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Dolphin Lane Lines!

Swim Calendar

**JUNE/JULY
PRACTICE SCHEDULE**
Practice Times
(M - F)

13 & up	7:00 – 8:00 am
7-12 yr old	8:00 – 8:45 am
OR	
7-12 yr old	8:45 – 9:30 am
6 & under	9:30 – 10 am

**JUNE
UPCOMING EVENTS**

- ◆ 6/12
**RR Dolphins @
Aquadillos (virtual)**
- ◆ 6/15
Picture Day!
(See Operations Desk
update)
- ◆ 6/17
Dolphathon
(See Fundraising
Announcements)
- ◆ 6/19
**RR Dolphins @ BCC
Sharks (virtual)**
- ◆ 6/19
**Mid-Summer Night
Scream, 7:30-9:30 p.m.**
- ◆ 6/26
**Anderson Mill @ RR
Dolphins**

DOLPHINS ROCK!



Round Rock Dolphin Swim Team

www.rrdolphins.org

Coach's Corner

Dolphins,

Another fantastic meet last weekend Dolphins! Two down and you guys are looking great. I love seeing not only the competition and kids trying their best in the water but also the spirit that many of you are showing as you cheer on your teammates whether it be an individual race or a relay. Although many people ask me if I know the score or who won a meet, the first thing that I look for after a meet is done is not the score, but the time improvement report. Seeing hundreds of time improvements and almost fifty bingos is exactly what we want. Keep up the hard work and keep those personal bests coming!

Special congratulations to our record breakers - Ryan Mills who broke her own record in the 100 Free and Hannah O'Leary who broke two records, the 50 Breast and the 100 IM (Both of those records were Coach Demi's old records!)

We have two virtual meets coming up in our schedule. Even though there will not be another team at our pool and in the water racing against us, these are still great opportunities to go out there and better your times. These meets will also be a chance to try a stroke that you haven't done at a meet this season. Some of the strokes like butterfly and breaststroke take a little while to get the hang of and swim legally. Don't be afraid to try and fail. Many times, you will be surprised at what you can accomplish. If you do happen to be disqualified, then you know what to work on during practice to fix it the next time you race. If you get a DQ slip in your family folder, be sure to bring it up to your coach to see what it means if you don't know. Summer activities are ramping up but come to as many practices as you can!

Have a great week and see you at the pool.

Coach Tom

Meet Director's Desk

Howdy,

Well, another great meet in the books. We have continued to learn and hopefully improved the meet experience each week. This week will be our first virtual meet against the Aquadillos. What this means is the Aquadillos will swim the meet at their pool, and we will do our races at Micki. Then the times will be combined, and the meet results will be posted later Saturday evening. This meet will be a super-fast one, so we will start later, and I am anticipating an approximate 10-10:30 am end time. Due to the shortened timeline and a number of key volunteers going on vacation, we will have a decreased setup around the pool including not having pits. What this means is we will set up an area with the pit signs where the pit parents will be for check-in and to get the kids to their races, but our children will not be allowed to sit within the pits. The area will be outside the pool along the fence facing the pirate ship. Please bring your swimmers and have them check-in with the pit parents, they will give further instructions for the beginning of the meet. Then when you hear first call for their individual events, please have them return so that the pit parents can bring them into the pool.

Meet Timeline:

7am - Swimmer check-in
 7:20 - Scratch time
 7:30 - Print heat sheets
 7:40 - Ready Bench volunteers to the ready bench
 7:40 - Judges and Timers Meeting
 7:45 - First Call 1st,2nd, and 3rd events
 7:50 - 1st shift to their places
 7:55 - National Anthem (I think I have the sound system fixed)
 8:00 - Meet Start

Harry
 Dolphin Meet Director

Virtual Meet Concessions Menu

Food

Tacos \$2
 Donuts \$1
 Muffins \$1

Drinks

BLACK ROCK drip coffee \$1
 Juice \$1
 Water \$1

*Concessions accepts credit cards!! There will be a \$0.25 fee per transaction.

