

Swim & Dive Summary Fall 2022 Season:

Gulf Coast Classic meet:

Baker was 5th overall beating Davidson, Faith, and Murphy.

More Results:

Girls 200 Medley relay placed 7th (Aaron Waldon, Alyse Jenkins, Addison Martin, Brooke Burroughs)

Boys 200 Medley relay placed 3rd (Andon Ellzey, Landon Liles, Henry Bylinowski, Mal Bryan)

Girls 200 yard Freestyle relay placed 7th

Boys 200 yard Freestyle relay placed 4th (.19 off the state cut, which must be made at the Sectional meet)

Andon Ellzey won the 200 yard and 100 yard Freestyle races with times of 1:51.30 and 49.72 (both sectional cuts & state cuts; however, state cuts must be made at the Sectional meet)

Sectional cuts made in 50 yard Freestyle by Mal Bryan (9th), Landon Liles (11th), and Henry Bylinowski, and Alyse Jenkins (7th), 100 yard Butterfly Henry Bylinowski (2nd), 100 yard Freestyle Landon Liles (11th) and 100 yard Breaststroke Alyse Jenkins (4th).

UMS-Wright meet:

Swim team competed against UMS-Wright, Davidson, and Saraland. The team placed 2nd combined, girls', and boys' rankings. Top finishers for the Hornets: 1st place – Andon Ellzey 200 yard IM & 200 yard backstroke, 2nd place – Girls & Boys 200 yard Medley relay teams (Aaron Waldon, Lily Cuesta, Alyse Jenkins, Brooke Burroughs & Andon Ellzey, Landon Liles, Henry Bylinowski, Mal Bryan), Alyse Jenkins 50 yard freestyle & 100 yard breaststroke, Henry Bylinowski 100 yard butterfly, and Boys 200 yard freestyle relay (Ellzey, Bryan, Liles, Bylinowski) and 3rd place – Ellie Parker (7th grade) 200 IM, Addison Martin 100 yard butterfly, Landon Liles 200 IM & 100 yard breaststroke. Kudos to the other team members who scored points for the team.

Battle over the Bay meet:

The Baker High School swim team competed against Fairhope, Gulf Shores, McGill-Toolen, Daphne, Spanish Fort, and Davidson. Baker placed 5th in the combined team scores, 5th in the girls' team rankings, and 6th in the boys' team rankings (with only 5 boys competing). Sectional qualifying times were made by: Alyse Jenkins (200 Yard Individual Medley & 50 Yard Freestyle), Andon Ellzey (100 Yard Butterfly & 50 Yard Freestyle), Landon Liles (500 Yard Freestyle & 50 Yard Freestyle), Lily Cuesta, Landon Liles, and Mal Bryan (50 Yard Freestyle), and Henry Bylinowski (100 Yard Freestyle). Several swimmers dropped time as well.

Fairhope Reddy Invitational meet:

The combined boys & girls' teams placed 3rd overall behind Fairhope High School and St. Paul's Episcopal School. The teams beat Enterprise High School, Cottage Hill Christian Academy, Spanish Fort High School, Baldwin County High School, St. Michael's Catholic High School, Orange Beach High School, Satsuma High School, Bayside Academy, Saraland High School, Foley High School, Murphy High School, Jackson High School, and Robertsdale High School. The girls' team was 3rd, and the boys' team with only four swimmers was 6th. Junior, Aaron Waldon qualified for Sectionals at this meet. Andon Ellzey placed first in the 100 yard freestyle with a time of 50.63 and 3rd in the 200 yard freestyle with a time of 1:53.68. Alyse Jenkins placed 4th in the 50 yard freestyle with a time of 27.91 and 3rd in the 100 yard breaststroke with a time of 1:16.52. The boys' 200 yard freestyle and 400 yard freestyle relays consisting of freshman Connor Burroughs, sophomore Landon Liles, and juniors Andon Ellzey and Henry Bylinowski placed 3rd.

Spooky Splash Swim & Dive meet:

The Baker Swim and Dive teams competed at the 8th Annual Spooky Splash. Diver, Madison Santos placed 2nd. The team placed 5th combined and individually as girls' and boys' teams behind UMS-Wright, Daphne HS, McGill-Toolen Catholic HS, and St. Paul's Episcopal School and beating St. Michael Catholic HS, Murphy HS, Bayside Academy, Fairhope HS, Saraland, and Faith Academy. Notable swims: Andon Ellzey (2nd in the 200 yard freestyle and 1st in the 100 yard freestyle), , Henry Bylinowski (3rd in the 200 yard Individual Medley), Alyse Jenkins (3rd in the 100 yard breaststroke), Landon Liles (4th in the 200 yard freestyle), Girls 200 yard freestyle relay of Brooke Burroughs, Lily Cuesta, Alyse Jenkins, and Aaron Waldon placed 2nd and their 400 yard freestyle relay placed 2nd.

