

York Manor Makos Swim Team Policies



VOLUNTEERS

Each family is needed to volunteer at swim meets. You can sign up for volunteer positions through Team Unify. We have a large swim team and depend on our parent volunteers to help the meets run smoothly. We cannot successfully run meets without the support of our Mako families. Families should volunteer a minimum of three times during the swim season.

FOOD TABLE & DONATION

York Manor Makos will have a food table at each home swim meet with snacks, drinks, and candy for sale. Please contact a director if you would like to donate to the food table.

CLERK OF COURSE

Each swim meet needs multiple Clerk of Course volunteers to assist in lining up younger swimmers for their events. This consists of organizing the 10 and under swimmers by event, heat, and lane number.

DECLARING SWIMMERS FOR MEETS

Each swimmer's attendance must be declared for each swim meet. You can declare your swimmer through Team Unify. Please commit to swim meets as early as possible so coaches can create the lineup for the meet. If you know of vacations or other conflicts, log in to Team Unify and declare your swimmer as unable to attend the swim meet.

If your swimmer is not declared for a meet, you will receive an email to remind you to declare as soon as possible.

Coaches are unable to keep track of verbal commitments for swim meets, please use Team Unify to declare/undeclare your

swimmer(s) or send an email if there is a swim emergency the day of a meet (yorkmanormakos@gmail.com). We are unable to add undeclared swimmers to a meet the day of as the lineup has already been created.

SWIM PRACTICE ETIQUETTE

Parents, swimmers who are not practicing, and siblings must remain off the pool deck and playground during practice (unless the pool is open). Coaches are available before and after practice. Your swimmer should attend their appropriate age group practice unless otherwise discussed with the coaches.

SWIM MEET ETIQUETTE

Questions or problems that arise during the meets should be directed to the swim team directors. Do not approach officials during the meets. Please exhibit good sportsmanship toward all YMSC swimmers as well as our opponents. We ask that everyone stay until the meet is over to cheer for teammates. During our away meets, follow the away team's pool rules and clean up any trash when you leave.

RELAYS

Depending on the meet, relays will either be posted during the meet or announced by the coaches at some point during the meet. During our most competitive meets, we will most likely only have one relay for each event.