

WATCHING A PRACTICE

The Dolphin-Lasers have an open door policy for all practices and encourages parents to observe practices periodically. Through the years we have noted several parents become workout partners, carpoolers, and best friends just from the time they share during practice. Some will-organize socials, file ribbons, and have helped with administrative needs during the practice sessions.

When you do watch a practice we ask a few things from you:

- a. Sit on the side of the pool and not close to the start end.
- b. Do not coach your child during practice; this distracts and contradicts the coach's job.
- c. Do not coach your child when they come home; this is a sure way to create pressure and confusion.
- d. Do not talk to the coach during practice.
- e. If you have questions or comments talk to the coach after practice or by e-mail, or by phone during office hours.
- f. Discuss all disciplinary problems and training concerns with your athletes primary coach first. If you feel this will not resolve the matter take the issue to the head coaches, Coach Keith or Coach Tay.