



General Information and Daily Procedures

Tryouts, Team placement and Advancement

Tryout procedures

- Try-out days: Tuesdays and Fridays at 5:30pm
- Swimmer will be asked to demonstrate all 4 strokes
- They will be placed in a group based on skill level (If we feel they need additional lesson, additional information will be provided)

Advancement Procedures/expectations

- Age and previous experience
- Level of maturity and personal responsibility
- Space availability
- Level of commitment
- Practice attendance
- Times

Tsunamis Swim Team Weather Policy is as follows:

Please do not call the pool office to see if the pool is open.

If it is only raining: All groups will train at their normal times.

If there is thunder and lightning in the area (within 10 miles), we **must** exit the pool and get off the pool deck as soon as possible. TST will handle this occurrence as follows.

1.If storms are passing through, we will wait up to 1/2 hour into a practice before deciding to cancel a group.

- For example, if the pool is closed at 5:00 p.m. we will wait until 5:30 p.m. to cancel the groups. When the storms are being caused by a large system and weather looks to be the same over a longer time, we will cancel practices in a reasonable fashion.

2. If a storm comes through while we are in the pool and there is 45 Minutes of practice or less, children will be dismissed from practice.



3. If the storm comes in while there is more than 45 Minutes of practice left, we will pull the team out of the pool, until we can safely re-enter the pool, or practice is called off.

4. Big storms and Tropical Weather - When a tropical storm is approaching Tsunamis Swim Team will follow the same policies as schools. No school, no practice.

How to sign up for swim meets:

You can do this right from your OnDeck app or by signing into your account through the team website.

Once logged in you will see. A list of the swim meets the team will be attending.

For each meet you will need to click the attend/decline button. This will allow you **to commit** or **not commit** your child to the meet.

If you have more than one child swimming you will see them listed on this page.

*Please RSVP even if you are NOT attending. This lets us know you did not forget and that you really will not be there.

** ONLY SWIMMERS COMMITED WILL BE ENTERED

(Registration deadline is usually set for a week prior to the meet itself. Some meets, such as championships, may be further away than the actual meet.)

Travel Meets:

Every now and then we may have to travel for meets. These involve staying overnight for competition due to distance from home to the swim meet.

Travel can be done as team travel and or family travel pending actual swim meet specifics.

All travel fees are to be paid in full before traveling.

Swimmers of ages 18 and younger may NOT drive themselves to travel meets.

ALL swimmers must have a signed code of conduct on file before traveling.