

Lee's Summit West Swimmer Chooses Ohio State

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Lee's Summit, MO - Junior Caleb Ellis has been swimming with the Lee's Summit West varsity team since his freshman year, and has decided that he will be attending Ohio State to continue after he graduates.

Ellis along with some of his teammates from Lee's Summit West put in a lot of work to refine their swimming.

He explains, "Me and some buddies, especially at West, we're in the pool six days a week, probably like two practices a day, and probably some weights."

This dedication has landed him at the top of this year's varsity team.

"I set almost every record this year except for two," Ellis says.

Ellis' achievements have earned him many college offers, but he finally made his choice of Ohio State.

Ellis discussed why he made his decision, stating, "I just really fell in love with the place right when I set foot. I really felt like I was welcome and I was already part of a new family."

Ellis will look to continue his success with his new team at Ohio State and eventually achieve his goal of competing at the Olympic level.