

Timber Lane Tigersharks

Weekly Newsletter

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Timber Lane vs. Inverness Estates

This **Saturday, May 28th** is our Meet against Inverness Estates, Wipeouts, WFST. It is a home meet so we will be at our pool.

PARKING: YOU MAY NOT PARK IN THE PARKING LOT UNLESS YOU HAVE A HANDICAP PLATE, or are an official.

There is not specific designated parking area. Park as you would during practice. **Please do not block trash cans, mail boxes, drive-ways and stop signs.** Police officers will patrol and issue tickets or tow cars that are illegally parked in front of fire hydrants and so forth.

CHECK IN: Be there and check in **promptly at 6:30 AM.** Our Team warm up

usually begins at 7:00 AM and the meet usually begins between 8:00 AM and 8:30 AM. The meet will last until it last. I would say it should end around 2:00 PM, but it could end sooner or later.

WHAT TO BRING: Bring a Canopy if you have one. Bring a chair or something to sit on like a blanket. Either bring something to eat and drink or money to buy concessions. It gets hot and you need to stay hydrated. Bring something to entertain you in between events. Sometimes there is a long wait between your swimmers event and you get board. Bring sunscreen and bug spray, you don't want to get burned or bit. Don't forget your swimmers Goggles, and Towel.



Special points of interest:

- Home Meet: TTS vs. WFST.
- Ribbon Ceremony June 6th, at Las Ramadas on Cypresswood @ 6:00 PM.
- 3 pool Set Ups or Take Downs required for volunteer deposit return.
- Summer Practice times change on June 7th.
- Remember NO PARKING along curb in parking lot during practice, it is a drop off zone only.

Important Dates

Practice	5-24
Practice	5-25
Practice	5-26
Practice	5-27
Pool Set-Up	5-27
Home Meet vs. WFST	5-28
Pool Break Down	5-28
Memorial Day	5-30

School's Out For Summer...

Usually once school is out we begin our Summer Practice Schedule. The Summer Practice Schedule does not take affect until June 7th.

We have to change our practice times because the pool opens to the "public" and we can no longer practice in the evening, so we change it to the mornings before the pool opens. The pool officially opens June 4th. Until then we will continue to hold practices at our normal time. 15-18 year olds 4:45 to 5:30.

4 to 6 year olds 5:30 to 6:00. 7-8 year olds 6:00 to 6:30. 9-10 year olds 6:30 to 7:00. 11-12 year olds 7:00 to 7:30. 13-14 year olds 7:30 to 8:00.

We will notify you by June 3rd of the new Summer Practice Schedule times. Please remember that times will change on June 7th.

On another note: Usually after a swim meet we meet as a team at Las Ramadas Mexican Restaurant so the Coach can had out ribbons.

This week because it is a holiday weekend, we will not be having the Ribbon Ceremony. We will however do it after the following meet on June 6th.



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Volunteering...

There are many different volunteering spots available to you. Some of them require a certification from NWAL but most do not. Unfortunately, it is too late to get any other certified positions, those required a course and a test, which are no longer available. If you are interested then you will have the opportunity next year, feel free to ask about it, Stroke & Turn Official.

Most people like to be a **TIMER**. Timers are required to stand at the end of the pool and start and stop a stop watch. One lucky timer per lane will also get to **SCRIBE**, which means you get to write down each of the three times on a provided paper. There should be 3 timers per lane, mixed, meaning some of our team and some of theirs.

CONCESSION is the next popular volunteer spot. Not much to explain. We need you to stand there look pretty/handsome and smile and sale, don't forget the money. This is a home meet only position.

RUNNER. The runner is required to keep the meet running smoothly. They take the papers from me to the Scribes and bring them back to the computer clerk, in the clubhouse. This is a home meet only position.

READY BENCH. Ready Bench people report to the Clerk of Course. The Clerk of Course should be the main Ready Bench person. We need at least 2 ready bench people for each meet. Sounds scarier than it is, but ready bench gets the swimmers together and to the proper sides of the pool ready for their next event. It's a whole lot of keeping track of all kids and events. An ideal candidate for this position works well with children.

As the season goes on you will find the position that fits you best.

The Volunteer Coordinator will keep track on your volunteer activities.

