# Week of Oct 11th Newsletter



Masks are strongly recommended at practice, but not required.

# 2021-2022 Practice Schedule

#### Practice changes this week:

# Friday Oct 15th -

Expl Adv - 4:45pm-6:30pm

### Sat Oct 16th -

Sr/Sr Perf not in meet 7:45am-10:15am

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

<u>Coaches Corner:</u> A huge shoutout to all on the great success of our Nov 12th-Nov 14th - Sharks Nov Invite Capital Campaign – reaching well over our goal of 20k, that will be used Open to Disc. Adv – Sr Perf Groups for enhancement for the team.

To Sharks parents, swimmers, staff & others scared of trying new things (believe that would be all of us):

We all have times of uncertainty about trying new tasks, or looking bad, not having great success but with our youngsters I feel it's important that they realize/know they can learn a great deal more than they believe or we realize. As parents/mentors it's our role to model or help them see this. So, this story/example can be in another form/topic. Let's not keep our children/ourselves like zoo tigers all the time. As we know failure can be good.

## Chopsticks

Capital Sponsorship Campaign – Sharks Sponsorship Campaign update - CONGRATS!!!!! Sharks didn't just meet the goal, you SMASHED IT!!! We raised pledges of \$27,070!! We are finalizing all the forms, logos, and thank you letters with our Tax ID, so please allow a couple of weeks for those letters to make it to your sponsors. Also, we are gathering plans for a celebratory lunch for all those swimmers who obtained sponsors (regardless of dollar amount raised). Please reach out to Bethanie LeBlanc if you have any guestions. GREAT JOB!

directly to page on website.

Oct 15th-17th - SSAN Invite

Open to Pre-Senior, Senior & Sr. Perf aroups Final Entries HERE Itinerary HERE Timeline HERE

Heat Sheet HERE

Job Signup <u>HERE</u> – will open this evening at 7pm.

### Oct 16th – Developmental Meet

Discovery Pre-Team, Discovery Advance (other swimmers should speak to their coach) Preliminary Entries HERE Itinerary **HERE** Swimmingly ID's **HERE** Job Signup HERE – will open this evening at 7pm

Nov 5th-Nov 7th - SHAC Senior Meet 13 & Overs with 3 or more BB times & all 15 & overs Opt OUT by Oct 17

Opt OUT by Oct 31

**Dec 3<sup>rd</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> – 13 & Over Champs (for 13** & overs not qualified for Senior champs)

Dec 3<sup>rd</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> - Southern Senior Champs -Qualifying Swimmers Opt OUT by Nov 21st

Dec 10th-12th - 12 & Under Short Course Champs Opt OUT Nov 28th

Dec 17th-19th - Gulf Age Group Champs 14 & Unders with qualifying times Opt OUT by Dec 5th

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<u>Sharks Masters – Sharks Masters Program has resumed!</u> We have multiple practice options available – more details can be found HERE.



**SSAN Meet Job Signup** – Host is only requiring one timer per lane. Timers for Friday should stay through the end of the meet – and continue to time through the 500 free. Job signup will open at 7pm this evening.

<u>Developmental Meet Job Signup</u> – We are in need of six lane timers and some ready area personnel to assist with lining up swimmers. Timers must have the swimmingly app downloaded to their device to time. Signup will open at 7pm this evening. This meet is being hosted at FHS, so this is an opportunity to obtain service hours even if your swimmer is not in the meet.

# New USA Time Standards Achieved

AA – Paige McCray

A – Caleb Livesay

BB – Tanner Antley, Lily Anzaldua, Shahd Borji, Kiara Cassarino, Kathrin Dickamore, Sede Ekhaese, Ayden Hilliard, Hope Kadlecik, Debra Kitu, Hannah Kitu, Caleb Livesay, Hayden Nielsen, Sariel Nguyen

B – Lily Ainsworth, Arianne Andrepont, Sylvie Andrepont, Logan Atchison, Ethan Ellington, Avery Henry, Annaliese Hughes, Cameron Lowman, Charlotte Matthews, Kivy Moore, Streeter Moore, Julia Rupp, Andrew Sugunan, Kadence White.

#### Sharks Social Media – Links to follow:

Sharks Facebook **HERE** Sharks Instagram **HERE** 

Sharks Youtube channel HERE

Sharks All Time Top Performances (updated 8/17/21)

Team Records:Short Course YardsLong Course MetersCurrent Leaderboard:Short Course YardsLong Course Meters

Time Standards are linked **HERE** on our website

# **Qualifiers**

#### **Age Group Champs**

Tanner Antley, Macey DeGroot, Ethan Ellington, Edi Jakob, KK LeBlanc, Caleb Livesay, Abigail Lowman, Ben Nendza, Hayden Nielsen, Lauren Tillman, Gabi Volpe

#### Tags

Macey Degroot, KK LeBlanc, Ben Nendza, Gabi Volpe

#### **Sectionals**

Stevie Balistreri, Kara Boemio, Chase Ferguson, Leah Givens, David Hensley, KK LeBlanc, Spencer Meyers, Maven Moore, Abigail Nelson

#### **Southern Senior Zones**

Stevie Balistreri, Kara Boemio, Macey Degroot, Chase Ferguson, Leah Givens, David Hensley, Katie Hillegeist, Edi Jakob, Andi Jeanes, Katie Koenst, KK LeBlanc, Abigail Lowman, Paige McCray, Spencer Meyers, Braylynn Moore, Maven Moore, Abigail Nelson, Joe Nendza, Lauren Tillman, Emma Vestal, Gabi Volpe

#### NCSA's

Stevie Balistreri, Kara Boemio, Chase Ferguson, David Hensley, KK LeBlanc, Maven Moore, Abigail Nelson

#### **Futures**

Stevie Balistreri, Kara Boemio, KK LeBlanc, Maven Moore