

**Will practice times and location change?**

Practice times will be similar to last summer with the possibility of adding an additional morning practice option. All practices will continue to be held at the Roseville Aquatics Complex.

**Will the meet schedule change?**

No, the league determines the schedule. The team will remain a member of the Northern California Swim League. Because of the team's successes in 2019, the team will be competing in the Gold Rush Conference for the 2020 swim season.

**Will the coaching staff change?**

CCA would like to retain the SeaWolves coaches from the 2019 swim season. As you know, Coach Alisha has recently accepted a full-time position with the City of Roseville and will not be returning as the Head Coach. CCA, with the assistance of Coach Alisha, will begin recruiting for a new Head Coach to fill her position and if needed, additional assistant swim coaches. CCA has reached out to the previous years coaching staff and asked them if they are interested in returning. We are hoping that coaches from the SeaWolves will be able to continue to coach in the off-season to improve consistency between programs.

CCA employs a professional and knowledgeable coaching staff. All coaches are required to be certified through USA Swimming. Coaches are required to hold various certifications and attend specified trainings in order to be out on the pool deck.

**Will CCA coaches be involved in coaching the Seawolves?**

Justin would like the new head coach to handle the team just like Alisha did. He (Justin) will be involved in an admin level. On a coaching level, there may be some cross over with their coaches coming over to assist one day for a specific skill. Ideally, he would like to see the coaches stay on after summer, into the Fall program, because it will grow their knowledge and skills.

CCA is currently recruiting for a Head Coach. As soon as they select a Head Coach, they will let the team know. They would like to find a Head Coach before tryouts in March, but will take their time in selecting the Head Coach that will best fit the team's needs.

**What changes will occur with registration?**

CCA will be collecting registration for the 2020 season. Registration will now be all online. You will no longer need to complete registration in person. There will also no longer be a non-resident fee.

Over the recent years, the City has experienced some significant increases to the cost of operating the City's facilities and the programs provided to our customers. Due to continued increasing costs of doing business, such as minimum wage increases, increasing utility charges and facility costs, the City had previously planned to increase registration \$25 for the 2020 swim season.

**Registration fees for 2020 swim season:**

1st Swimmer: \$265  
2nd Swimmer: \$240  
3rd+ Swimmer: \$215  
Senior Swimmer: \$160

The \$15 league fee will still be assessed when registering with the Northern California Swim League.

**Will tryout priority change?**

No. Tryout priority will be the same.

Priority 1: Siblings (residents and/or non-residents) of current team members who meet the minimum requirements.

Priority 2: Roseville residents who meet the minimum requirements.

Priority 3: Non-residents who meet the minimum requirements.

**Will there ever be co-mingling with Seawolves and CCA?**

They would like some social events to have mingling amongst the teams.

USA swimming/insurance says that USA swimmers and rec swimmers cannot be in the same lanes.

There may be fun clinic days outside of regular practice times.

**Can swimmers now swim in February?**

No. It is a NorCal league rule that rec swimmers do not swim in Feb.

**Will the board and volunteering remain the same?**

Yes. There is still a need for all positions and volunteering. The team will still be run the same way it did last year.

Both boards have already had positive experiences working together to enhance the success of this transition and the Woodcreek SeaWolves.

**Will coaching philosophy change?**

No. CCA recognizes that there is a difference between the two programs. CCA wants to keep the same environment that has been instilled with the SeaWolves in the past. Alisha will be involved in the interview process and they would like a WSW board members to be involved in the hiring also.

Alisha will be there to assist the new head coach. There will be a learning curve for the new Head Coach because they need to learn our program and also build their own. They will also need time to learn our culture but there is new leadership and with that changes naturally occur.

**Will the size of the team stay the same and will the coach ratio change?**

Yes, the size will remain the same. It will continue to be a manageable number which is what it has been in the past- approx. 240-250 swimmers. They will keep the coaching ratio the same, if not better.

**Where will the remaining open slots for age groups be posted?**

COR website, WSW website and CCA website. Eventually COR will eventually drop it from their website as they continue to transition away from the WSW

**The funds that are raised from fundraising- where does the money go?**

The money that the SeaWolves raise, will be designated solely for SeaWolves.

**Is the spring clinic still through City of Roseville?**

Yes, this year it will be run by the City of Roseville. Moving forward it will be transferred to CCA. Alisha is working on the coaching staff for this year's clinic.

**Who will run Sea Lions?**

The City of Roseville is keeping Sea Lions.