**Sports Physicals**

High School swimmers are required to submit a sports physical to be eligible to participate in a Department of Defense Education Activity sanctioned athletic program. Sports physicals will be submitted to the High School Liaison and the school nurse. Additional information will be provided by the liaison to parents and/guardians of high school swimmers.

**Note - If you have any medical accommodations and/or allergies you can note that in your swimmer's TU profile under MY ACCOUNT, ACCOUNT INFO, MEMBERS, Medical Information/Notes field. The Registrar as part of her review will forward that information to the Head Coach for each season.**

**Waiver and Release of Liability**

Please read carefully before signing. Please complete one form per family. In consideration of my child(ren) being allowed to participate in any way in the Stuttgart Piranhas Swim Team program, related events and activities, the undersigned acknowledges, appreciates and agrees that:

1. Although Stuttgart Piranhas Swim Team rules, equipment, training and discipline are designed to avoid any injury, the risk of injury from the activities involved in this program is significant, including the potential for permanent paralysis and death.

2. On behalf of my child(ren) and for myself, I KNOWINGLY AND FREELY ASSUME ALL SUCH RISKS, arising out of, related to and resulting from participation in this program, both known and unknown, EVEN IF ARISING FROM THE NEGLIGENCE of the Stuttgart Piranhas Swim Team, their officers, officials, agents and/or volunteers, other participants, sponsoring agencies, sponsors, advertisers, USAG Stuttgart, and if applicable, owners and leasers of premises used to conduct the event (RELEASEES) or others, and assume full responsibility for my children(s) participation to the fullest extent of the law.

3. I willingly agree to comply with the stated and customary terms and conditions of the Stuttgart Piranhas Swim Team By-Laws for my child(ren) participation. If, however, I observe any risk of injury or death which is not inherent in the program while my child(ren) participates in the program, I will remove my child(ren) from participation and bring such to the attention of the nearest official immediately.

4. I, for myself and my child(ren) on behalf of our heirs, assigns, personal representatives and next of kin, HEREBY RELEASE AND HOLD HARMLESS, the RELEASEES WITH RESPECT TO ANY AND ALL INJURY, DISABILITY, DEATH, or loss or damage to person or property, WHETHER ARISING FROM THE NEGLIGENCE OF THE RELEASEES OR OTHERWISE.

5. I hereby certify that, as the parent or guardian for my child(ren), I have legal responsibility for and authority to sign this WAIVER AND RELEASE OF LIABILITY on behalf of my child(ren). I further certify that I have read this WAIVER AND RELEASE OF LIABILITY in full, understand the same, and have signed it voluntarily and without any duress or coercion.

6. I hereby assign and grant to Stuttgart Piranhas Swim Team (SPST), as well as their authorized representatives, the right and permission to use and publish the photographs/film/electronic representations and/or sound recordings made of me or my child(ren) at all official SPST functions/activities, and I hereby release the SPST and all employees, volunteers, related parties, or other organizations associated with the activity from any and all liability from such use and publication. I further authorize the reproduction, sale, copyright, exhibit, broadcast, electronic storage, and/or distribution of said photographs/film/electronic representations and/or sound recordings without limitations at the discretion of the SPST, and I specifically waive any rights to any compensation I may have for any of the foregoing. **\*\*\*If you decline #6 (Photograghphy/Media Release) please send an email to the Registrar, registrar@stuttgartpiranhas.org and annotate in the email "I decline the Media/Photography Release"\*\*\***