



King Aquatic Club
PO BOX 885
Auburn, WA
98071-0885
o 253.334.6907
www.kingaquaticclub.com

Dear KING Families,

The Swim-a-Thon® is KING's only fundraiser! Its purpose is to raise funds for your swim club and help keep training fees down.

Last year's Swim-a-Thon® raised over \$43,000. While it was a huge success, it could have been better as only half of KING's swimmers participated. This year's goal is to have 100% participation. With that said, the Swim-a-Thon® will be preceded by a kick-off "letter writing" party. KING will host the party Saturday, March 17, 2007 at Mill Creek Middle School Cafeteria in Kent, during which time swimmers will sign form letters and address envelopes to out-of-town relatives and friends, and anyone else, asking for sponsorship. IswimUSA and KING have provided raffle prizes. We will still have the traditional USA Swimming Swim-a-Thon® pledge packets available from your pool representative. The actual Swim-a-Thon® event will be conducted during the week of April 16 through April 21, 2007 at the various training sites during normal practice times. Be sure to check the KING website for accurate date and times. TYR again will be our Swim-a-Thon® sponsor providing some great fundraising prize levels.

We encourage you to support your swimmer(s) and get heavily involved in this year's event. Raising money for the club through fundraising is a great way to keep your swim fees low. Our club has evolved to one of the best, if not the best, values within USA Swimming. In fact, due to the success of our swimmers, KING has been awarded the Gold Medal ranking under the USA Swimming Club Excellence Program for 2005 & 2006. This award is the highest achievement a team can receive. Points are awarded based upon swimmers who are ranked in the top 150 in the world in their respective events. This point system resulted KING in being ranked fifth overall in the United States for 2006! For a moderate sized team, this recognition is impressive. KING's coaching staff is second to none in terms of experience and commitment to the training of your swimmer(s). Let's keep the momentum going and strive to make KING even better. To that extent, we look forward to your participation in this year's Swim-a-Thon®

Sincerely,

Eric Lindblad
President - King Aquatic Club

Sean Hutchison
CEO & Head Coach - King Aquatic Club



MEMBER CLUB