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Red Bank YMCA Swim Team Tryouts

Swim team try-outs will be held in July, 22nd

This tryout is for any competitive swimmer interested in gaining a spot on the Red Bank swim team for EITHER the Red Bank or Camp Zehnder/Wall practice locations.

Registration forms can be downloaded from our website www.aquarockets.com and brought with you the night of tryouts.

Registration will begin at 2:00 PM

A registration fee of \$10 will be collected the night of try-outs. *Please print out the Membership Waiver, and bring the signed copy that night.

Please be on deck by 3:00 PM for warm-up.

Your child should know how to swim **ALL** 4 strokes

Who Needs to Tryout?

Any competitive swimmer interested in gaining a spot on the Red Bank swim team for either the Red Bank or Camp Zehnder/Wall year-round practice locations.

What if my child can't be there?

There will most likely be additional try-outs within the next few months. Please check our website for dates and times. Official times from an electronic timing system MAY be accepted in lieu of try-outs if the swimmer cannot be present.

What should we bring?

Your child should bring a bathing cap, towel, goggles, a water bottle, healthy snack and preferably wear a racing suit.

What events will my child swim?

Age for the short course YMCA meets is determined by the child's age as of December 1st 2018. So, children who "age up" on or before 12/1/2018 must try out for the next age group. For example, some children who swim as an 8 year old during the summer will have to try out as a 9 year old if their birthday is on or before December 1st 2018.

- 8 and unders will swim 25 yards of freestyle and 25 yards of two other strokes they choose. They will start in the water.
- 9 and 10's will swim 50 yards of freestyle and 50 yards of two other strokes they choose. For the 50 yard swims they can start in the water, at the side of the pool or on the starting block.
- 11 and 12's will swim 50 yards of freestyle and 50 yards of two other strokes they choose.
- 13 and overs will swim 100 yards of freestyle and 50 yards of two other strokes they choose.

When will I find out if my child made the team?

Invitations for placement on the 2018-2019 Short Course Swim Team will be emailed within two weeks after tryouts. Please do not call the swim team office to find out results before they are mailed, and be aware that the front desk at RBY will not have any detailed information about tryouts or the results of tryouts. The front desk can only repeat to you what is written in the program book.

If you have any questions regarding this try out, please contact jtruscio@cymca.org

