

LUBBOCK SWIM CLUB
GENERAL INFORMATION

Team Info:

Address: 2004 14th Street Lubbock, TX 79401
E-mail: teamhayes@clearwire.net
Website: www.lubbockswimclub.org
Nickname: Lubbock Lightning
Team Colors: Black, Electric Blue, & Silver

Coaching Staff:

Head Coach: April Hayes
Assistant Coaches: Trey Hayes, Cheryl Hensley, Austin Hines, Bethany Klemme, Brittainy Klemme, Russ McKnight, Stephanie Myers, Calley Parham, Dakota Tefertiller, Derrick Wheeler, Molly Zumwalt

Registration Fees:

USA Swimming: We are required by USA Swimming to register our team, coaches, and all swimmers each year for insurance and eligibility purposes. This ID # is required for all meet entries. We register each year in the Fall. The current fee for swimmers is \$62.00. The registration fee remains the same, no matter what time of year you join.

Each swimmer has their own unique ID number. The number is configured as follows:

Chester A. Arthur January 1, 2007
010107CHEAARTH

6 digits of birthday/first 3 letter of first name/middle initial/ first 4 letters of last name

Administration Fee: A \$30.00 fee per family will be due each year with the USA registration.

Booster Club:

Parents automatically become members of Booster Club when their swimmer joins LSC. Our Booster Club covers the cost of several aspects of our team. They cover coaches travel expenses, meet awards, banquet awards, pool rental at meets, meet hospitality, equipment, office supplies, mailing.....the list goes on. Dues go to a separate account. Your

dues go only for coach's salaries and pool rental. EVERYTHING else must be covered by the Booster Club. **Therefore we require that each family contribute at least \$100 to the Booster Club each year.** LSC will provide a Swim-A-Thon fundraiser once a year (every summer) to help with the contribution. You may choose to opt out of fundraising and donate the \$100 directly to LSC. Parents will also participate in our Parent Volunteer Program. See PVP handout for more information.

Team Unify and our Website:

Our website at www.lubbockswimclub.org is our main information center. Please refer to the website for schedule changes, meet and practice schedules, time standards, meet information, team records and much more.

Our team uses a team management system called Team Unify. It makes everyone's life so much easier! Please be sure to log-on to our website as soon as you receive your log-in e-mail. And be sure to get OnDeck Parent for your smart phone or iPad. The log-on and password for the app is the same as your log-on for our website. Our team alias is wtisc. (case sensitive) See our website for more information!

Dues Drop Box:

Secured to the north end of the mailboxes at the pool is a drop box for monthly dues. You may mail your dues checks to the pool or simply drop them in the box. Our box has an LSC sticker and a USA Swimming sticker on it! Please be sure to always put your swimmers name and the month(s) you are paying on the check. Any questions concerning dues should be directed Coach April Hayes. Please never give coaches checks on deck.

Meet Requirements:

Swimmers are encouraged to attend all home meets. If your swimmer does not qualify for a certain home meet, your attendance is still appreciated to help with the running of the meet and to support their teammates.

**All Championship meets that a swimmer qualifies for are highly recommended! This is what they have been working so hard for and to not take advantage of these meets would be a waste.

Parent Requirements:

We host several meets each year at our home pool, Pete Ragus. Our meets are run by our parents. There are many positions that you can choose from. Our Parent Volunteer Program is required by each family. Please refer to the PVP handout for more information.

Meet Attire:

Swimmers can wear any Speedo type suit for a swim meet. We don't have a team suit at this time. Meet suits should be very snug. They can be any color and design, but we prefer our team colors! If a swimmer wears a swim cap in a meet, it MUST be an LSC team cap. You can purchase those from Coach April at any time.

Team t-shirts are sold at various times throughout the year. Caps are available at anytime.

We are a Speedo sponsored team and do not currently have a team dealer.

www.swimoutlet.com is a great place to buy competitive swim gear.

Team Breaks:

Lubbock Swim Club takes a two-week break at the end of each season.

Short Course break usually falls in March and the Long Course break in August. We also take short breaks for Thanksgiving, Christmas, and Spring Break. Dues remain the same for each month.

Questions or Comments:

If you have any questions, comments or concerns please e-mail April at teamhayes@clearwire.net. Please do not talk to any coach in the middle of practice time.

Coaches make themselves available before and after each practice for questions, or you can e-mail Coach April at teamhayes@clearwire.net.