**WELCOME to YMCA Swim Team 2018-2019**

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| The Triple Splash Committee is a group of parents that volunteer to help the PCY Swim Team, Tigersharks summer swim team, High School swim team and now USA swim team run efficiently, make sure swim team needs are met, and plan fundraising for the teams.  We meet once a month with the coaches to discuss the needs of the swim team.   If anyone has any questions or has any ideas, we would love to hear them!  If you are interested in joining the board please let us know so that we can fill positions as they become available!President  - Caren Beckett   email:  carenbeckett@gmail.comVice President - Joan Giesken   email:  jgiesken16@gmail.comTreasurer - Michelle Giesswein   email:  giesswein8265@yahoo.comSecretary - Dana Nelson  email: nnelson3@woh.rr.comHead Official - Julie Knott  email:  jknott2314@gmail.comBoard Members at large - Joyce Utrup, Ken Horstman, Amy Utendorf, Amanda StechschulteCoaches - Breanne Schroeder and Lisa MetzgerY Rep - Amanda Schroeder |
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What we do: Meet monthly to discuss needs of the swim team(s). Support coaches in needs for the swim team. Conduct fundraisers to purchase needed equipment for the swim teams. Oversee the Summer Swim team program. Organize volunteers for all home meets. Organize and oversee Championship Meet held each year at BGSU in March

What we do not do: set the fees for winter or USA swim teams. Make hiring decisions for coaches on the swim teams. Get paid for the volunteering we do. 😉

Fundraising – We currently do 2 fundraisers for our swim teams throughout the entire year. Summer swim BBQ chicken dinner teaming with the Lions Club and YMCA Winter Swim Champs at BGSU in March.

Last swim season we implanted a “pay back” for our parents to helped work at Winter swim Champs at BGSU in March. We are able to credit families over $3,000 this swim season due to the volunteer hours worked. We will continue this program this swim season. Parents working at swim champs will earn money per shift worked to be applied to the following year PCYMCA swim team registration. You are ­required to work a minimum of 2 home swim meets to qualify to earn money as a volunteer at champs.

Winter swim champs raises a large amount of money for our team each year and is important for us to be able to support additional needs throughout the seasons. This event allowed us to purchase much needed equipment needed for the continuing needs of the swim program.

Purchases made… New starter, touchpads, speakers, portable timing board, pace clock, fins, etc. Your fundraising efforts have also helped to make a donation to the YMCA to purchase the baffles in the pool area.

Without all volunteers helping to support our team we would not be able to have the success and number of swimmers we have.