

Baylor Swim Club Spring Parents' Meeting



Thursday, March 7, 2019 (6:00 PM)

The Summer Practice Schedule begins Monday, June 3, 2019-

Attached is the practice schedule for this summer. The coaching staff encourages all age group swimmers to attend both Baylor Swim Club practices and their CASL summer league team practices. Last summer practice will be Thursday, July 18 unless attending Futures, Nationals or Zones

Summer League for swimmers in the Senior, Senior 2 and Junior groups

- The schedule is set up so that kids can participate in summer league
- **IF THEY CHOOSE TO PARTICIPATE** - the kids do not have to if they do not want to
- This in no way can get in the way of normal training - ex - "Sorry Coach, missed morning practice because the summer league meet ran late"

AG and Developmental swimmers are encouraged to stay with Baylor in the summer for practices if possible.

Juniors, Senior 2 and Senior group swimmers are expected to attend all scheduled practices

Summer Fees

The fees for the summer will remain the same as they are during the school year. The developmental group is having a mini session in May that will be \$67 and \$77 for the 2day/3 day option. All members will be automatically enrolled in the May session unless you have already emailed Laura. Swimmers that were in the Upper School or Lower School groups during the school year will be moved to the Senior or Junior groups and pay those fees for June and July.

If you are planning on withdrawing for the summer months please email Laura Pitman by **Friday, May 3, 2019. If you do not withdraw by this date then members will be charged the fees for the summer months/session.**

Baylor Hosted Swim Meets for Summer of 2019

Arena Long Course Invitational- April 26-28, 2019

CASL Bill Caulkins City Meet- July 12-13, 2019

Volunteer Requirements for the final two USA Swimming meets of the 2018 - 2019 season: All families who have participated in the club this past season are required to fulfill the volunteer requirements at both of the meets listed above. *The requirements for the Arena Meet is 3 sessions for all those in the SR/Varsity, and JR. groups., while those in the Developmental and AG groups should work only 2 sessions.* Deadline to sign up for jobs is April 18, 2019

Please allow other members of your summer team to fulfill your team requirements as Baylor Swim Club will need our members for clerk of course, timing system, set up/takedown during the CASL City Meet

Recruiting-

Summer recruiting is a critical activity for our club. It begins with Summer Tune-Up clinic in April and May and runs through the CASL season. All assistance from parents is a tremendous asset.

CASL City Meet Championships 2019

- The CASL summer league championship meet is biggest recruiting days of the year for our club, and this year will be hosting the competition at Baylor so this year is equally important. The coaching staff will need tons of help for these events - ranging from getting the tent set up, manning the tent during the meet, and collecting prizes for swimmers during the meet. At your summer league meets please continue to talk up the Baylor Swimming program, and have interested members contact us and visit www.baylorswimming.org

You are our best representatives for bringing in new families. Encourage your friends in the summer to swim all year.

Please remember that recruiting swimmers that are currently registered with other USA Swim clubs is forbidden by USA Swimming. It is important that we follow the guidelines listed, as penalties for breaking these rules are actively being enforced by USA Swimming. If a family approaches you and they are currently on another USA club team please refer them to Dan, Laura or Brian.

Parent Reminders

Remember our coaches are professionals and know how best to instruct your child on technique as well as the events they need to be experience. Please refrain from coaching your child from the stands at practice, at home and at meets. As parents, your role is to take care of their basic needs and encourage them. Please leave the coaching up to his or her coach.

Questions about meet events and technique should be addressed before or after practices with the coach. If you need to get a message to your child's coach you may email them thru their baylorswimming.org account or you may contact the office and we will forward the message.

Communication

If your child is in the age group program (Dev, AG) and you have any questions regarding how your child is doing in practice, their development, and how they are progressing please feel free to email their coach directly or speak with him or her either before or after practice. Any questions regarding your child's progression in the Junior group should be directed to Coach Corrine Priest, members of the Senior 2 group should speak with Coach Jake Sosna or Coach Flack. Senior swimmers should address questions and concerns to Coach Flack. Questions pertaining to anything other than your child's development should be addressed to Laura. The newsletter will continue to be sent out on a weekly basis. This has made a big difference in our communication. Please be sure to keep the lines of communication open b/t Laura Pitman and Brian Gill. Sometimes good communication will solve many issues or problems. For updates / information during the summer, please continue to check www.baylorswimming.org and your email for the most up to date info. Laura is in the office on Monday evenings until 6:30 PM, for the summer she will be in on Monday mornings during the Dev, AG and Junior practice times. If you need to see her outside of those times send an email to lpitman@baylorschool.org. *You all have been great with your communication this year. Keep up the good work. Remember if you want to speak with a coach before or after practice send them a heads up so they will be sure to look for you*

