



Social Activity Traditions

Swim & Dive participants work hard and they also have a lot of fun! Through the years, the team has developed a bunch of fun and long standing social traditions within the swim season. Team bonding is a HUGE part of being on the swim team and most students remember their friendship long after they forget about their specific meets and times. Swim & Dive is a very welcoming and fun group of students, coaches and parents. Although none of these activities are mandatory, participation in them is super fun and highly recommended. These are the activities that make the team a community!

Hibbing Team Trip - Every February the boys swim and dive team takes a team trip to Hibbing, MN to participate in the Hibbing Invitational. Students stay at a local hotel and have planned activities in addition to the swim meet. The Team trip is an important bonding activity and one of the highlights of participating on the swim team. We highly encourage all students to participate in the team trip. Students can earn money to help pay for camp via fundraising.

Team Meals - A few times a year before upcoming meets or after a Saturday practice, the boosters host a meal at one of the boys houses. Senior families have the first option to host.

Senior night - Occurs at the last home dual meet of the season. At the end of the meet, the seniors are recognized on the pool deck by their coaches and fellow swimmers. Parents also participate by standing with their seniors while they are recognized.

[100x100s Fundraiser](#) - Each year the Richfield Boys Swim & Dive team does a 100x100 fundraiser during MEA. The boys swim to raise funds to help support the boosters and their own student accounts. JV boys swim a short amount of distance. After the fundraiser, breakfast is provided on the pool deck.

Junior Varsity Champs Dinner - A dinner for JV Swimmers that typically occurs the night before JV Champs. Generally hosted by one of the senior families.

Sections Dinner - A dinner for Varsity Swimmers that typically occurs the night before Sections. Generally hosted by one of the senior families.

Banquet - It has been the tradition of the Richfield Boys Swim & Dive team to have a formal banquet at the end of the season. The banquet includes dinner, awards, captains awards, and a team video/slideshow.