Week of March 21st Newsletter



Masks are strongly recommended at practice, but not required.

2021-2022 Practice Schedule Practice changes this week:

Thu Mar 24th – Stevenson Park Pool

No Discovery Advance practice No Swim Fit practice Sr & Sr Perf: 4:30pm-6:30pm Exploratory: 4:45pm-6:00pm Senior: 6:15pm-8:00pm Challenge & Pre-Senior: 6:15pm-8:00pm

Fri Mar 25th -FHS

Challenge: 6:30pm-8:00pm All other groups regularly scheduled practice

<u>Sat Mar 26th – FHS</u> Sr/Sr Perf – no pool practice 11:00-1:00pm-Sr/Sr Perf/Pre-Sr Volleyball at League City Sportsplex

*Always be prepared for dryland **with running shoes & dryland** clothes*

<u>Short Course Banquet – Exploratory & Up groups:</u> Volunteers needed, both before and during the event. Signup opens tonight at 7pm. Short course hours can be obtained by creating the table decorations. Long course hours for jobs at event. Signup <u>HERE</u> tonight 7pm

Short Course Service Hours: A friendly reminder that you have until March 31 to complete your Short Course Service hours for the following groups: Discovery Adv 1 & 2, Exploratory, Exploratory Adv, Challenge, Pre-Senior, Senior & Senior Performance. Many families completed their hours this last weekend due to working one or more shifts! Unmet hours will be invoiced to accounts on March 31st. You can check your service hours balance through my invoices/payments, click service hours at the top and scroll right to see the balance remaining.

Upcoming Events

Links will be highlighted in blue to click on and take directly to page on website.

<u>Mar 24th</u> – <u>Main Event End of Short</u> <u>Course Fun Event for Discovery Groups,</u> <u>Swim Fit</u>

Mar 26th – Sr/Sr Perf/Pre-Senior Volleyball at League City Sportsplex 11am-1pm (Contact your group parent rep to signup for food/drink donations)

Mar 26th – Fly Tune Up Clinic – for swimmers in Swim Fit, Pre-Team, Disc. Adv & Exploratory register <u>HERE</u> Cost is \$20, <u>clinic full</u>.

Apr 2nd – <u>Sr/Sr Perf RUSH RIDE</u> OPT IN by Mar 28th

Apr 2nd – Dives & Br/Fly Open turns clinic. For swimmers in Swim Fit, Pre-Team, Disc. Adv & Exploratory Cost is \$20. Register <u>HERE</u> Space limited

Sun Apr 3rd – <u>Short Course End of</u> <u>Season Banquet – Exploratory & Up</u> <u>Groups</u> Update Extra tickets <u>HERE</u> by end of today

Apr 9th – Swim-A-Thon Fundraiser Lead Organizers: Valerie Ellington (Valerie.ellington@gmail.com) Lindsay Hughes (Lindsaykhughes@gmail.com)

Apr 16th – Dives & Fr/Bk flip turns clinic For swimmer in Swim Fit, Pre-Team,Disc Adv & Expl. Cost \$20 register <u>HERE</u> Space limited

Apr 23rd – Kicking & Turns clinic For swimmers in Swim Fit, Pre-Team, Disc. Adv & Expl. Cost \$20. Register HERE

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<u>Sharks Summer Squad</u> – Registration is now open – All swimmers in Discovery Advance & Discovery Pre-Team groups will be invited to participate in the Summer Squad meets in June & July.

<u>Summer Squad Registration Is Now Open:</u> (for non-team swimmers) HERE



Audit Update: The audit committee was able to get together to do a review of Sharks Swim Club's financial processes and procedures. We had full access to all of the accounting books since the board was created in 2017. We were very pleased to discover that all of the paper documents were thorough and extremely well organized thanks to Laura Shipman. We did spot check verifications on randomly chosen expenses and line items throughout the years, which all checked out. We also did an overlay comparison of accounts, revenue, and profit. We checked monthly totals against each other looking for outliers or anything that may be of concern. While the committee offered a few suggestions, overall, Sharks passed this audit with high ratings of approval. I recommend anyone who is interested in learning more about how Sharks is operating to volunteer to be on a future audit committee.

Sharks Social Media – Links to follow:

Sharks Facebook <u>HERE</u> Sharks Instagram <u>HERE</u> Sharks Youtube channel <u>HERE</u> **Sharks All Time Top Performances (updated 12/21/21) Team Records:** <u>Short Course Yards</u> (updated 3/22/22) <u>Long Course Meters</u> Time Standards are linked <u>HERE</u> on our website



Qualifiers

Age Group Champs

Tanner Antley, Shahd Borji, Macey DeGroot, Adrianna Duncan, Ethan Ellington, Olivia Esbeck, Ayden Hilliard, Annaliese Hughes, Edi Jakob, KK LeBlanc, Caleb Livesay, Abigail Lowman, Vanessa Marsh, Ben Nendza, Hayden Nielsen, Lauren Tillman, Gabi Volpe

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Macey Degroot, Leighton Haver, KK LeBlanc, Ben Nendza, Gabi Volpe

Sectionals

Stevie Balistreri, Kara Boemio, Ethan Bonow, Macey DeGroot, Chase Ferguson, Leah Givens, David Hensley, KK LeBlanc, Spencer Meyers, Maven Moore, Abigail Nelson, Gabi Volpe

Southern Senior Zones

Stevie Balistreri, Kara Boemio, Ethan Bonow, Macey Degroot, Chase Ferguson, Christian Georgi, Leah Givens, Natalie Goza, Tristan Haver, David Hensley, Katie Hillegeist, Edi Jakob, Andi Jeanes, Katie Koenst, KK LeBlanc, Abigail Lowman, Paige McCray, Spencer Meyers, Braylynn Moore, Maven Moore, Abigail Nelson, Ben Nendza, Joe Nendza, David Szklaruk-Traipe, Lauren Tillman, Gabi Volpe, Caroline Westbrook

NCSA's

Stevie Balistreri, Kara Boemio, Ethan Bonow, Macey DeGroot, Chase Ferguson, Leah Givens, David Hensley, KK LeBlanc, Maven Moore, Abigail Nelson, Gabi Volpe

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