Week of April 15 Newsletter





Click to view Meet Announcement & other important information if available

Training Schedule: (click to view)

Schedule Changes Week of April 15th

Tuesday April 16 – No Practice All Groups

Thursday April 18 – Location: Friendswood High School 4:45-6:15pm – Exploratory Advance Group B 6:10-8:00pm – Exploratory Advance Group A *All Other Groups on Regular Training Schedule*

Schedule Changes Week of April 22nd

Saturday April 27th – Location: Deer Park (LCM) TBA – Senior Performance & Senior TBA – Challenge & Exploratory Advance Group A

Saturday April 27th – Location: TBA TBA – Discovery Advance, Exploratory & Exploratory Advance Group B TBA - Summer Squad Kick Off

Always be prepared for dryland with running shoes & dryland clothes

Coaches'

Shark Talk - Q&A with Coach Tim

When: Saturday April 20 from 9:00-9:40am Where: Bleachers of Friendswood Natatorium

April 20 - SWIM-A-THON at Friendswood High School 6:45-9:00am

- Senior Performance, Senior, Pre-Senior, & Masters 9:00-11:00am
- Challenge, Exploratory Advance, Exploratory, Discovery Advance, & Discovery Pre-Team

April 28 - RICE Open Water

at Twin Lakes, Manvel TX

Qualified Swimmers: Challenge, Pre-Senior, Senior, Senior Performance and other swimmers by coach invitation

Final Entries

April 26-28 – <u>Bay Area Open In</u>vite

at Hometown Heroes Pool Qualified Swimmers: by coach invitation **Final Entries**

May 4 - Shark Invite at Friendswood High School Qualified Swimmers: All Sharks with 2 "BB" USA Time Standards or less

Final Entries

May 17-19 - Gulf Open Meet

at TBD by Gulf

Qualified Swimmers: All Sharks 13&Over and 12&Unders 3 "B" USA Time Standards or more

Preliminary Entries

Swat Timing & Official Help – As always Sharks families go above and beyond! Thank you to Jim McMichael who was a/o for Swat all four sessions. Ann Esbeck who stepped in as console operator for both PM sessions. To the Clepper, Pendle, Pendyala & Zamora families who either stepped in last minute to cover timing for a family that had to leave with a very sick swimmer or stayed and timed 2+ hours due to the meet running longer than scheduled.

Important News

Swim-A-Thon help – Parents, please sign up <u>HERE</u> to help lap count or help with food, based on session your child is participating in. You can also sign up to bring food/drink items for the swimmers post swim-a-thon through signup genius HERE

Swim-A-Thon 2019

We continued strong with our fundraising efforts. We currently have \$4,370 in online donations so far! We still have a long way to go to reach our goal of\$15,000.

The only way that people will give money to support our Swim-a-Thon is if you ask them! Write letters and emails asking people to make a donation to your cause, make phone calls to family and friends, and make personal visits to friends and local businesses. Send follow-up notes to remind your contacts about your upcoming event and make it as easy as possible for donors to support you.

This fundraising event is vital to our organization both <u>financially</u> and as a <u>team building event!</u>

Week two highlights

Top 3 overall performers thru 4/14:

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Ranking	Amount	Participant	
1	\$1,025.00	Hayden Holcomb	
2	\$470.00	Spencer Meyers	
3	\$275.00	Andrew Sugunan	

Practice group results thru 4/14:

Challenge leading the way - Can another group catch them & take the lead?

Ranking	Amount	Roster
1	\$1,825.00	Challenge
2	\$970.00	Senior
3	\$725.00	Exploratory Advance
4	\$400.00	Senior Performance
5	\$325.00	Exploratory
6	\$50.00	Discovery Advance

Top individual performers by Age Group - Week 2:

Ranking	Amount	Participant
10 & under	\$275.00	Andrew Sugunan (9)
11-14	\$200.00	Kara Boemio (14)
15 & over	\$125.00	Jordyn Waters (16)

Important Deadlines

Tuesday May 7 – Opt-In Deadline SWAT June Open Invitational

Tuesday May 21 – Opt-In Deadline FCST Summer Splash Sails Invite



Sharks April Birthdays

Kennedy Robert	$8-5^{th}$
Gavin Henderson-Crabtree	$6 - 6^{th}$
Kiera Hysler	$10 - 7^{th}$
Caden Cupisz	$10 - 8^{th}$
Crosby Pinkoski	$9 - 8^{th}$
Anthony Dong	$8 - 10^{th}$
Annabelle Fontanilla	15 – 12 th
Elliot Kessler	15 – 12 th
Addisyn Pendle	12 – 16 th
Giuliana Nguyen	$7 - 16^{th}$
Daniel Dickamore	11 – 18 th
Selim Mamoud	11 – 18 th
Isabella Nguyen	10 – 19 th
Kara Boemio	15 - 23 rd
Sophia Allis	9-30 th

Congratulations to our Week 2 Individual Top performers! Coaches will have gift cards for Andrew, Kara & Jordyn!

Important News

Sharks Hosted Meet - Saturday May 4th

Job signup now open <u>HERE</u> Times are APPROXIMATE, once we have a timeline with entries, approximately one week before the meet, these times WILL be adjusted. It takes many, many people to host a meet, we have almost 100 positions to fill. Since this is our hosted meet, we will need all families to signup, whether your swimmer is participating or not.

If you have a responsible teen that is looking to earn National Honor hours, please email hille6@yahoo.com directly for signup. I will also provide a record of their hours afterward in writing.

Please note positions have a 15 minute overlap to allow for handover, so please do not signup for different positions back to back. To see what each position entails please click <u>HERE</u>



Holiday Inn Express & Suites, Tupelo by IHG.

To reserve:

Click <u>HERE</u> Choose dates (7/29 - 8/4) and check availability. Choose from room with 2 queens from \$119/night or 1 king bed \$129/night.



Qualifiers

Sectionals (11)

Allie Vidinha, Joseph Lukner, Peyton Becker, Anjali Friedman, Maven Moore, Lezli Sisung, Sarah Szklaruk-Traipe, Jordyn Waters, Andrew Garon, Leah Givens, Erika Yeguez

Summer Southern Senior Zones (21)

Peyton Becker, Kara Boemio, Lauren Fitzharris, Anjali Friedman, Leah Givens, Angela Kapp, Alex Linden, McKenna Malone, Maven Moore, Abigail Nelson, Lezli Sisung, Sarah Szklaruk-Traipe, Emma Vestal, Allie Vidinha, Jordyn Waters, Erika Yeguez, Chase Ferguson, Andrew Garon, David Hensley, Joseph Lukner, Andi Jeanes, Stevie Balistreri, Spencer Meyers

SWAT & Ambush Meet Recaps – Coming Soon

Sharks All Time Top Performances (updated 4/16/19)

Team Records	Short Course Yards	Long Course Meters
Top 10 Individual	<u>Short Course Yards</u>	Long Course Meters
Top 5 Relays	Short Course Yards	Long Course Meters

USA Motivational Time Standards for 2017-2020 Age Group Champs Time Standards 2018-2019 Southern Senior Champs Time Standards 2018 TAGS Time Standards 2019 NCSA Jr National Time Standards 2019
Futures Time Standards 2018
Sectional Time Standards 2019

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