



Edison Swim Team

2024 Season Information Parent Packet

REGISTRATION:

Please register your swimmer(s) on our [Charger Aquatics website](#). Registration will be open from today through **midnight on Monday, January 29th**. **Please do your best to register as soon as possible.**

Registering your swimmer(s) on our website is VERY important! We use this platform to verify contact information and to get your athlete's shirt size (this can be updated when entering your swimmer's information under the Apparel Sizing section). The booster club provides an athletic pack that will include one Edison t-shirt per athlete. We will be placing orders on **Friday, February 2nd**. **We cannot order the athletic pack shirts until we have your swimmer's shirt size.** Anticipated delivery will be approximately 2 weeks after our order is placed so please be as timely as possible.

The **\$200.00 donation (per swimmer)** helps cover the coaches' salaries, training equipment, and other necessities for the swim team.

You may donate using Zelle (ehsaquaticstreasurer@gmail.com), Venmo (@chargeraquatics), cash or check (payable to the **Charger Aquatics Booster Club**).

Mail checks to: **Charger Aquatics, P. O. Box 5084 , Huntington Beach, CA 92615**

ATHLETE CLEARANCE CARDS:

- The homecampus.com website is now the site for athletic clearance.
 - If you already have a Home Campus account and have difficulty logging in, trying resetting password...this is what I had to do.
- Concussion testing is emailed to students from the athletic trainer and **MUST** be completed as part of the clearance process.
 - Athletic Trainer email: jmorgan@hbuhd.edu
- **Clearance must be completed prior to the first meet or your swimmer(s) cannot swim.**
- **The last step of the process is to take your confirmation page from the HomeCampus site after you have completed your registration to the Finance window and pay the \$90 (per swimmer) transportation and conditioning fee (Check payable to Edison High School). One check per family if you have multiple swimmers.**

TEAM GEAR and EQUIPMENT:

- **Team suits:**
 - **Girls suit** - Black TYR suit with Edison hibiscus logo. Cost is \$62.95 plus tax.
 - **Boys suit** - Black TYR suit with Edison lighting bolt logo (same as last year for returning swimmers). Cost is \$36.95 plus tax.
 - **Suit fitting** - On deck Tuesday, Feb 6th or you can go to the store.
 - **You must order all suits directly through CAS**
 - Online store: [Edison HS | Competitive Aquatic Supply \(casswimshop.com\)](https://www.casswimshop.com)
 - Team Code **EHS (all caps)**
 - In person: 15661 Container Ln, Huntington Beach, CA 92649
- **Training Equipment:** Coach Whitmore will email a list to athletes
- **Edison Swim Parka and Spirit Wear:** Available via online [Lytle team store](#).
 - Open January 17 through February 4.
- **Personalized silicone swim caps:** Use this Google Form: [Personalized Caps](#)
 - Fill out 1 form per swimmer
 - Minimum is 2 caps; \$36 for both caps
 - Please order by Friday, January 26th to give us the best chance of having by the 1st meet.

PICTURE DAY: Scheduled for March 6th on pool deck

Seniors Banners - We will determine a day to take pictures for our Senior Banners soon.

SEASON CALENDAR: [2024 Meet Schedule](#)

- Highlights:
 - First day of practice is Monday, February 5th
 - Practice is **not** optional. It is 5 days per week.
 - Club swimmers and water polo players, please communicate with Coach Whitmore with regards to working out some days with your club team.
 - Spring break is April 11-15 and there will be practice
 - League prelims and finals are April 23 & 25, location TBD
 - CIF prelims and finals are May 1 through 4, location TBD
 - Boys Division 1; Girls Division 2
- The Swim Banquet will be at Harborside Pavilion (400 Main St, Newport Beach, CA 92661) on **May 22nd**.

ATHLETES - COACHES - PARENT COMMUNICATIONS:

- All communication is done by email or through the coaches to the athletes.
- Head Coach: Matt Whitmore - mwhitmore@hbuhd.edu
- Swim VP: Howard Lee - edisonswim@gmail.com
- The Edison Swim Instagram - [@edison.swimming](https://www.instagram.com/edison.swimming)

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES:

The Swim Program can only be successful with the support of all our Charger Families! Volunteers are a necessity for a variety of duties. Please review the volunteer opportunities listed below and see how you can help!

- **Photographers: Melinda Rees (Will's mom) and Kristi Boyd (Ava's mom)** have volunteered once again to be our primary photographers this year, but we welcome all parents to take pictures. The pictures will be used for the yearbook and the team banquet. You may post any pictures here: [Google Photo link](#). All photos posted by **March 15th** will be considered for the yearbook.
- **Senior Meet Chair & Senior gifts: Alicia Purvis (Chase's mom);** It would be great for all of our senior parents to be involved to make this last season and home meet a memorable one for your Senior swimmer.
- **Pink Meet Chair:** Need someone to take the lead in arranging the various aspects of the meet. This year we will be supporting one of our teacher's family.
- **Banquet Chair: Margaret Wonser (Kate's mom);** This is our biggest event of the year and we need a lot of hands, so the more volunteers the merrier.
- **Banquet Slideshow Coordinator:** Need a coordinator who will select the pictures accumulated throughout the season and turn them into a slide show which we will watch at the banquet.
- **Banquet Program Coordinator:** Need a coordinator who is familiar with photo editing and uploading and experience using some type of graphic design program like Canva. This is a wonderful keepsake of the season for everyone on the team
- **Banquet Program Ad & Letter Coordinator:** Need a coordinator who will work with the Banquet Program Coordinator, collecting and organizing the ads and coaches' and seniors' letters for the end of season Banquet Program.
- **EHS Yearbook Editor: Olivia Lee (swimmer)** will collect and organize girls and boys team pictures for the Edison High School yearbook. Photos for yearbook consideration are due Friday, March 15th
- **Apparel Coordinator: Christine Kim (Olivia and Holden's mom)** has been volunteered to coordinate the athletic packs and team store merchandise.
- **Fundraising Coordinator: Teri Emerson (Madison and Thomas's mom)** coordinates the fundraising efforts for swim and both water polo teams.
- **Snack Bar Chair:** Need someone to lead in making sure our snack bar is set-up and staffed for each home meet.

- **Timers and Lane Writers:** For each of our home meets, we need a head timer, lane timers (2 per lane; 6 lanes) and lane writers. Typically there will be 1st and 2nd half positions. More info to sign up for these positions will be sent out prior to the 1st meet.
- **Swim Meet Announcer:** TBD
- **Computer/Data Entry Operators:** TBD
- **Scoreboard Operators:** Maggie Easterday (Aaron's mom) has graciously agreed to help this year and train the next generation of scoreboard operators; Need 1-2 additional underclassmen parents.

CHARGER AQUATICS BOOSTERS 2023-2024

Charger Aquatics Boosters Executive Board

- ❖ **President:** Bill Boehm - ehsaquaticspres@gmail.com
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- ❖ **Swim VP:** Howard Lee - edisonswim@gmail.com