From the IT Crowd

This week brings our first Virtual meet and from a computer and scoring perspective things will work a little differently. Here are the key changes to timing and scoring:

1. The meet will get run as two parallel meets called sessions. You'll only see our swimmers on our heat sheets, and only our swimmers at the pool.
2. The Times will get recorded as normal and updated immediately in the app.
3. The event place won't be known until both Georgetown and Round Rock finish the same event at their session. If we are both running at the same pace, you should see these place results update quickly. If one team is running behind, it could be some time before you see places finish. We'll try to send an alert on how the teams times are running. Places will auto-update in the app.

This will be our first virtual meet so I'm sure there will be some kinks to work through and we'll be sure to update teams and parents with our learnings.

See everyone on Saturday!!!

Bryce Stacer

Computer Systems - Round Rock Dolphins Board Member

Fundraising Announcement

Dolphathon has been scheduled for Thursday, June 17th. Each swimmer is responsible for raising at least \$65 (families with 3 or more swimmers need to raise at least \$180). **Unless you have paid out this donation in advance with registration, this fundraising is mandatory** and will allow you to attend the Mid-Summer Night Scream Event.

Prizes are given to the swimmers who raise the most money

The following GoFundMe is available to donate online:

https://www.gofundme.com/f/dolphathon-2021?utm_campaign=p_cf+share-flow-1&utm_medium=copy_link&utm_source=customer

Checks can be turned in to the Munoz family folder.

If you would like to pay cash, please email me at tere.munoz@gmail.com and we can meet at either the Dolphathon event or a swim meet.

*****It is super important that each donation is assigned to a swimmer. That means each payment made via GoFundMe needs a message added with the swimmer's or family name they are supporting.*****

Operations Desk

Hello, Dolphins families!

As you know, our June 12th meet is virtual so we will not have a visiting team onsite Saturday. To keep things fun and exciting in the absence of in-person competition, we are going to have a themed meet. This Saturday will be “**Summer Beach Party**” at the pool. The Operations Team has purchased some theme-related decorations and items for swimmers to enjoy while they wait for their next event and will distribute those at the pool on Saturday. Swimmers, coaches, and families are invited to participate by dressing up and bringing theme-related items to decorate their tents or seating areas outside the fence. In addition, Great Scapes Landscaping is sponsoring a special event for our swimmers during the meet.

We can't wait to see you at our Beach Party on Saturday!

In other news:

Dolphins **picture day** will take place at the pool on the morning of **June 15th**. Swimmers will not be in the water that day but can show up in their **swimsuit and Dolphins team shirt** according to the schedule below for photos. **Team photos will be taken first**, promptly at the time listed below, followed by individual photos. Swimmers are welcome to wear masks for the team photos if desired. Parents wishing to order photos will be able to do so onsite.

13 and up:

7:30am

11–12 year olds:

8:00am

9–10 year olds:

8:30am

7–8 year olds:

9:00am

6 and under:

9:30am

Please save the date for **Dolphins Midsummer Night's Scream** on the evening of **June 19 from 7:30–9:30** pm. Scream is an optional event hosted for Dolphins families that gives swimmers an opportunity to have fun with swim friends and their coaches and enjoy the extra amenities of the pool they don't usually have access to at meets and practice. For families who have attended before, this year's Scream event will look a little different than in previous years. We are planning to continue our tradition of throwing coins into the pool for swimmers to retrieve and trade for individually wrapped candy. But we are not going to host a potluck dinner this year as has been done in the past (though we hope to be able to bring that back next year). Families are welcome to bring in their own picnic dinner to enjoy in the pool area. In addition, we will be following our mask protocol for meets, so people inside the fence who are not imminently getting in the water or eating in their picnic area are required to wear a mask. Please remember that this is a family event; swimmers cannot be dropped off at Scream.

It is required that swimmers have fully met all Dolphathon obligations to attend.

