

**Current information about Bullard Swimming and Diving is on the team website at [bullardaquatics.org](http://bullardaquatics.org)**

January 20, 2026

Dear Knights Athletes and Parents,

Welcome to the 2026 Knights Swimming and Diving season! We are looking forward to working with you in practice and in competitions. You are signing up to be a member of a high school sports team and we take our effort seriously in this program. We accept all Bullard students on the swimming team. We are currently searching for a new diving coach. We expect your best effort to reach your full potential. Our team rules are straightforward. Workouts will be at the Bullard High School Aquatics Complex from 2:30 to 4:15 p.m. Monday through Friday each week starting on Tuesday, January 20, 2026 and continuing through the end of each athlete's season. We will be competing in CMAC 1, cross-over in CMAC 2, Invitational and Central Section CIF Division I.

- *You must be cleared by the athletic department before you can practice or compete. Family ID packets and physical examinations must be completed and verified by Mr. Gilbert, Bullard Director of Athletics, before you can participate in workouts or meets.*
- *You must attend all team practice sessions and competitions. If you cannot attend a workout session, your parent must text or email excusing your absence. After a second unexcused absence, you will be suspended from the team for two days. If you have a third unexcused absence, you will be removed from the team. Contact mobile (text) number is 559-448-7676. Contact email address is [rickklatt@gmail.com](mailto:rickklatt@gmail.com) . If you are not going to be at a scheduled competition, you must notify the coaches no later than 9:00 a.m. on that day at the above email address.*
- *You must represent Bullard High School and Knights Aquatics in a positive manner at all times. Good sportsmanship and good citizenship are requirements for members of this team.*
- *Hard work, a positive attitude, and support of your teammates are expected on this squad. If you are having a problem in any of those areas, the coaching staff will speak to you. If you do not improve, you will be asked to leave the team.*
- *In order to receive a Bullard High School Varsity Letter you must complete the entire season with the team, predominately in varsity competition.*
- *Current team information, updated schedules and results can be found at [bullardaquatics.org](http://bullardaquatics.org) .*

Team suits are mandatory for competitions. You will be provided with two team caps at the beginning of the season without charge. Additional caps will cost \$5.00. You are responsible for going online to Elsmore Swim Shop at <https://elsmoreswim.com/teams/ca/high-schools/bullard-high-school.html> to order your suits by Wednesday, January 28 2026. In addition to team suits and caps for competition swimmers will need goggles, a practice suit and a personal set of fins. All of this is available at Elsmore Swim Shop or other retailers online. If you are not sure of sizes you should go to Elsmore Swim Shop to make sure.

Sincerely yours,

Coaches Bonnie Orr, Kylie Wheelock-Barrios and Rick Klatt

I have read and understand the team rules:

Athlete signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent signature: \_\_\_\_\_