

SOUTHWEST AQUATIC TEAM NEW SWIMMER APPLICATION

Please ask for a current Club Handbook

What we need from you (Return Pages 3 through 6 to SWAT)

- 1) Completed Swimmer Application**
- 2) Completed & Signed Swimmer Code of Conduct**
- 3) Completed & Signed Parent Code of Conduct**
- 4) Signed Parental Authorization for Medical Emergencies**
- 5) Copy of Birth Certificate for Each Swimmer**
- 6) Check for**
 - a) Annual Family Assessment \$50 for 2009**
 - b) USA Swimming Registration \$60 per swimmer not registered for current year
the registration fee includes 2009**

CLUB FEES & DUES

Annual Fees

1. Annual Family Assessment..... \$50.00
This fee is used to pay for coaches travel expenses, relay fees, and swimmer incentives. For new members this fee is due with your USA Swimming registration fee. Other members will be billed each December.
2. USA Swimming Athlete Registration Fee \$60.00
This fee is required by United States Swimming (USA Swimming). It helps pay for liability insurance, operating fees and allows swimmers to compete at sanctioned USA-Swimming meets nationwide. It is an annual fee.
3. USA Swimming Non-Athlete Registration Fee..... \$60.00
This fee is required by USA Swimming for **non-athletes** who are involved with a USA Swimming team such as an official, coach, or some administrative positions.
4. Annual Fundraising Commitment \$100.00
5. Hosted Swim Meet Non-Participation \$25.00
This will be assessed for each meet **SWAT hosts**, which you do not have swimmers swim, and you do not support be working

Monthly Fees**

Workout Groups

Senior	\$60.00	15 and up	Green Group	\$45.00
Black Group	\$55.00	13-14 Yrs	Pre-Competitive Group.....	\$40.00
Blue Group.....	\$50.00			

Monthly fee discounts

Families with 3 or more swimmers will receive a \$15.00 discount.

** Monthly fees are pay our pool use fees coach's salaries, payroll taxes and operating expenses.

MONTHLY FEES ARE DUE BY THE 25th of each MONTH. You will receive a monthly statement in the mail. Any past due payments will be subject to a **late fee of \$25.00**. All dues **MUST** be paid in full or swimmers will not be allowed in the pool during workouts. People are expected to pay on a monthly basis, year-round, regardless of breaks or vacations. Please notify our treasurer (Tom Lore 471-1806 or tlore@handgards.com) **in writing before the first of the month**, if you no longer plan on swimming, or you will be charged for the entire month. Please **NO CASH** – checks preferred

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1) SWIMMER'S NAME

first _____ *middle* _____ *last* _____

Date of Birth *month* _____ *day* _____ *year* _____ Sex _____ *Male* _____ *Female*

School & Grade _____

2) SWIMMER'S NAME

first _____ *middle* _____ *last* _____

Date of Birth *month* _____ *day* _____ *year* _____ Sex _____ *Male* _____ *Female*

School & Grade _____

3) SWIMMER'S NAME

first _____ *middle* _____ *last* _____

Date of Birth *month* _____ *day* _____ *year* _____ Sex _____ *Male* _____ *Female*

School & Grade _____

PARENT'S NAME *first* _____ *last* _____

MAILING ADDRESS *street* _____

apartment _____

city, state, zip code _____

PHONE *home* _____ *work* _____ *cell* _____

E-MAIL ADDRESS _____

TELL US IF WE NEED TO BE AWARE OF ANY MEDICAL NEEDS OR CONDITIONS

EMERGENCY CONTACT *NAME* _____

PHONE _____

PAST SWIM TEAM AFFILIATIONS _____

ACHIEVEMENTS IN SWIMMING (*each swimmer*) _____

DATE OF ENROLLMENT (*each swimmer*) _____

USA SWIMMING REGISTRATION # (*each swimmer*) _____ *if past or current member*

SWIMMER CODE OF CONDUCT

I, _____ as a member of Southwest Aquatic Team, am part of a swimming organization that believes teamwork, integrity, respect and good sportsmanship are more important than winning. By signing this Code of Conduct, I agree to follow the rules for behavior and sportsmanship while I am a member of Southwest Aquatic Team.

