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MARLINS OF RALEIGH

"DEVELOPING CHAMPION ATHLETES AND CITIZENS THROUGH COMMITMENT TO EXCELLENCE IN SWIMMING"

MOR TO HOST REAGAN MARTIN ROCKS SWIM MEET (FORMERLY B/C STATES)

214 MOR swimmers are set to compete at the Reagan Martin Rocks Meet (formerly B/C States) at Pullen Aquatic Center. A lot of information has been sent out so please follow that info.

Warmup times:

Saturday:Session 1- 9-10s Swimmer check in 7:15am
Session 2- 8-U Swimmer check in 10:20 AM
Session 3-11-12 Swimmer check in 1:00 PM,
Session 4- 13O girls Swimmer check in 4:10 PM,
Session 5- 13O boys Swimmer check in 6:25 PM,
Sunday:Session 6- 9-10s Swimmer check in 7:15 AM,
Session 7- 8-U Swimmer check in 10:10 AM,
Session 8- 11-12 Swimmer check in 12:50 PM,
Session 9-13O girls Swimmer check in 3:55 PM,
Session 10- 13O boys Swimmer check in 6:20 PM,

Volunteers check in will be right by temp check station or right inside the door of the building- depending on weather.

Pick up/Drop off-10-under Session and 11-12 Session there will be a MOR parent sitting outside by the EXIT door to monitor your child not walking into street. You can pick up in drop off/pick up area. There will be an attendant at the parking lot as well.

Parking: Main lot, coaches, officials, Pullen staff only- the lot will be used as a circular drop off/pick up area. Parking for anyone who plans on staying in lot to watch are encouraged to go up to the top lot. With expected nice weather this weekend, the park will be quite full.

Building Flow: 9-10, 11-12, 13-over

Swimmers will ALL line up in the balcony area and enter the pool deck for events by Lane 8 EXIT. When they EXIT the pool, they will exit by walking towards Lane 1 and over to the coach's area. Please remember to keep kids socially distanced and have them warm down after events instead of congregating in that area. The flow of the building up and down will be Clockwise. Swimmers on deck will EXIT the pool area by the Lifeguard room and go up the stairs in the hallway to get to the balcony. **Building Flow for 8-unders:** All events will still be staged in the balcony area and the flow will be the same except during the 25's. This is still a work in progress. We are adding some folks to the meet for the 8-under session explicitly for the 25's. We cannot move baskets onto the bulkhead as we will start from the blocks. So, swimmers will put their items in a basket behind the blocks. Lanes 1-4 baskets will be by Lane 1 Bulkhead at the end and 5-8 will be by Lane 8 off of the bulkhead after their swim. So, Lanes 1-4 will EXIT the bulkhead towards Lane 1 and 5-8 will EXIT towards Lane 8. The "time takers" on the bulkhead will give your swimmer a temporary mask when they EXIT the pool until they get to their basket. They can keep it or throw it away. **COVID:** Maintain 6 ft distance apart while in the building. Swimmers sit on your X in your assigned area. Wear a Mask in and out of building, bring a plastic bag with your name on it for mask behind blocks. **Team Attire**: Shirts -Saturday grey, Sunday black. Caps-Silver, Suits-black Speedo. Bring

a healthy snack, hydrate and be ready to swim fast, cheer loud and have fun!

44 MOR SWIMMERS SET TO RACE AT SENIOR SECTIONALS

44 MOR Sr. Swimmers will race in Cary this weekend at what is shaping up to be one of the fastest Senior Sectional Meets in the country! Additional details on the meet are posted on the event page on our website and were sent out via email. We will send out warmup times via email as soon as available. All COVID protocols will be in place. Top 32 qualify for finals, with D final being 18&under. Dress warm and bring a healthy snack. Follow pre/post-race routine. Have fun and race hard! Let's be the loudest team in the building with great cheering! Swimmers should sit near the front row on the East main competition side of pool.
Team Attire:Caps: white – prelims, black – finals, Tshirts: thurs – white, fri – white, sat – blue/gray, sun – black.
Warm-Up Times:
Thursday LC TT AM – 7:50arrival, 9:30start; PM – 4:00pm arrival, 5:30pm start
Friday A flight – 9am start Arrival TBA
Friday B flight – 1:15pm start Arrival TBA
Saturday A flight – 9am start Arrival TBA
Saturday B flight – 1:30pm start Arrival TBA
Sunday A flight – 9am start Arrival TBA
Saturday B flight – 2pm start Arrival TBA
ALL Finals Sessions – 6pm start, Arrival 4:35pm
Swim Fast and have fun.

MOR FINISHES 3RD AT NC AG CHAMPS!

71 Marlin swimmers represented MOR at the NC 14 and Under Age Group Championship this past weekend in Cary and swam to a strong 3rd place finish! The top five scores were Swim Mac 3586.66, Tac 2093, **MOR 1202.66**, Wave 1060.66 NCAC 608.5
5 MOR swimmers won events including: Devon Whitlock, Shayna Elgart, Chloe Light, Kaylee Dietrich, and Jack Slawinski. 11 other MOR swimmers scored in the top 8 are: Mattaus Rammel, Isabella Grossi, Lucy Hefner, Raston Sharron, Ronan Cornpropst, Hudson DeGroote, John Wallace, Kieren Ng, Christian Smith, Chance Bacon, and Clara Carson.
Congratulations to MOR's Shayna Elgart for winning the 11-12 high point award! Congratulations to all swimmers! The next meets up for these swimmers are Age group sectionals and Tarheel States. Make sure to look for signups on the website for the March meets BC States and Tarheel States.

SWIM-A-THON TOTAL REACHES $78,000!!

Our Swim-A-Thon total has passed $75,000 with just 4 days left to raise money. A big thanks to all who have donated. Donations are now final and our total was over $78,000. Overall Winner: Ivylynn Spruiill $2540, 2nd: Lorelei Schmidt $1790, 3rd Annabella Carter $1730.00, 4th Connor Nguyen $1410. Group Winners; North Raleigh AG3 Silver $10,819 2nd North Raleigh AG2 $7,787. 3rd North Raleigh AG1 $6,882. Towels have been ordered and will arrive end of March or early April. Thanks for all those who have already pledged to support MOR this year.

DEADLINES

CHAMPIONSHIP COUNTDOWN

March 4-7	Sr. Sectionals	Now
March 5-7	B/C States	Now
March 11-14	AG Sectionals	1 week
March 19-21	Tarheel States	2 weeks

TENTATIVE SCHEDULE
(TENTATIVE UNTIL HOSTS CONFIRM THEY CAN HAVE MEETS SAFELY)

March 4-7	Sr. Sectionals-Cary
March 5-7	MOR B/C States-Pullen
March 11-14	AG Sectionals-Cary
March 19-21	Tarheel States-Cary
Mar 29-April 4	Spring Break
April 17-18	Fitter/Faster Clinic-Silverton
April 24	MOR Awards Ceremony
May 14-16	Atlanta Classic-Winter Jr cuts (tentative)
June 4-7	US Olympic Trials Wave 1-Omaha
June 13-20	US Olympic Trials Wave 2-Omaha
June 19-20	MOR Liberty Meet-Optimist
July 9-11	MOR LC Qualifier-Optimist
July 15-18	NC AG Champs-Cary
July 22-25	NC Sr. Champs-Charlotte
July 30-31	Tarheel States-UNC