UMS-Wright End of Season meet:

To cap off the regular season, the team swam again at UMS-Wright. The team placed 2nd combined and individually as girls' and boys' teams behind UMS-Wright and beating Saraland, Cottage Hill Christian, Bayside Academy, Murphy HS, Theodore HS, and Alma Bryant HS. Andon Ellzey placed 1st in the 50 yard freestyle (22.48 seconds) and the 100 yard backstroke, Landon Liles placed 1st in the 200 yard freestyle and 4th in the 100 yard freestyle, Alyse Jenkins placed 2nd in the 100 yard breaststroke and 3rd in the 200 yard Individual Medley, Henry Bylinowski placed 2nd in the 200 yard Individual Medley and the 100 yard freestyle, Aaron Waldon placed 4th in the 100 yard freestyle dropping 3 second and earning another sectional qualifying time. The boys relay team of Mal Bryan, Henry Bylinowski, Andon Ellzey and Landon Liles placed 2nd in the 200 yard and 400 yard freestyle relays.

Magic City Dive Invite:

Baker's two sophomore divers Bethany Griggs and Madison Santos competed at this meet in Hoover. Madison placed 1st in the 3 meter Ring 2 competition and 6th in the 1 meter Group B competition. Bethany Griggs placed 4th in the 1 meter Championship 1 competition.

Sectional meet:

Tatiana Avalos, Mal Bryan, Henry Bylinowski, Lily Cuesta, Andon Ellzey, Landon Liles, Alyse Jenkins, Addison Martin, Madison Santos, and Aaron Waldon competed in the Sectional Swim & Dive meet. The boys' team placed 11th out of 24 teams and the girls' team placed 14th out of 22 teams in 6A/7A. The boys' relay team of Mal Bryan, Henry Bylinowski, Andon Ellzey, and Landon Liles advanced to the finals in both the 200 and 400 freestyle relays – placing 6th. Both relays advanced to State. The girls' relay team of Tatiana Avalos, Alyse Jenkins, Addison Martin, and Aaron Waldon advanced to the finals placing 7th in the 200 free relay and placing 6^{5h} in the 400 free relay. Lily Cuesta and Aaron Waldon competed individually in preliminary competition. Both swam the 50 yard freestyle and Aaron Waldon also swam the 100 yard freestyle. Madison Santos placed 2nd in diving for the Hornets. In finals competition, Andon Ellzey placed 1st in the 100 yard freestyle and 2nd in the 200 yard freestyle. Landon Liles placed 8th in the 500 yard freestyle and 10th in the 100 yard freestyle. Henry Bylinowski placed 5th in the 100 yard freestyle and 14th in the 50 yard freestyle, Mal Bryan placed 16th in the 50 yard freestyle. Alyse Jenkins placed 5th in the 100 yard breaststroke and 7th in the 50 yard freestyle.

State meet:

Sophomore Landon Liles and Madison Santos, and juniors Mal Bryan, Henry Bylinowski, and Andon Ellzey, competed at the AHSAA State Swim and Dive meet in Auburn, AL. Madison Santos placed 5th in the 6A-7A dive competition besting 10 other divers and earning enough

points to place 48th of 51 teams. Andon Ellzey placed 2nd in the 100 yard freestyle and the 5th in the 500 freestyle, earning personal best times of 46:56 in the 100 and 1:41.91 in the 200. The boys 200 freestyle relay team of Andon Ellzey, Henry Bylinowski, Landon Liles, and Mal Bryan placed 9th and their 400 freestyle relay placed 12th. Personal best times in the 200 freestyle relay 50 splits for Ellzey (21.75), Bylinowski (24.00), Liles (24.93) and Bryan (24.99). Also, personal best times in the 400 freestyle relay 100 splits for Bylinowski (54.17), Liles (55.51), and Bryan (57.23). The boys 200 freestyle team placed 20th out of 53 teams in 6A-7A.

We had several social events this season. In August, several members of the team went bowling and in October, we met to carve pumpkins. We met in November at the Jenkins' home for a cookout and games.