Watertown Parks & Recreation Department

Watertown Town Hall, 61 Echo Lake Road, Watertown, CT 06795 860.945.5246

Watertown Recreation Swim Team

2021-2022 Celebrating Our 50th Continuous Season!



Registration Requirements

Participants Na	me:					
Date of Birth:	Age:_	School:		Grade:		
		Shirt Size (Always go larger & include Youth <u>OR</u> Adult):				
Address1 :						
Town:				_ZIP		
Address 2 <u>:</u>						
Do you have of	her participants (same fa	mily) registered for t	his program? Names:			
Telephone:		Cell:				
Mother's Name	<u> </u>		Mom's Cell :			
Father's Name			_Dad's Cell:			
EMAIL - Requi	red					
Emergency Co	ntact Name:		Relatio	nship:		
Emergency Co	ntact Numbers:					
Allergies, Spec	ial Needs:					
Is There Anythi	ng Else The Coaching St	aff Should Be Aware	e Of:			

FEE SCHEDULE	RESIDENT	NON-RESIDENT	
Swimmer	\$594.00	\$745.00	
Each Additional Swimmer – from same family	\$494.00	\$645.00	
High School Swim Team Member - BOY	\$288.00	\$388.00	
High School Swim Team Member* - GIRL	\$373.00	\$473.00	

Acknowledgement and Photo Waiver

You are required to read the following information very carefully and make sure that you understand it fully and sign it before participating in this program. I am fully aware that the activity and program I or my child is choosing to participate in may result in risk of injury or harm. On my own behalf or my child's behalf, and on behalf of my personal representatives and heirs, successors and assigns, I hereby release, indemnify and save harmless the Town of Watertown and/or WRST, its officers, employees, designees, consultants, agents and directors (hereinafter representatives) from all claims and liability of whatever nature arising from any act, omission or negligence or otherwise of the Town of Watertown and/or WRST or its representatives, including any injury to any person or any property of any person. This indemnification and hold harmless agreement shall include indemnity against all costs (including without limitation, reasonable attorney fees and court costs), expenses and liabilities incurred in, or in connection with, any such claim or proceeding brought thereon and in defense thereof. I have read and understand this release, indemnification and hold harmless from. I voluntarily sign it and hereby give permission for the Town of Watertown staff and/or WRST to administer basic first aid and seek appropriate medical assistance for the participate listed. Periodically we will take photos of children engaged in Watertown Recreation Swim Team activities. Pictures will be taken throughout the session. I understand that my child's photograph and first name and/or last name may be used in documentation on the WRST website. Photos and names may also be used in publications, i.e. flyers, local newspaper, or in a presentation. USS introducing Watertown Recreation Swim Team to programs similar to ours. By signing this I authorize pictures of my child being taken.

Payments ~ NEW!:

1. Go to www.watertownctrec.com

To set-up your household account, register and pay

OR

 If you wish to register in person: Watertown Parks and Recreation Department, 61 Echo Lake Road, Watertown, Connecticut 06795

Signature:_____

Todays Date:

I, the parent/guardian of the listed participant, have had time to read, digest, ask questions and understand the Registration Requirements and Policies, Procedures & Protocols for the program.

Swimmers Name:	Date:
Parent/Guardian Name (please print):	

Parent/Guardian Signature:_____

OFFICE USE ONLY						
Date Paid: Split payment? Yes No <u>Remaining</u> Balance Due: \$ Method of Payment: CC/Debit	Amount Paid: \$ To Be Paid on or before 10-25-2021 Cash Personal Check Money Order					
Staff Member's: Notes:						

NOTE: *The higher price for high school girls reflects the longer swim season In establishing fees, ALL staff members are Town of Watertown employees and paid on an hourly basis.

Watertown Recreation Swim Team

Celebrating Our 50th Season!



Policies, Procedures & Protocols for the 50th 2021-2022 Season

IF THE SWIMMER IS NOT FEELING WELL PLEASE DO **NOT** BRING HIM/HER TO PRACTICE MASKS WILL BE WORN AT ALL TIMES BY PARENTS AND SPECTATORS INSIDE THE BUILDING

WHAT'S INVOLVED: The Watertown Parks & Recreation Swim Team was started in 1972! Yahoo! It is a Competitive Swim Team, with weekly practices and swim meets.

NEW SWIMMERS: Tryouts are Tuesday, September 21 OR Thursday, September 23 from 5:30 to 6:30 PM. New swimmers will be evaluated their first week of practice and will be placed accordingly.

