

## Week of Aug 19th

**Sharks Pool Locations** 

Transition Schedule Aug 19-Aug 31 (Updated)

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 this week: (if no practice listed, there is no practice for your group—we are on our transition schedule, only practices that are listed)

Tue Aug 20th-FHS & Walker

FHS: **Disc. Pre-Team 1 & 2, Disc Adv 1 & 2:** 4:45pm-5:30pm

Exploratory: 5:00pm-6:30pm Sr Prep & Challenge: 5:30pm-7:15pm

WALKER:

Sr 2, Sr 3 & Sr Perf: 5:30pm-7:30pm

Wed Aug 21st—FHS

Expl Adv 1 & 2: 4:45pm-6pm Sr Prep & Challenge: 5:00pm-6:30pm Sr 2, Sr 3, Sr Perf: 5:30pm-6:30pm

Thu Aug 22nd—Clear Springs & Wallker

Clear Springs:

Disc. Pre 1 & 2, Disc Adv 1 & 2: 4:45pm-5:30pm

Exploratory: 5:30pm-6:30pm

Expl Adv 2, Sr Prep, Challenge: 6:30pm-8:00pm

Walker:

Sr 2, Sr 3, Sr Perf: 5:30pm-7:30pm

Fri Aug 23rd- FHS & Clear Springs

FHS: **Sr 2, Sr 3, Sr Perf:** 5:30pm-7:30pm

Clear Springs:

Exploratory: 4:45pm-6:00pm

Expl Adv 2 & Challenge: 5:15pm-7:00pm

Sat Aug 24th-FHS

Masters: 7:00am-8:00am

Sr 2, Sr 3, Sr Perf: 8:00am-9:30am

Expl Adv 1 & 2, Challenge: 9:30am-11:00am

**Coaches Corner:** 

Coach Kate: **HERE** (Sr 3, Sr Perf & Exploratory)

Coach Tim: **HERE** (Challenge & Expl Adv 1)

Coach Dacia: <u>HERE</u>—Discover Pre Team 1 & 2, Disc Adv 1 & 2, Sr 2

Coach Chris: <u>HERE</u>—Exploratory Advance 2

Coach Kaly: **HERE**—Senior Prep

**Billing/Admin** 

Please note: Email address for contacting Admin -<u>sharksswimclub@yahoo.com</u>
Emails will be responded to next business day if after hours or on weekend

# **Upcoming Events**

It's Great To Be A Shark!

## **Short Course Meet Schedule**

NOTE: Files are available on each event

<u>Aug 24th—Parent Meeting—</u> <u>Friendswood Library</u>

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

Sept 7th-Nutritionist

Info in event.

Sept 21st-Shark Camp—FHS

\$15 per swimmer

Sept 28th—Sharks Pentathlon—FHS

Opt out by 8/30

Prelim Entries 9/3. Final Entries 9/10 No changes after 9/16 @ noon

Oct 4th-5th- Sr Groups Retreat- Camp Cho Yeh

Cost TBA

Oct 12th—Dads Club Developmental

Meet

More info oonce received from host

Oct 13th—Sharks Open Water Extravaganza—Lake Longhorn

Opt IN by 9/20

Preliminary Entries 9/24

Final Entries 10/1

No changes after 10/2 @ noon

Oct 18-20th-FCST Meet

More Info once received from host

Oct 26th—Sharks Block Party Meet-FHS

More info to come

Nov 8-10th—Sharks November Invite

More info to come

<u>Sharks Social Media Pics</u>—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 <u>HERE</u> 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 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.

### <u>Swim Lessons—Friendswood High School Fall Session</u> <u>beginning September. Signup *HERE*</u>



Sharks Social Media - Links to follow:

Sharks Facebook <u>HERE</u> Sharks Instagram <u>HERE</u> Sharks Youtube channel <u>HERE</u>

Parent Rep\_Contacts by group: <u>HERE</u>

**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, 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, Darielle Riddle, Cameron Sustala,
Lauren Tillman, Gabi Volpe, Giancarlo Zamora

#### **Sectionals**

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

#### NCSA's

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

#### **Futures**

Macey DeGroot, Darielle Riddle

Speedo Winter Junior Nationals Macey DeGroot

**Speedo Summer Junior Nationals** 

Macey DeGroot

**US Open**Macey DeGroot