Heather
Operations

Merchandise Announcement

Hello families! Please be sure to visit the merchandise tent to purchase some team apparel and support your Round Rock Dolphins!

Have you picked up your free swimmer shirt and latex cap? If you haven't, please do so Saturday at the virtual meet.

GO DOLPHINS!!

Thank you,
Amanda Turner

More Important Stuff For Your Review!!

SCHOLARSHIPS:

We have entered that time of the season when our 17 year old swimmers have the opportunity to apply for scholarships awarded through generous donations. The two scholarships are:

1. The Coach Christy Dolphin Scholarship - \$1000
2. Micki Krebsbach Memorial Scholarship - \$1000

Any eligible swimmers wanting to apply will **soon** find links to the scholarship applications on the website. Please keep an eye out for these in the coming week, I will announce the deadlines **here** in the next Dolphin Lane Lines Newsletter.

MEET STATS

FINAL SCORE: Dolphins-384.5, Tidal Waves-242.5

TIME IMPROVEMENTS: 330

BINGOS* (3 Time Improvements): 49

**BINGO- A bingo is when a swimmer drops their time in all three individual events at a meet.*

Record Breakers!!!

Ryan Mills, 15/17 Women

100 Free, 53.04

Hannah O'Leary, 15/17 Women

100 IM, 1:00:24

Hannah O'Leary, 15/17 Women

50 Breast, 31:09

Bingo Achievers

Arredondo, Molly
Bartlett, Francesca
Bauersachs, Grayson
Belskii, Lev
Bingham, Ella
Bingham, Elliott
Bingham, Owen
Bingham, Sam
Bingham, Will
Bingham, Zack
Cho, Dempsey
Clark, Sinjin

Colegrove, Kenley
Coleman, Mallory
Crane, Arya
Diaz, Philippe
Do, Leah
Eisele, Olly
Gomez, Isabella
Hamilton, Kate
Hatch, Houston
Havener, Hayden
Holcomb, Symbri
Kaley, Landon
LeTourneau, Miles

Longoria, Jalen
Martin, Luc
Matz, Chelsea
Mills, Ryan
Morrison, Beck
Morrison, Noah
Munoz, Alejandra
O'Leary, Hannah
O'Leary, Hayden
Ota, Carter
Savens, Madi
Schaufelberger, Cammi

Schultheis, Matthew
Schultze, Bridgette
Scott, Zachary
Shanahan, Madison
Shepherd, Ella
Solano, Angelina
Stacer, Evan
Stacer, Ryan
Stengler, Carina
Waworuntu, Darren
Yue, Jaden
Yue, Skyler

WHO'S GOT DOLPHIN SPIRIT??

One of the great traditions of the Dolphins is team cheers! Although we are uncertain as to their origin, it has been a long time favorite of the Dolphin families! If they don't know it already, have your kid's practice the words for an after practice cheer or pre-meet pep talk! Tradition goes... *the louder the better!*

Hip-Zoo! Rah-Zoo!

Teddy Boom Bah-Zoo

Osh Kitty Osh Kosh Chick-a-Boom-Bah

Teddy-Roo, Teddy Rah,

Teddy Rubby Dubby Flubby Dubby

Shish Boom Bah

Round Rock Dolphins... Rah! Rah! Rah!

Bad Weather and Swim Practice

As we all know, here in Central Texas, the weather can be very unpredictable. And since swimming and bad weather do not mix; we may need to cancel practice. If practice is cancelled, we will post the cancellation on the website. We will also send out a push notification via the SwimTopia mobile app. Please check before heading to practice if the weather is bad.



DOLPHIN LANE LINES our swim team newsletter will be published weekly by Wednesday and a link sent via our Dolphin E-mail and it will be posted to our website.



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AquaTex Swim Team & Waterpolo Club
Black Rock Coffee
Bush's Chicken
Family Hospital Systems
Great Scapes Landscaping
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