



Mini-Stingrays

Children who can swim 25 meters unassisted should register for the regular swim team.

This group is designed for swimmers who are close but not quite able to swim a full 25 meters on their own. Swimmers in the Mini-Stringrays group must be able to swim unassisted in deep water. Mini-Stringrays will not be entered into a meet until the coaches determine they are able to swim 25 meters unassisted. The goal of this program is to enter all Mini-Stringrays in a meet by the end of the season.

Appropriate candidates for Mini-Stingrays must:

Have some prior experience (lessons, etc.).

Be at least 5 years old.

Be comfortable swimming in the deep water **unassisted**, as this group will be practicing in the deep well.

Be able to swim at least 15 meters unassisted.

Mini-Stingrays 8:45-9:15 and 7:45-8:15

Please be advised the Mini Stingrays will not move to regular practice. Once the swimmer can complete a full length of the pool, they will be invited to participate in the swim meet but will continue at the same practice time.

If a child does not meet the minimum requirements for the Mini-Stingray Program, the family will be offered the opportunity to sign up for two swim lesson sessions or be eligible for a refund of the swim team registration fee minus a \$15 processing fee and the \$14 AAU Membership Fee. No refunds are available for Westminster Pool Family Membership.