1. I promise to show respect and common courtesies at all times to the team members, coaches, competitors, officials, parents, and for all facilities and other property used during practice and/or competition.
2. I promise to demonstrate good sportsmanship during all practices, competitions and team activities.
3. I will be an active participant in all team practices, competitions, fundraising events and other team activities.
4. I will come to all team sponsored events in appropriate attire.
5. I will respect the coaches' and officials' instructions and will make every effort to be on time for workouts, competitions, and team events.
6. I will refrain from using alcohol, tobacco, drugs, other prohibited substances, violence, defamatory, or foul language, inappropriate sexual conduct or any other behavior deemed dishonest, discourteous, offensive or disrespectful of others.
7. While on team trips, I will abide by the SWAT Code of Conduct for Travel.

PART 1 – GENERAL CONDUCT

The undersigned athlete/coach participating with/for the Southwest Aquatic Team agrees to abide by the guidelines outlined below in addition to those established by the staff. Any additional guidelines regarding conduct will be presented at the first team meeting.

1. All athletes are expected to follow the directions of the coaches.
2. Curfews established and distributed by the staff will be adhered to each day.
3. All swimmers and staff members are required to attend all team meetings and training sessions unless excused by the staff.
4. The possession or use of alcohol, tobacco, or non-prescribed drugs is prohibited.
5. Sexual misconduct and/or possession of pornography is prohibited.
6. Dishonesty, theft, and/or vandalism will not be tolerated.
7. Indiscreet or destructive behavior will not be tolerated.
8. Every effort should be made to avoid guilt by association with such activities as those listed above.

PART 11 – VIOLATION OF THE CODE

The coaches and chaperons have the power to impose the following penalties for violation of the Southwest Aquatic Team Code of Conduct. The penalties include, but are not limited to, the following:

1. The swimmer will forfeit his/her privilege of participating in future team travel events.
2. The swimmer will be sent home immediately at his/her own expense with travel arrangements to be made by his/her parents.
3. The SWAT Review Committee is responsible for reviewing any and all alleged violations of the Code of Conduct and for determining if any further disciplinary action is to be taken.

I agree that if I violate any of these rules, I will be subject to disciplinary action determined by the coaches, my parents and the SWAT Review Committee, which may include expulsion from the team.

PLEASE SIGN AND RETURN THIS FORM TO SWAT

I have read and understand SWAT's Swimmer Code of Conduct and have reviewed it with my parents or guardian before I signed this document.

Swimmer's Signature

Date

Parent's/Guardian's Signature

PARENT CODE OF CONDUCT

I/We _____ as parent(s)/guardian of a swimmer who is a member of the Southwest Aquatic Team, recognize that my child is a part of a swimming organization that believes teamwork, integrity, respect and good sportsmanship are more important than winning. By signing this Code of Conduct, I/We agree to follow the rules for behavior and sportsmanship while my/our son/daughter is a member of the Southwest Aquatic Team.

I/We promise to set the right example for our children by showing respect and common courtesies at all times to the team members, coaches, competitors, officials, parents, and for all facilities and other property used during practice and/or competition.

I/We promise to demonstrate good sportsmanship during all practices, competitions and team activities.

I/We will be an active participant in all fundraising events and other team activities and will encourage and support my child by permitting them to be timely for practices and competitions.

I/We recognize that SWAT's coaches are professionals and will allow them to coach my child without interference during work-outs and meets, including not being present on deck during practice or competitions unless I/We am working at a meet.

If I/We have a concern or problem, I/We will address it with the appropriate coach.

I/We will insist at all times that my child refrain from using alcohol, tobacco, drugs, other prohibited substances, violence, defamatory or foul language, inappropriate sexual conduct, or any other behavior deemed dishonest, discourteous, offensive or disrespectful of others.

I/We agree that if I/We violate any of these rules, I/We will be subject to disciplinary action determined by the coaches and the SWAT Review Committee, which may include my child's expulsion from the team.

I/We have read and understand SWAT's Parent Code of Conduct before I signed this document, and I agree to abide by the rules stated herein.

PLEASE SIGN AND RETURN THIS FORM TO SWAT

Parent's/Guardian's Signature

Date

Parent's/Guardian's Signature

*PARENTAL AUTHORIZATION FOR MEDICAL
EMERGENCIES*

In case of medical emergency and in the event I cannot be reached, I authorize the Southwest Aquatic Team, its agents, employees or other officers to procure and consent to any emergency medical treatment deemed necessary by a licensed medical doctor or dentist for my child.

Parent or Guardian

Date