Coaching Assignments for the Summer-
Senior & Senior 2- Dan Flack & Jake Sosna
Juniors- Corrine Priest
Age Group- Jessica Klotz
Developmental group- Chris Butler

Looking Ahead- Important Dates

August 5, 2019	Online registration opens for returning members- siblings new to the club will need to attend new swimmer evaluations. You will receive an email in July if your child is moving groups.
August 20 and 21, 2019	New Swimmer Evaluations 5-6 PM <i>(only for new members)</i>
August 29, 2019	Baylor Swim Club Practices Begin for the 2018-2019 Season
August 29, 2019	Baylor Swim Club Fall Parents' Meeting (6:00 PM)
September 5, 2019	Meet Volunteer Training 6-7 PM
September 9, 2019	Scratch Deadline for Fall Kickoff Classic
September 21-22, 2019	Fall Kick of Classic- <i>Baylor hosted meet</i>
October 15, 2019	Scratch Deadline for Martha Bass meet
November 2-3, 2019	Martha Bass Invitational- <i>Baylor hosted meet</i>
January 18, 2020	Southeastern Middle School Championships- <i>Baylor hosted meet</i>
February 8-8, 2020	TISCA State Championships - Knoxville, TN
TBA	SES East Regional Championships - <i>Baylor hosted meet?</i>

2019 Summer Practice Schedule

Practice Group	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Seniors	AM 6:30-8:30 PM 3:00-5:00 Have Fun at CASL Meet	AM 6:30-8:30 PM 3:00-5:00	AM 6:30-8:30	AM 6:30-8:30 PM 3:00-5:00 Have Fun at CASL Meet	AM 6:30-8:30	AM 7:30-10:30
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Juniors	AM 8:30-10:30 PM Have Fun at CASL Meet	AM 8:30-10:30 PM 5:00-6:30	AM 8:30-10:30 PM 5:00-6:30	AM 8:30-10:30 PM Have Fun at CASL Meet	AM 8:30-10:30	AM 8:30-10:30
Age Group	AM 9:00-10:30 PM Have Fun at CASL Meet	AM 9:00-10:30	AM 9:00-10:30	AM 9:00-10:30 PM Have Fun at CASL Meet		
Developmental	AM 9:00-10:00 PM Have Fun at CASL Meet	AM 9:00-10:00		AM 9:00-10:00 PM Have Fun at CASL Meet		

Hotel blocks for Long Course meets will be posted next week (March 11-15)

2019 Long Course Meet Schedule

Date	Swim Meet	Meet Type	Location	Scratch Deadline
April 26-28	Arena Long Course Invitational <i>Baylor Swim Club Hosted Meet</i>	OPEN: Senior/Varsity, Senior 2, Juniors, AG Developmental	Baylor School Natatorium	Tuesday, April 9th
May 17-19	Atlanta Classic Swim Meet	Selected SR/Varsity, SR2	Atlanta, GA	Tuesday, April 30th
May 17-19	Ensworth Aquatics "Officially" Summer Invitational	Developmental, AG, Juniors, SR/Varsity, SR2	Nashville, TN	Tuesday, April 30th
June 21-23	Richard Quick Invitational	OPEN: Senior/Varsity, Senior 2, Juniors, AG, Developmental	Auburn, AL	Tuesday, April 23rd
July 12-13	CASL Bill Caulkins City Meet <i>Baylor Swim Club Hosted Meet</i>	CASL Summer League Swimmers ONLY	Baylor School Natatorium	
July 18-21	Southeastern Swimming LC Championships	Qualifiers ONLY	Hunstville, AL	There is no scratch deadline for this meet, however all those that have achieved a qualifying time are expected to attend the meet. Swimmers will be entered in the meet if they have qualified for an event or events.
July 30- August 4	Phillips 66 National Championships	Selected Senior Qualifiers	Palo Alto, CA	
July 30- August 3	Southern Zone Age Group Swimming Championships	Selection by Southeastern Swimming	Cary, NC	
August 1-4	Futures Championships	Qualifiers ONLY	Greensboro, NC	