

## **Blue Dolphins FAQ's for new families**

### ***Does it matter what site I register with?***

Yes- If you are Winter Park, register with that site. If you are Oviedo, register on that site. [www.bluedolphins.com](http://www.bluedolphins.com) for Oviedo.

### ***How do we join?***

After the tryout the swimmer will be placed into a group to try for a week and then they are welcome to join after the week tryout. Then you go online and click the start registration tab on the left.

### ***Is there a registration fee?***

Yes, USA/FL SWIM of 99\$ due when registering. All swimmers will have to re-register In August for \$99. This covers insurance, USA swimming, Florida Swimming, Blue Dolphins and a cap. All swimmers will re-register for 2021 in August of 2022.

### ***is there Autopay?***

Yes, when you register, you will add a cc to the account which is used for all monthly invoice fees. All fees are processed on the first of the month and you do not have an option of manually paying.

### ***What fees are involved?***

1-Monthly set fee of coaching and pool rent. 2-Meet fees when participating and are determined by the meet host. All meet fees can be found on the meet information and usually run about \$20-\$50 per meet. 3- Occasional special activity or item. This is not common and could be things like a special travel trip or equipment. 4- Your swimmers training equipment. You can buy this anywhere and it is not invoiced.

### ***How do we sign up for meets?***

There is a new parent meet information link on the registration tab. All meet entries are done online through the website.

### ***How many days should my swimmer attend?***

recommended per week - pre flips=2, flippers = 2, bronze = 3, silver = 4-6, senior=6

What equipment is needed?

pre flips - goggles and cap, fins. flippers - goggles and cap, fin. bronze -sneakers, fins, snorkel, and paddles. silver - fins, snorkel, paddles, senior - fins, paddles, snorkel.

### ***When can I drop off or pickup my child?***

Just before practice and pick up at the end. Outside of those times, the kids are unsupervised..

### ***How do meets work? -***

Lots going on so don't be overwhelmed. Look at the registration tab and there is a new parent meet manual.

### ***How do you determine what group my child is in?***

There is a list of group requirements under the groups tab on the website.