

Naperville Tennis Club



Friday June 3, 2005

Welcome Back!

Time Trials – Saturday June 11

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Coaches Corner

Hello, and welcome to a new summer! Although we have lost a few swimmers from last summer, we have gained new families and I couldn't be more excited for the new season. Our coaching staff has also shrunk down, but just in quantity, certainly not in quality. For all the new families - my name is Ryan Whitsitt, and I'm the head coach. I have 6 coaches who will be helping me the whole summer and the 7 of us are so excited to pass our knowledge of swimming onto your children. Every child will get to swim a lot this summer and it should just be a blast. We might be small, but we will be a tight knit little family and it will be a great time. I look forward to seeing all the old faces and meeting all the new ones. Talk to everybody real soon!!

-- Ryan

Coaches Receive Honors at Naperville North

Spring Sports Award Ceremony: Kristin Bertram was named as one of next season's Girls Water Polo Captains. Kristin will also be one of the Swim/Dive Team captains next fall. David Gerstle, who was both a Boys Swim/Dive team and Boys Water Polo team captain, was named as Outstanding Male Scholar Athlete, the award given to the male athlete who both competed in at least two sports all four years and had the highest GPA of this group of male athletes.

All-School Awards Assembly: David Gerstle received the Outstanding Communication Arts Student Award.

Time Trials

"Time Trials" is a practice meet. It's the best way for the coaches to get base times for each swimmer. It is also a good way to "work out the kinks" as officials, meet workers, and even the swimmers, get a little practice before our first "real" meet on Tuesday June 14. Concessions will be available during Time Trials.

Time Trials are next **Saturday, June 11 at 8:30am**. Warm ups begin at **7:45**. We need help in the physical set up of the meet. Anyone who could help should be at the Club by **7:00am**.

Practice Schedule

With school ending Wednesday our swimmers will begin morning practice as follows:

- 7:30 - 9:00 am 11 & Older swimmers
- 9:00 - 9:45 am 8 & Under and 9/10 swimmers
- 9:45 - 10:15 am 6 & Under swimmers

*** Check out the Orca website at www.racquetcluborcas.com ***

Pep Rally

To start out the season right we will hold a Pep Rally Monday, June 13 at the Tennis Club Parking lot at 6:30pm. We will be serving brats, hot dogs, chips for everyone and ice tea, water, and lemonade for the swimmers. Parents – BYOB! The pool will be open to the swimmers at the end of the pep rally. We will eat and socialize, introduce our coaches and hear inspiring words from them, and then watch the team do the celebrated “ORCAS’ DANCE”. After all that fun, the swimmers will go and play with the coaches and the parents will have a short informational meeting. All activities should be finished by 8pm.

The cost is \$5 per person. Please complete the Pep Rally form below and return it to the pool by TimeTrials (June 11). Forms can be put in the “PEP RALLY” box which should be at the counter on the pool deck during practice if the coaches are doing their jobs properly! Sign ups for salads, fruit and desserts will also be at the counter.



Picture Day

Our team pictures are scheduled for **Wednesday, June 15 at 8:30am**. Swimmers need to arrive no later than **8:15am** wearing their suits and team t-shirts. There will be no regular practice that morning. The evening practice will still take place.

Fun Fridays

We are looking for 4 volunteers for each Friday to provide about 3 dozen snacks or drinks. The snacks need not be expensive or elaborate, but please . . . no candy or gum. Individually packed snacks can be given to Ryan early in the week, rather than on Fun Friday if that is easier for you.

If you would like to volunteer to bring in treats for the kids sign up at the pool counter or please contact Margaret Gerstle (phone: 357-9615 or email: letlive@ameritech.net.) The dates are: June 10, June 17 and 24; July 8, 15, and 22. Thanks!

Water Polo

If your child is interested in playing water polo (and honestly, who isn't?) please talk with coaches Erin Bertran and David Gerstle who are heading up Orca Ball. The High School clinic is held Sundays 6:30 – 8:00pm and the Junior High clinic is Wednesday 7:00 – 8:00pm.

Pep Rally Reservation Form



Family Name _____

Attending _____ x \$5/person = Amount enclosed _____

Checks should be payable to “Racquet Club Swim Team”

Time Trials Workers

Referree/Announcer/Starter	L. Bertram
Relay Judge/Relief	G./J Boyce
Stroke Judge	K. Hammer
Turn Judge	Mc Kee
Timer lane1	Holzhauser, Ed
Timer lane1	Remec, Greg
Timer lane1	Remec, Linda
Timer lane 3	Sauer, Charlie
Timer lane 3	Sauer, Kathi
Timer lane 3	Deely, Tom
Timer lane 5	Sieber, John
Timer lane 5	Goralski, Mark
Timer lane 5	Autry, Mark
Back up Timer	Givler
Runner	Autry, Sandy
Computer- Event Sheet	Terrell, Michael
Computer - Input	Bertram, Ken
Ribbons	Van Hooser, Angela
Ribbons	Goralski, Peggy
Concessions- 1st Shift	Monroe, Mark
Concessions - 1st Shift	Fallon, Tim
Concessions - 1st Shift	Fallon, Trish
Concessions - 1st Shift	Martin, Janice
Concessions - 1st Shift	Mills, Marda
	Terrell, Pam
Concessions 2nd Shift	Mankowski, Diane
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Park District Rep	Mankowski, Craig

Upcoming Events

MONDAY June 13 – Pep Rally!

TUESDAY June 14 – First meet @ Neuqua

WEDNESDAY June 15 – Team Pictures at Racquet Club

SATURDAY June 18 – OUR FIRST HOME MEET!!