



Week of Aug 12th

Sharks Pool Locations

Transition Schedule Aug 14-Sept 7

Regular Fall 24-25 Schedule Begins Sept 9

Swimmers must be registered for the 2024-2025 season before returning to the pool. Register [HERE](#)

Practice changes this week:

Wed Aug 14th—Stevenson

Open Swim 13 & Older: 4:45pm-6:30pm
Open Swm 9-12 yr olds: 6pm-7:30pm
8 & Under: No practice

Thu Aug 15th—Stevenson

Open Swim 13 & Older: 4:45pm-6:30pm
Open Swim 9-12 yr olds: 6pm-7:30pm
8 & Under: No practice

Fri Aug 16th-Stevenson

Open Swim 13 & Older: 4:45pm-6:30pm
Open Swim 9-12 yr olds: 6pm-7:30pm
8 & Under: No practice

Sat Aug 17th— Walker

Sr 3/Sr Perf—Beast Mode 6:45am-8am
Masters: 7am-8am
Open Swim 13 & Older: 8am-9:45am
Open Swim 9-12 yr olds: 9:45am-11am
Open Swim 8 & Unders: 11am-12pm

All groups will begin a transition schedule week of August 19th until September 9th

Upcoming Events

It's Great To Be A Shark!

Short Course Meet Schedule

NOTE: Files are available on each event

Aug 24th—Parent Meeting— Friendswood Library

Returning families: 10:15am-11am
New Families: 11:30am-12:15pm

Sept 28th—Sharks Pentathlon—FHS

Opt out by 8/30
Prelim Entries 9/3. Final Entries 9/10
No changes after 9/16 @ noon

Coaches Corner: with the coaches and groups being across different pools, the coaches will add their corner for the week that will encompass multiple groups.

Coach Kate's Comments [HERE](#)

Coach Tim's Tidbits [HERE](#)

Coach Chris's Chronicles [HERE](#)

Coach Dacia's Directions [HERE](#)

Billing/Admin

Please note: Updated email address for contacting Admin -sharksswimclub@yahoo.com

Emails will be responded to next business day if after hours or on weekend

Registrations are continuing to be approved today.

Sharks Social Media Pics—Coach Kaly has created a photos dropbox for parents to share photos of their kids swimming or doing other activities outside of the water that you would want highlighted on social media. Click [HERE](#) to add pics

2024-2025 Registration Open—Early bird open now through 7/25—new members can register beginning 7/26 Register [HERE](#)
Board registration letter [HERE](#)

Board Update:

School is starting and we're anxiously awaiting our return to our home at the Friendswood Natatorium. As usual, things didn't go perfectly for FISD this summer to get all the work done, so they continue to press hard to finish. With that said, we will begin to use the natatorium on 8/20. Having said that, the High School also is starting out with the Water Polo season, so there will be some conflicts. Please pay close attention to the newsletter and other communications from Sharks for practice changes.

We have our annual season opening Parent's Meetings scheduled for 8/24 at the Friendswood library. I hope to see most of you there, and I think this is an important chance for us to get together and share news and plans. Please try to attend if you can.

Our Head Coach replacement process is moving and we now have resumes for approximately six candidates. The Board will be setting up "Round 1" interviews, hopefully as early as this week. We are excited by the candidates we have and are looking forward to getting a new coach in place. We will have a general membership meeting just as soon as we get our coach on staff.

Once again, I want to thank you for your patience and your support of Sharks. Hopefully we are on the edge of things returning a bit more to normal, and the Board is looking forward to our new swim season

Sharks Board of Directors.

Swim Lessons—Friendswood High School Fall Session beginning September. Signup [HERE](#)



Sharks Social Media – Links to follow:

Sharks Facebook [HERE](#) Sharks Instagram [HERE](#)

Sharks Youtube channel [HERE](#)

Parent Rep Contacts by group: [HERE](#)

Team Records:

[Short Course Yards](#)

[Long Course Meters](#)



Qualifiers

Age Group Champs

Lily Ainsworth, Caitlyn Alley, Logan Atchison,
Landon Bomar, Sophia Boring, **Blake Carr**,
Matthieu Chossiere, Adrianna Duncan,
Kathrin Dickamore, Jayden Dickamore, Tyler Ferraco,
Grace Goins, Leighton Haver, **Wyatt Hughes**,
Carmen Laurito, Gabe Laurito, Cameron Lowman,
Thien Luu, Omar Mahmoud, Brielle McGonagle,
Streeter Moore, Kivy Moore, Sophia Patrick,
Evan Takeda, Ava Van Slooten

Tags

Sophia Boring, Matthieu Chossiere, Grace Goins,
Leighton Haver, Gabe Laurito, Omar Mahmoud,
Kivy Moore, Ava Van Slooten

Southern Senior Zones

Tanner Antley, Rian Bleyendaal, Morgan Carr,
Macey Degroot, Daniel Dickamore,
Kathrin Dickamore, Olivia Esbeck,
Lauren Ferguson, Martin Gomez,
Dylan Haver, Leighton Haver,
Hayden Holcomb, Edi Jakob, Andi Jeanes,
Carmen Laurito, Abigail Lowman,
Selim Mahmoud, Vanessa Marsh, Brielle McGonagle,
Hayden Nielsen, Danielle Riddle, Cameron Sustala,
Lauren Tillman, Gabi Volpe, Giancarlo Zamora

Sectionals

Tanner Antley, Rian Bleyendaal, **Morgan Carr**,
Macey DeGroot, Edi Jakob, Selim Mahmoud,
Vanessa Marsh, Danielle Riddle,
Gabi Volpe, Giancarlo Zamora

NCSA's

Rian Bleyendaal, Macey DeGroot, Danielle Riddle,
Gabi Volpe, Giancarlo Zamora

Futures

Macey DeGroot, Danielle Riddle

Speedo Winter Junior Nationals

Macey DeGroot

Speedo Summer Junior Nationals

Macey DeGroot

US Open

Macey DeGroot