

Gulliver Prep Travel Trip Information

Important Documents (turn in hard copy to Coach John directly).:

[Loggerhead Code of Conduct and Medical Release Form](#)

Dive Boat Release Form TBA (will be updated on the website, dive site has yet to send it)

Coach and Adult Chaperone Contacts:

All of our Coaches and Chaperones are USA Swimming registered and have taken the proper Athlete Protection courses.

John Hulvey – 352-284-4193 – coachhulvey@loggerheadaquatics.com

Eric Jacob - 904-521-9460 – coachjacob@loggerheadaquatics.com

Evan Jacob – 904-424-3991

Alex Bird – 904-687-6363

Waine Cardinal – 904-616-9050

Room Checks and Buddy System:

At all times, swimmers must be in a two person or more buddy system. This includes what you might find the most menial task, restrooms, hotel lobby, etc. Not debatable.

Only swimmers assigned to the hotel room will be allowed in the hotel room, regardless of gender/relation/etc. We will tape doors at 10pm each night. If the seal of the room is broken in the morning the whole room gets to return to Jacksonville early. If you have a non-emergency situation and you need to leave the room – contact the coaches/chaperones. If you have a true emergency, follow proper steps AND contact the coaches/chaperones.

Failure to adhere to these policies will result on a long uncomfortable car drive home with your mom or dad after they drive down to get you.

Meals:

Originally, Dinners and Breakfasts were the only meals going to be covered on the trip as we usually have enough down time to go out for lunch. After planning the itinerary, Saturday and Sunday lunches were much easier to do group orders, so there will be a small charge added to accounts after we get these orders in.

Friday Lunch – Packed lunches to take on the bus. Please be aware we have swimmers with nut allergies. Also, the bus company doesn't allow shells (sunflowers, peanuts) or gum on the bus as well as drinks that cannot be resealed.

John Pennekamp Coral Reef State Park:

The entrance to the park has already been paid for in the travel trip dues. There is snorkeling right off shore along with two man made beaches. Cannon beach has an old Spanish shipwreck right off shore. All of that is free and swimmers will be chaperoned on the beach the whole time.

For those that want to take the snorkeling up a notch, there is a snorkel boat that we can take run by the State Park Service. It will be \$25 per swimmer (cash) and we will need to give them a head count prior. Other dive gear is available for rent, including short wet suits for \$6.00. I can't guarantee there will be enough room for everyone but will find out once we get the head count. Please know there will be an additional waiver for this from the dive shop side. It can be found on the top of this document in the important forms. Swimmers will be chaperoned on this by coaches as well as dive staff. Water

depth is roughly 20ft and shallower at the reef. Wet suits and snorkel gear can be rented at the dive shop for additional fees should you need it. Water temp this time of year is around 75 degrees. If weather isn't good enough, we will scratch to boats and go from the beach only.

What to Pack?:

\$10 Cash to Coach John for Tip Money (Bus, Delivery, etc) Will be collected as we board the bus.

Practice Suite 1-2

Towel 1-2

Tech Suit 1-2

Goggles 1-2

Snack Money / Snorkel Money

Lightened Mesh Bags (Fins/Snorkel/WaterBottle/Paddles)

Shoes !!!

Apparel:

As this is a TEAM travel trip – ONLY Loggerhead team apparel should make its way onto the bus. You aren't representing your high schools or major league sports teams.

Friday – Championship TShirts of your choice – White Sweatshirts

Saturday – Green Loggerhead Shirt (Pool and Beach)

Sunday – Blue Loggerhead Shirt

Itinerary:

Friday 2/14/20

10:30am	Load Bus at Julington Creek Plantation Rec Center <u>350 Plantation Club Parkway, St Johns, FL 32259</u>
10:45am	Depart for Ransom Everglades School <u>3575 Main Hwy, Miami, FL 33133</u>
2:00pm	Reststop
5:30pm	Arrive Ransom Everglades – Dryland
6:00pm	Swim Practice at Ransom Everglades
7:30pm	Depart for Holiday Inn Express Hotel & Suites Miami-Kendall <u>13475 SW 131st Street, Miami, FL 33186</u>
8:00pm	Dinner at Hotel & Check In Havana Harry's (Cuban – Chicken, Beef, Rice, Beans, Veggies)
9:30pm	Room Checks
10:00pm	Lights Out

Saturday 2/15/20

7:00am	Breakfast at Hotel Bar
7:30am	Depart for Gulliver Preparatory School <u>6575 SW 88th St, Pinecrest, FL 33156</u>
8:00am	Warm Ups
9:00am	Meet Start

1:00pm Firehouse Subs after last event / on Bus
1:00pm Depart for John Pennekamp Coral Reef State Park
102601 Overseas Highway, Key Largo, FL 33037
2:00pm Arrive John Pennekamp
2:00pm Snorkeling / Beach for 2.5-3hrs
5:30pm Depart John Pennekamp for Holiday Inn Express
13475 SW 131st Street, Miami, FL 33186
6:30pm Arrive Holiday Inn Express
7:30pm Dinner at Hotel
Olive Garden (Lasagna, Chicken Parmesan, various pastas, salad)
9:30pm Room Checks
10:00pm Lights Out

Sunday 2/16/20

7:30am Breakfast at Hotel
8:00am Load Bus / Check Out
8:30am Depart for Gulliver Preparatory School
6675 SW 88th St, Pinecrest, FL 33156
9:00am Warm Ups
10:00am Meet Start
2:00pm Publix Subs / Chicken Tenders after last event / on Bus
2:00pm Depart for Julington Creek Plantation Rec Center
350 Plantation Club Parkway, St Johns, FL 32259
5:00pm Reststop / Snacks
8:00pm Arrive Rec Center for Pick Up

NO MONDAY AM Practice – 2/17/20