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PURSUIT SWIM LEAGUE JANUARY 2026 CIRCUIT Match One Points

Talons	- 5 points
Jets	- 4
Astros	- 3
Flames	- 2
Colts	- 2

KAMPALA. After topping the November / December 2025 circuit of the Pursuit Swim League, Talons are pushing for a great start to the year in the January circuit.

The record champions of the league held on Friday nights at British School of Kampala (BSK) - Muyenga, started off where they left by topping the first match of the January circuit last Friday.

The swimmers were allowed to do the personal best (PB) challenge in a 50m event of their choice.

Backstroke gains

Talons earned 20 scores through Charis Nanyunja (51.10) and Shawn Kimbowa (34.50) who chose to go for 50m backstroke.

But that first round belonged to Jets, who collected 30 scores. Adam Katumba struck an impressive 29.90 in the 50m

29.90
KATUMBA IN
50M

THE RELAY MUSCLE

Game Changers. While personal bests lit up the opening round, it was Talons' relay strength that proved decisive, with victories in both the 6x25m breaststroke and freestyle relays delivering a combined 100 scores and underlining why they remain the league's benchmark outfit.

Pushing Limits. Adam Katumba is in good form at the start of the year. PHOTOS BY MAKHTUM MUZIRANSA

Pursuit Swim League: Talons draw early blood in January circuit

back to make himself the man of the night while his teammates Francis Kiszawuzi (33.10) and Nadrah Nalukenge (40.10) got PBs in 50m freestyle.

Flames could only manage 10 scores through Daniel Musisi's 31.20 in the 50m butterfly. Abigail Ssegugya (40.80) and Hal Bujingo (36.70) also earned 20 scores for Colts from their 50m back exploits while Harel Busingo (42.60) and

Seth Mulo (35.10) also pushed Astros to 20 scores with 50m back and 50m free PBs respectively.

Scores all over

Talons collected a total 200 scores, thereby taking the five match points, on the night after topping the 6x25m breaststroke and free



BY THE NUMBERS

200

Total scores collected by Talons

180

Jets' total score on the night

50

Scores awarded for each

relay win

29.90s

Adam Katumba's standout 50m backstroke PB

5

Match points earned by Talons

relays which come with 50 scores each. They were second in the backstroke and fly relays, earning 40 scores from each.

Jets topped the fly and backstroke relays but third in the breaststroke (30 scores) and 4th in the free (20), so they ended the night in second place with 180 scores thereby taking home four match points.

In third place, with three points, were Astros, who collected 140 scores after finishing second in the breaststroke and free relays. They were third in the fly one but came bottom (10 scores) in the backstroke relay.

Colts and Flames tied on 90 scores and therefore took home two match points apiece.