



# YEAR IN REVIEW 2019 - 2020

## MEMBERSHIP and PROGRAMMING

For the 2019-2020 season, Eastside Family YMCA Swim Team had 59 competitive swimmers, up from 55 from the previous year. In addition, we also had four coaches on staff: Alyssa Nutile (head coach), and assistants: Shannon Pietrasiewicz, Dan Saunders, and Anthony Squelgia. Nearly a third of our swimmers were new to Eastside Swim Team this year, but they all fit right in and were ready to compete in just a few weeks! We implemented a comprehensive stroke program for the first month of practice, in addition to slightly longer practice times, and the results speak for themselves!

## SEASONAL DUAL MEETS AND INVITATIONALS



Our team competed in seven dual meets this year, with three of them being at our home pool at Harborcreek High School. We also attended several larger invitational meets, including the Corry Swim Mania Invite, where our team came in first place and won the Swim Mania championship belt!

## EASTSIDE INVITATIONAL

We also hosted our own Eastside Invitational again in January this year, raising around \$8000 for our team which pays for a large portion of our operating costs. We were able to host 10 teams, with over 270 swimmers total competing at our meet. Our amazing team parents are to thank for running the meet, with sincere gratitude to our 17 team sponsors who donated money, goods, or food to aid our fundraising efforts.

# CHAMPIONSHIP MEET



At our league championship meet, our 8 and Under Girls and 9-10 Boys placed second overall in the league, and our 9-10 Girls and 11-12 Girls placed first in the league, out of a total of 10 teams! Our team placed 5th overall.

# DISTRICT AND STATE MEETS

At the Western PA YMCA District meet (where swimmers must meet qualifying times to attend), over half of our team qualified, with 31 swimmers making a district qualifying time and 29 swimmers attending. Multiple swimmers placed in the top 3 for the entire district in their events.

From the District meet, we then had 13 swimmers qualify to compete at States, with several individual swimmers ranked in the top 10 for their age group in the state.



# OTHER TEAM ACHIEVEMENTS

Although our season came to an abrupt end as the State Meet was cancelled due to the COVID-19 outbreak, we are still proud of our team this year. Every member of our team made huge improvements from the beginning of the season to the end, setting many personal records and meeting many goals they had set for themselves. In total, our swimmers set ten new team records this year, and we had an unprecedented level of practice attendance, particularly from our new swimmers. We laid some great groundwork this season to build upon in the coming year.

# DISTRICT RECAP

## Qualifiers:

Maddie Amon  
Taylor Amon  
Josh Bartlett  
Cooper Benson  
Delaney Bojarski  
Chloe Borrero  
Olivia Bulger  
Jaslene Cage  
Ben Camera  
Sara Chase  
Riley Eicher  
Maria Ewings  
Grace Freer  
Ty Galloway

Gavin Galbreath  
Elizabeth Golden  
Paige Goray  
Brennan Hart  
Kelly Hart  
Mara Hodges  
Addison Luce  
Ava Maloney  
Ava McManus  
Anna Mitchell  
Elijah Mitchell  
Haylie Montgomery  
Liam Satterthwaite  
Abby Strelecki

Mackenzie Tristan  
Rylee Vogt  
Morgan Wilhelm

## Relays:

9-10 Girls 200 Medley  
9-10 Girls 200 Free  
9-10 Boys 200 Medley  
9-10 Boys 200 Free  
11-12 Girls 200 Medley  
11-12 Girls 200 Free  
13-14 Girls 200 Medley

## Podium Finishes:

Taylor Amon  
4th in 9-10 Girls 200 Free  
7th in 9-10 Girls 100 Fly

Chloe Borrero  
2nd in 11-12 Girls 50 Back  
1st in 11-12 Girls 100 Free  
2nd in 11-12 Girls 100 Back

Jaslene Cage  
2nd in 9-10 Girls 200 Free  
1st in 9-10 Girls 100 Free  
2nd in 9-10 Girls 100 IM

Benjamin Camera  
3rd in 9-10 Boys 200 Free  
3rd in 9-10 Boys 100 Free  
1st in 9-10 Boys 100 Breast

Grace Freer  
7th in 13-14 Girls 400 IM

Elizabeth Golden  
1st in 11-12 Girls 50 Free  
3rd in 11-12 Girls 50 Breast  
3rd in 11-12 Girls 100 Breast

Kelly Hart  
12th in 13-14 Girls 200 Free

Liam Satterthwaite  
10th in 11-12 Boys 50 Breast

## Relays:

9-10 Girls Medley - 4th  
9-10 Boys Medley - 8th  
11-12 Girls Free - 2nd  
13-14 Girls Medley - 9th

# STATE QUALIFIERS

**Maddie Amon** – 11-12 Girls 200 Free Relay

**Taylor Amon** – 9-10 Girls 200 Medley  
Relay, 200 Free, 100 Fly

**Josh Bartlett** – 9-10 Boys 200 Medley Relay

**Cooper Benson** – 9-10 Boys 200 Medley Relay

**Chloe Borrero** – 11-12 Girls 200 Free Relay,  
100 Free, 50 Back, 100 Back

**Olivia Bulger** – 11-12 Girls 200 Free Relay

**Jaslene Cage** – 9-10 Girls 200 Medley Relay,  
200 Free, 100 Free, 100 IM

**Ben Camera** – 9-10 Boys 200 Medley Relay,  
200 Free, 100 Free, 100 Breast

**Riley Eicher** – 9-10 Girls 200 Medley Relay

**Grace Freer** – 400 IM

**Brennan Hart** – 9-10 Boys 200 Medley Relay

**Elizabeth Golden** – 11-12 Girls 200 Free  
Relay, 50 Free, 50 Breast, 100 Breast

**Mackenzie Tristan** – 9-10 Girls 200 Medley  
Relay