



Savannah-Chatham County Middle School

Swim Teams

Dear Parents and Swimmers,

The Savannah-Chatham County Middle Schools Swimming program would like you to take part in our thirteenth exciting season. *The middle school swimming program will serve sixth, seventh, and eighth grade students that are eligible and capable of making the swim team. The opportunity to participate is extended to students who are willing to assume the responsibilities and meet eligibility requirements.*

In order to attend the first practice on October 14th ALL swimmers **MUST** have an updated participation form and physical on file by October 9th at their school. Participation packets may be obtained from the Athletic Director or Coach and returned to the Athletic Director. A swimmer will not be allowed to participate until all paperwork is on file with the school. **All swimmers MUST provide their own transportation to and from practice.**

The district will practice together at the Chatham County Aquatic Center, except for Coastal. Practice will be held on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday from 7 to 8 pm, with stretching exercises starting at 6:45 pm. **All new swimmers will be required to swim at least two laps of the pool.**

Volunteers needed! *Middle School Swimming is a volunteer based program, which will require around 30 volunteers per meet. These volunteers will consist of officials, head timer, timers, computer personnel, runners, ribbon personnel, and heat sheet sales. Please register online for volunteering at the meets with the link below.*

Sign Up Sheet: <https://tinyurl.com/y3mx4udh>

Swimmer Survey: <https://tinyurl.com/y35cbdxn>

Volunteer Sign UP: <https://tinyurl.com/y5feuesr>

T-shirt and Cap Order Form: <https://tinyurl.com/yxchxm9t>

Thanks,

Middle School Coaching Staff

Joy Rios

Alicia Harvey

<http://sccpssswim.com>



Practice Schedule:

Practice will be held on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday at the Aquatic Center from 6:45-8pm. Stretching begins at 6:45pm.

Practice dates will be the following:

October: 14th, 15th, 16th, 17th, 21st, 22nd, 23rd, 24th, 28th, 29th and ***30th**

November: 4th, 5th, 6th, 12th, 13th, ***14th**, 18th, 19th, and 20th

December: 2nd, 3rd, ***4th**, 9th, 10th, 11th, and 12th

****Meet Entries due date.***

Practice Requirements:

Practice will be held four days a week. Swimmers are encouraged to attend all practices for better performance. Swimmers must attend 2 practices per week to be entered in the meets, unless other arrangements have been made with the coaches. All year round swimmers must attend practice a week before the meet to be eligible to swim.

Meet Schedule:

SCCPSS Middle School Invitational - November 7, 2019

Rock 'N Roll Meet- November 21, 2019

Championship Meet- December 16, 2019

All swimmers must arrive at 4:30 for sign in, warm-ups start at 5:00 pm, and the meet starts at 6:00 pm.

Meet Requirements:

Swimmers will be entered up to two individual events and two relays by the coaches. Entries will be due a week prior to the meet. Please notify the coaches and email joy.rios@sccpss.com if you will not be able to attend the meet. Once entered in the meet, swimmers will be responsible for a \$5 fee if they do not attend.

Suits:

The female TYR Phoenix suits will be \$53, and male Phoenix jammers \$36. Plus, a \$2 shipping charge will be applied if ordered by October 12th. The swimmers will wear suits that represent their school colors (ex: Coastal - Navy and gold). Suit orders will be placed through GearUp, LLC (Contact person - Heather DeMott (912) 675-0127 or hdemott@gearupandswim.com). Also, you can place orders on the website at <http://gearupandswim.com>, then select team and the user name is Savannah and password is 1234. Orders due by October 12th, all orders received after October 12th will be shipped directly to you, price based on location.

Caps and T-shirts:

Team caps will have the school name or abbreviation on colored caps for most schools. The caps will cost \$5.00 each. District T-shirts will have swim logo with SCCPSS Middle School Swimming on the front, and schools listed on the back will cost \$15 each. Payment due by October 18th.