

WALLENPAUPACK SWIM TEAM 2012

Welcome to the 2012 WLE Swim Team. Practices will be held Monday through Friday at Beaver Pool **beginning June 25th**. A parent meeting will be held at 9:00 a.m. on Friday, June 29, 2012 at the pool. ALL PARENTS are expected to attend.

PRACTICES: We will have 3 practices, same as last year. Session I - 8:30-9:30, Session II - 9:30-10:30, Session III - 10:30-Noon. The coaches will assign swimmers to practice sessions. Assignments will not be based on age. For the first practice, we ask swimmers 8 years old and under to attend Session I, ages 9-12 to attend Session II and swimmers ages 13 and up to attend Session III.

Schedule: We are still working on the meet schedule. We will post it on www.wleonline.org & Facebook when it is finalized.

Banquet – Friday, August 3rd at the Main Clubhouse (more information to follow).

Meets: All meets last about three hours. Parents/guardians are encouraged to attend each meet and to help as timers, scorers, ribbon writer, etc. Swimmers must sign up for each meet. The coaches will assign events. Should a swimmer sign up for a meet and fail to participate, the coaches reserve the right to prohibit the swimmer from competing in the next meet.

On inclement days, we will notify parents by email and Facebook, if you provide us with a current email address. We will notify the main office and post a sign at Beaver Pool. **No practices will be held in the indoor pool.**

Parent Participation – We cannot have the meets at home or away without a commitment from all parents to help. Since this is a volunteer program, we ask that all parents volunteer throughout the season. We need parents to volunteer as timers, runners, scorers, among other things. We will train you. If you are asked to assist, please do your best to help out.

Parent Requirements - In order to meet the minimum requirements a swimmer's family must:

1-Work a minimum of two (2) home or away meets.

2-Provide a baked good for the 4th of July Picnic which will be held on Saturday, June 30th. Baked goods should be dropped off at Rockledge by 12:00.

3-Provide a gift basket, item or cash for the Tricky Tray Auction to be held during Labor Day weekend on Saturday, September 1st, with an approximate value of \$25.00. The deadline to hand in the gift basket is July 20th, 2012. Swimmers will not receive an end of the season gift, if their family does not supply a gift basket. We expect one gift basket per family, not per swimmer. We ask parents to let us know their gift basket theme by July 6th, so that we can get a wide selection of baskets and avoid duplicates. Look for a signup sheet at the parent meeting and practices.

Parent Job Descriptions:

TIMERS: Stand at lanes and time swimmers with stopwatch. Record times on card.

RUNNERS: Collect cards from timers after each event and delivers to scoring table.

RIBBON WRITERS: Parents will be seated near scoring table to write events, time and name on ribbons. **SITTING DOWN JOB!**

SCORER: Sit at scoring table, record times from cards and tabulate team scores. Work with scorers from other teams. **WE NEED PEOPLE WILLING TO LEARN THIS JOB!**

50/50 RAFFLE: Sell raffle tickets at our home meets.

BINGO: Held at our main clubhouse on Saturday, May 26^h, 2012 at 6:30 p.m. Sell bingo boards and specials. Sell soda and chips at bar. Set up for coffee and tea. Clean up.

FUNDRAISING: Tricky tray auction which is held on Labor Day weekend on Saturday, September 1st . Obtain donations from local businesses.

BANQUET: Contact caterer for menu; collect money from family members who plan on attending and set-up/clean up Main Club House.

JULY PICNIC : We ask for a baked contribution from swimmers to sell in our Dessert Booth. Also, we will be in need of swimmers and parents to help sell baked items during the picnic, and also sell 50/50 tickets. This is a BIG fundraiser for the Swim Team, we need as much participation as possible.

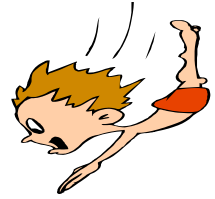
Clothing/Equipment sales: We will once again have bathing suits, goggles and swim caps available for purchase, in addition to other Swim Team items. If you wish to purchase a swim suit or other item, we accept cash or checks made to WLEPOA. Quantities are limited.

If you have any questions, kindly contact Nancy Moyer at (484) 919-1221, Jodi Oakley (570) 470-7776 or Brenda Roth (215) 896-7106

Also – don't forget that we now have our own email address for correspondence: wleswimteam@echoes.net and be sure to "Like" us on Facebook under the name "WLE Swim Team – Wallenpaupack Lake Estates"!!!!

GOOD LUCK TO EVERYONE FOR ANOTHER SUCCESSFUL SEASON!

PARENT PARTICIPATION FORM
This form must be signed and returned



There are jobs during the meet and season that require volunteer participation, please help us make our swim team fun and efficient by accepting our request for some of these necessary jobs: Timer, Runner, Ribbon Writer, Fundraising, 50/50 Raffle, Bake Sale, Banquet and Scoring.

SWIMMER'S NAME	SEX	AGE AS OF 7/1/12	DATE OF BIRTH
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

PARENTS/GUARDIANS NAMES _____

WLE ADDRESS _____ WLE PHONE NO. _____

HOME ADDRESS _____ E-MAIL ADDRESS _____

Do you have insurance? Carrier _____ Policy No. _____

PLEASE NOTE ANY MEDICAL CONDITIONS THAT THE COACHES NEED TO BE AWARE OF:
(i.e. asthma, diabetes, epilepsy)

EMERGENCY CONTACT PERSON AND PHONE# (OTHER THAN PARENTS/GUARDIANS)

I DO HEREBY RELEASE WLE AND ALL OTHERS FROM ANY AND ALL CLAIMS RESULTING FROM THIS ACTIVITY.

I hereby understand the obligations required of me as outlined above in the Parent Participation Requirements.

Parent's Signature

Date