HAYFIELD FARM SWIM CLUB



Summer is here!

Welcome to our returning and new members for the 2023 season! Opening day is Saturday, May 20, 2023



Social Events

The social committee is busy working on our 2023 events. Look for more info on our Facebook page throughout the season:

www.facebook.com/
groups/132088287208



Pool Rules

Check out the pool rules on our website, www.hayfieldpool.com, or in person at the front desk when you check in this summer!



Greetings! As the sun shines and flowers bloom, we begin to think about the fun summer days around our amazing pool and look forward to the upcoming season! The pool board continues to work in the off-season preparing for opening day 05/20/23. One of the ways you can help get the pool ready for opening day is by volunteering at the annual pool clean-up day. This year's clean-up day is scheduled for 05/06/23. More information is included in this newsletter and we hope to see you there!

After cleanup day, we look forward to seeing you at our first Social Committee event, S'mores & Pours, scheduled for the evening of 05/06/23 in the pool parking lot. This will be a great chance to set out your camp chairs, grab a marshmallow and a cold drink, and catch up with your HFSC friends. The Social Committee will release details and requests for help as we get closer to the event.

And then what we've all been waiting for...opening day! The pool will open at noon on Saturday, May 20, 2023. We purchased new tables and table chairs for this season and I, for one, am excited to see those set up and ready for use! Lounge chairs and deck chairs will be updated in future seasons. I'm also looking forward to all the activities at the pool: swim team, snack bar, grilling in the evening, July 4th festivities, raft nights, adult morning swim, movie nights, and more. As a long-time HFSC member, it has been a joy developing lifelong friendships with HFSC families and watching HFSC kids grow up and become leaders of our pool community and beyond.

HFSC is fortunate to have a fantastic group of volunteers serving on the board who continue to meet year round and donate countless hours towards the swim club to make it such a great place to enjoy all summer long. Lewis Blocker (HFSC President) and I want to thank each of them for their dedication and commitment to the pool and look forward to serving with them.



The Hayfield Farm Swim and Dive Teams are back this year and competing in the Northern Virginia Swim League (NVSL) with other swim and dive teams in the surrounding communities across Northern Virginia. It will be a season of friendships, fast swimming, awe some diving and sportsmanship! Head Swim Coach Jenny, Asst. Corbin with Swim Coaches Aaron, Liz, Elizabeth, and Kaitlynalong with Head Dive Coach Lauren are all excited to work with our swimmers and divers! Our team begins after school practices on the Tuesday after Memorial Day (May 30) and switches to morning practices on Monday, June 19th. Many of our team members have conflicting activities, so don't worry if you cannot make all of the practices. We will have competitive meets and B meets this summer. Swimmers and divers must be registered before starting practice. All new swimmers need an evaluation.

We do have a new team suit this year for both swim and dive, this will be the team suit for '23 and '24. However, there is no obligation to buy a new suit. Swimmers and divers may wear previous team suits for meets. To purchase a new one, you have several options. The team suit sale at the pool is scheduled for Wednesday, May 31, from 4-7 or suits can be purchased online at our Swim Outlet team store or by visiting Sports Fair in Arlington. Just let them know you're with Hayfield Farm. Additionally on Sunday, May 28 from 2pm-4pm, the Hayfield Farm Swim & Dive team will be hosting its Annual *Used* Swimsuit Sale, during which families can buy *gently used* practice suits, summer competition suits, and practice fins. Suits at the *Used* suit sale may be limited as availability will be based on the donations received.

Hayfield Pool also has a pre-swim team program called Mini Hawks. This year we're expanding Mini Hawk opportunities. The program is geared towards swimmers who are not quite ready for competitive swimming but are interested in the team in the future. Unlike swimming lessons, we focus on skills such as streamlining, starting dives and stroke technique. Coach Meghan and Coach Emily will be heading up the Mini Hawk program for the 2023 season. To register for Mini Hawks, swimmers must be four years old as of June 1, 2023. All new Mini Hawks must be evaluated before they are registered. Please check the <u>website</u> for more information about having your Mini Hawk swimmer evaluated.

Registration and more information on the swim and dive teams can be found on the team website: https://seahawks.swimtopia.com. Starting on April 16, you can visit the website to register for summer swim and/or dive. The website is updated throughout the season, so please check often for current information.

If you need additional information, please contact our team representatives: Colleen Ferguson or Megan Eanes (swim team reps) at hayfieldswim@gmail.com Susanna Buttler and Sherri Peters (dive team reps) at hayfielddive@gmail.com

NEW & IMPROVED!

We have been busy getting the pool ready to welcome you back! The most visible upgrade was the major purchase of 22 tables and 88 chairs! This is the beginning of a multi-year plan to upgrade all the pool furniture. We also replaced the second diving board stand and the swim lane lines. As with any older property, we continue to make additional purchases, as needed, to ensure pool health and safety.



Pool Cleanup Day - May 6, 9am-2pm

Please join us for our annual pool cleanup day on May 6. It takes a lot of work and many hands to get the pool ready for opening day! The larger the turnout, the quicker we get the job done. Volunteer a minimum of 2 hours at cleanup day and you will receive 5 guest passes good for the 2023 swim season (limit 5 passes per family, must have paid 2023 HFSC dues or obtained a lease for 2023). In order for you to receive the guest passes, you must sign in and out at the sign up table. The table will be located near the gate next to the snack bar area.

In past years, we have been able to end by 1pm. In order to qualify for the complimentary guest passes, please plan to arrive in plenty of time to get the minimum 2 hours of time recorded.

S'mores & Pours



HFSC Members are invited to kick-off the 2023 season

Saturday, May 6 5–7pm HFSC Parking Lot

S'mores makings, beer, & water provided. Bring a chair.



2023 Pool Hours

May 20- June 11

M-F 4pm-8pm Saturdays/Sundays/Memorial Day, 12 noon-8pm

June 12-June 16 (last week of school)

M-F 1:30pm-8pm Saturdays/Sundays 12 noon-8pm

June 17-July 18

(July 4, 11am-7pm) (July 17, closed for IM Invitationals)

M-F 12 noon-9pm Saturdays/Sundays 11am-9pm

July 19-July 30

M-F 11am-9pm Saturdays/Sundays 11am-9pm

July 31-August 21

M-F 11am-8pm Saturdays/Sundays 11am-8pm

August 22-September 10

M-F 4pm-8pm Saturdays/Sundays/Labor Day/School Holiday (9/1 and 9/4) 11am-8pm

Adult Lap Swim

Available Tues/Thurs May 23-Sept. 7 6-7:30am

2023 Calendar

Please check the website, www.hayfieldpool.com, or our Facebook page for additional events including closing times, and schedule changes! Dates subject to change.

June 10 - Pool opens by 2pm (Time Trials)
June 24 - Pool opens by 1pm (A meet)

June 27 - Pool closes at 4pm (Dive - A meet)

June 28 - Pool closed at 2pm (Relay Carnival

July 1 - Pool opens by 1pm (A meet)

July 5 - Pool closes at 4pm (Dive - A meet)

July 9 - Pool closes at 7pm (Swim/Dive Prom)

July 17 - Pool CLOSED (IM Invitational)

July 18 - Pool closes at 4pm (Dive - A meet)

July 23 - Pool closes at 6pm (Swim Banquet)

The pool is also scheduled to open late/close early due to the following Social Committee events:

July 8 - Pool closes at 6pm (Fiesta Night-Adult Party) August 6 - Pool opens at 12 noon (Social Brunch) September 9 - Pool closes at 5pm (Crab Feast)

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To reach any HFSC board member, email info@hayfieldpool.com.

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