

Press Release for Belton ISD/Austin HS Quad Meet

On Wednesday, September 27, the Austin High School swimming teams traveled to Belton for a quad meet with AHS and the three Belton ISD schools (Belton HS, Lake Belton HS, and Belton New Tech HS). The meet scored as six individual dual meets, and in all the different scoring configurations, Austin High came out on top.

In combined team scores, AHS beat New Tech 259 – 35; they beat LHS Belton HS 199-128; they came out ahead of Belton HS 208-116.

Out of 77 individual swims, the Maroons put up new personal best time in 51 races.

Austin HS head coach Ryan Goodwyn was very pleased with his team's performance. "We had 66% of our swims as new personal best times," Goodwyn said. "That shows that our kids really put in a lot of work this summer. Our new personal records were not just from freshmen or newer swimmers either. We had juniors and seniors who were putting up times to start this year that are faster than anything they've ever done. It makes me very excited for our season."

Goodwyn also pointed out that several of his swimmers hit milestones just by trying new events. "I had a few kids swimming events for the first time that they were very nervous about. I was extremely proud of some of our kids like Abigail Schwarzendruber and Sam Dominguez who stepped up, did the longer distance events for the first time, and really fought hard in those events."

The following AHS swimmers put up swims that finished in the top 3 at the meet:

Jessica Ream, senior – 200 freestyle (3rd) and 100 butterfly (3rd)

Megan O'Leary, sophomore – 200 individual medley (1st), 200 medley relay (1st), 100 butterfly (1st)
400 freestyle relay (1st)

Coco Crosby, sophomore – 200 individual medley (3rd), 200 medley relay (1st), 400 freestyle relay (1st)

Charlotte Gottsman, senior – 200 medley relay (1st), 100 freestyle (3rd), 200 freestyle relay (1st),
100 breaststroke (1st)

Josi Avila, senior – 200 medley relay (1st), 500 freestyle (2nd), 100 breaststroke (3rd),
400 freestyle relay (1st)

Madeleine Griebel, junior – 200 medley relay (2nd), 100 backstroke (3rd), 400 freestyle relay (3rd)

Evie Plante, sophomore – 200 medley relay (2nd), 100 breaststroke (2nd), 400 freestyle relay (3rd)

Keelan Christman, freshman – 200 medley relay (2nd), 200 freestyle relay (1st), 400 freestyle relay (3rd)

Sora Jenkins, junior – 50 freestyle (1st), 200 freestyle relay (1st), 400 freestyle relay (3rd)

Lacey Dominguez, junior – 200 medley relay (2nd), 200 freestyle relay (3rd)

Liam Taylor-Montero, senior – 200 medley relay (2nd), 100 backstroke (2nd), 400 freestyle relay (1st)

Kelly Murphy, sophomore – 200 medley relay (2nd), 50 freestyle (3rd), 100 freestyle (3rd),
400 freestyle relay (1st)

Sam Dominguez, sophomore – 200 medley relay (2nd), 100 butterfly (2nd), 500 freestyle (2nd),
400 freestyle relay (1st)

Evan Smith, sophomore – 200 medley relay (2nd), 50 freestyle (1st), 100 freestyle (1st),
400 freestyle relay (1st)

Skylar Jones, freshman – 100 butterfly, (2nd) 200 freestyle relay (3rd)

Mia Corbin, sophomore – 200 freestyle relay (1st), 400 freestyle relay (1st)

Kat Thompson, senior – 200 freestyle relay (3rd)
Lily Burpo, sophomore – 200 freestyle relay (3rd)
Kole Esselstyn, junior – 200 freestyle relay (2nd)
Owen Squires, freshman – 200 freestyle relay (2nd)
Clyde Cowan, sophomore – 200 freestyle relay (2nd)
Trep Thomas, junior – 200 freestyle relay (2nd)