984  
Birthplace ..... Boynton Beach, Fla.  
Hometown ..... Boca Raton, Fla.  
Current Residence ..... Knoxville, Tenn.  
Club ..... Fort Lauderdale Diving Team  
Coach ..... Dave Burgering  
Secondary Coach ..... Dave Parrington  
National Team ..... 2001, 2002, 2003, 2005, 2007, 2008, 2009

**2008 U.S. Olympic Team member (synchronized 3-meter)**

## Career Highlights:

### National:

Five-time national champion

1-meter - 2005, 2007

Synchronized 3-meter - spring 2007, 2008; summer 2008

### International:

Synchronized diving:

2007 AT&T USA Diving Grand Prix - bronze medalist

2007 Comunidad de Madrid - bronze medalist

2007 Italian Grand Prix - gold medalist

2008 AT&T USA Diving Grand Prix - silver medalist

2008 Olympic Games - fifth

**Other Accomplishments:** 2004 NCAA and SEC champion on 1-meter while competing for Tennessee ... 2000 Florida state high school champion.

**Personal:** Son of Anton and Birgit Tarantino ... has one sister, Thea ... enjoys playing golf, surfing and basketball ... started diving at age 10 ... recently returned to school at the University of Tennessee to finish up his degree.

## Jevon Tarantino, results

Year	National Events	1-meter	3-meter	Platform
1994	Speedo National Junior Diving Championships	2nd (303.96)	17th (263.25)	9th (265.35)
1995	Speedo National Junior Diving Championships	3rd (332.05)	13th (276.30)	2nd (310.80)
1996	Speedo National Junior Diving Championships	5th (316.35)	3rd (348.69)	5th (287.46)
1997	Speedo National Junior Diving Championships	<b>1st (347.58)</b>	2nd (400.35)	4th (298.74)
1998	Speedo National Junior Diving Championships	4th (405.66)	<b>1st (501.93)</b>	8th (328.05)
	U.S. Summer National Diving Championships		27th (270.60)	
	U.S. Summer National Diving Championships [synch]		5th (264.24)	
1999	U.S. Spring National Diving Championships	30th (242.76)		
	Speedo National Junior Diving Championships	3rd (436.35)	2nd (566.25)	<b>1st (446.49)</b>
	U.S. Summer National Diving Championships	23rd (249.12)	25th (279.72)	
	U.S. Summer National Diving Championships [synch. Jones]		9th (239.10)	
2000	Speedo National Junior Diving Championships	2nd (531.10)	5th (550.11)	3rd (559.49)
	U.S. Outdoor National Diving Championships	4th (345.63)	18th (290.16)	9th (454.02)
2001	U.S. Indoor National Diving Championships	2nd (383.67)	19th (285.06)	
	Speedo National Junior Diving Championships	<b>1st (584.67)</b>	2nd (605.04)	4th (513.00)
	U.S. National Outdoor Diving Championships	4th (365.76)	2nd (623.01)	
2002	Speedo National Diving Championships	4th (340.44)	4th (632.45)	
	Speedo National Junior Diving Championships	10th (452.70)	<b>1st (602.35)</b>	5th (431.44)
	Junior World Team Trials	<b>1st (454.14)</b>	<b>1st (506.49)</b>	
2003	World Championship Trials		4th (1190.82)	
	Speedo National Diving Championships		3rd (599.94)	
2004	World Cup Trials		6th (977.22)	
	World Cup Trials [synch. Jones]		3rd (577.41)	
	Speedo American Cup		3rd (315.87)	
	Speedo American Cup [synch. Jones]		3rd (985.65)	
	U.S. Olympic Team Trials		5 <sup>th</sup> (1009.26)	
	U.S. Olympic Team Trials [synch. Jones]		2nd (615.54)	
	Speedo National Diving Championships	7th (326.16)	12th (497.49)	
2005	Speedo U.S. Open		5th (944.43)	
	Speedo U.S. Open [synch. Jones]		2nd (280.68)	
	Speedo National Diving Championships	<b>1st (412.41)</b>	3rd (615.00)	
	Speedo National Diving Championships [synch. Jones]		2nd (303.30)	
2006	Kaiser Permanente National Diving Championships		17th (331.60)	
2007	Speedo USA Diving Spring National Championships		3rd (449.20)	
	Speedo USA Diving Spring National Championships [synch. Colwill]		<b>1st (436.83)</b>	
	Kaiser Permanente National Championships	<b>1st (381.40)</b>	3rd (444.85)	
2008	Speedo USA Diving Spring National Championships		3rd (449.35)	
	Speedo USA Diving Spring National Championships [sync. Colwill]		<b>1st (411.81)</b>	
	U.S. Olympic Team Trials		4th (1362.80)	
	Kaiser Permanente National Diving Championships [synch. Colwill]		<b>1st (433.44)</b>	
Year	International Events	1-meter	3-meter	Platform
1998	Cam-Am-Mex	4th (411.57)	2nd (475.38)	8th (277.56)
1999	Junior World Championships	6th (308.90)	13th (331.40)	4th (340.35)
2000	Junior World Championships	4th (476.16)		
2001	Goodwill Games	9th (350.22)		
2002	Junior World Championships	4th (483.30)	9th (475.40)	
2003	Speedo American Cup		3rd (599.16)	
	Speedo FINA Diving Grand Prix		26th (320.55)	
	Italian Grand Prix		4th (385.89)	
2004	Speedo FINA Diving Grand Prix		14th (393.90)	
2005	FINA Diving Grand Prix (Fort Lauderdale)		14th (376.17)	
	FINA World Championships (Montreal, Canada)	5th (380.46)		
2007	FINA World Championships (Melbourne, Australia)	20th (324.70)		
	AT&T USA Diving Grand Prix		13th (384.20)	
	*was eighth in the prelims but only two divers per country can advance to the semifinals, so he was considered 13th in the final standings			
	AT&T USA Diving Grand Prix [synch. Colwill]		3rd (388.38)	
	Comunidad de Madrid [synch. Colwill]		3rd (405.57)	
	Italian Grand Prix [synch. Colwill]		<b>1st (406.95)</b>	
2008	FINA Diving World Cup [synch. Colwill]		6th (404.64)	
	AT&T USA Diving Grand Prix		7th/13th (437.05)*	
	* was seventh in the prelims but could not advance to the semis as two U.S. divers finished ahead of him; was considered 13th in the final standings			
	AT&T USA Diving Grand Prix [synch. Colwill]		2nd (416.37)	
	FINA Diving World Series (Sheffield, GBR) [synch. Colwill]		4th (415.77)	
	Olympic Games (Beijing) [synch. Colwill]		4th (410.73)	
2009	FINA Diving World Series (Sheffield, GBR) [synch. Colwill]		5th (395.97)	
	FINA Diving World Series (Mexico City, MEX) (synch. Colwill)		2nd (397.50)	
	AT&T USA Diving Grand Prix [synch. Colwill]		3rd (410.70)	
	AT&T USA Diving Grand Prix		13th (432.75)	
	* was fourth in prelims, but only two divers per country can advance to semifinals; was considered 13th in overall standings			