PRATICES: Practice schedule will be based on times & ability. Returning swimmers will be notified prior to start date as practice time slot. This will help all kids work on the skills they need to advance and improve. Practices are held weekdays - Monday through Friday. Practice starts Monday, September 27th for all swimmers

SEASON: The Swim Team season runs from September to the beginning of March*.

ALL SWIMMERS:

- A. Swimmers will report for practices and meets to the Watertown High School Pool, 324 French Street, Watertown
- B. All swimmers will enter and exit the pool via the Deck Doors
- C. Swimmers will report to Practices & Meets wearing their bathing suits. They may change out of their suits to go home.
- D. Swimmers will Social Distance while on the pool deck and in the pool. Must wear face mask when not in water.
- E. Coaches will allow a limited number in the restrooms/locker rooms at any time.
- F. Swimmers will not share equipment. Each swimmer must provide their own equipment: Kick-Board, Goggles, Fins, etc. PLEASE put swimmers name on all equipment,
- G. To reduce exposure to others, swimmers may swim in COHORTS.

RETURNING SWIMMERS:

We'd like to remind everyone that the fees for the 2020-2021 season were **<u>greatly</u>** <u>**reduced**</u> due to the shorter season and no "In-Person" Swim Meets and associated fees for weekend meets.

The 50th Anniversary 2021-2022 Registration fee schedule includes restored home Swim Meets and the Championships, which include Fire, Police, Custodial Services, and Yankee Swim League fees.

SWIM MEETS:

A. Meets may be virtual this season.

SPECTATORS: Anyone NOT registered with the program will not be allowed in the school facility. This includes the pool deck, spectator's area or inside the school during practices and meets.

PAYMENT: Establish your Household on <u>www.watertownctrec.com</u>. We accept MasterCard, American Express, Discover, VISA. If paying in-person at the Parks & Recreation office we also accept personal checks, money orders and cash. The Watertown Parks and Recreation Department does offer an optional Installment plan. Please note that final payment is due on or before **October 25, 2021.**

REFUND POLICY: There is a \$10.00 cancellation fee for refunds if requested before October 01, 2021; A \$50.00 cancellation fee if refund is requested from October 01 to October 16, 2021. Beginning October 17, <u>no</u> refunds will be issued.

COVID-19 PROTOCOLS - SAFETY FIRST:

A. We will follow all local Torrington Area Health District, Connecticut Department of Public Health, Center for Disease Control, CIAC, the Town of Watertown & Watertown Board of Education guidelines and protocols.

DURING THE PROGRAM:

IF THE SWIMMER IS NOT FEELING WELL PLEASE DO **<u>NOT</u>** BRING HIM/HER TO PRACTICE

- A. If a swimmer develops symptoms during practice they will be isolated and parent/guardian will be notified
- B. The parent/guardian must provide a Doctor's Release for the participant to return to the program the next day *or* wait 48 hours before returning to the program.

CONSTANT REMINDERS:

- A. The staff members will be reminding the participants to maintain Social Distancing.
- B. Encourage frequent handwashing after returning from activities, play and especially before eating.
- C. Group sizes will remain limited though out the session and if necessary COHORTS will be established.
- D. Good respiratory hygiene practices will be enforced.
- E. Staff members will be sanitizing before and after practice each day.
- F. If the swimmer is not feeling well, please do not bring him or her to practice or meets

TENTATIVE PRACTICE SCHEDULE FOR 2021 ~ 2022 SWIM SEASON:

AGE	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	TOTAL
8 & Under	5:00-5:45	OFF	5:00-5:45	5:00-5:45	OFF	2hr 15min
9&10	5:45-6:30	5:00-6:00	5:45-6:30	5:45-6:30	OFF	3hr 15min
11 & 12	6:30-7:30	6:00-7:00	6:30-7:30	6:30-7:30	5:00-6:00	5hr
13 & Up	7:30-8:30	7:00-8:30	7:30-8:30	7:30-8:30	6:00-7:15	5hr 45min

How to Register ~ Go To:

Watertownctrec.com

OR

Register In-Person at the Watertown Parks and Recreation Department Please contact us with any guestions 860.945.5246

Watertown Human, Social & Leisure Services ~ Your Quality of Life Department

* Pending COVID-19 Pandemic restrictions and reassessments * * In the event of a complete shut down due to COVID-19 a Pro-Rated refund would be issued.