

POWER FOR LIFE

REGISTRATION 2019 / 2020

SHARK SCHOOL



Referred By: _____

SWIMMER INFORMATION

Name: _____ DOB: _____
Last First Middle MM/DD/YY

School: _____ Year / Grade: _____

Gender: _____ Age: _____ Preferred Group: __6:00 PM__ 6:45 PM T-Shirt Size _____

BILLING INFORMATION

Parents'/Guardian Name(s): _____

Street Address: _____ City / ZIP: _____

Billing Address (If different from above): _____

Home Phone: _____ Mom Cell: _____ Dad Cell: _____

Parent's Email: _____

EMERGENCY CONTACT

Name: _____ Phone: _____

Relationship: _____

Secondary Contact: _____ Phone: _____

Relationship: _____

MEDICAL

Please list any issues and medications: _____

Doctor: _____ Phone: _____

Insurance: Company & Policy # _____

By signing this document I have agreed to register _____ for the Power for Life **Shark School** in the 6:00 pm Class _____ or the 6:45 pm class _____.

Power Aquatics has my permission to use my child's photograph in team slideshows (website, banquet) Yes No

Further, I have read and agreed to the Waiver, Athlete Protection policies, Athlete Behavior and Department policies, Payment policies, Group Placement / Advancement and Late Pick-up POLICIES.

Signature Parent / Guardian Print Name Date

Signature Participant Print Name Date

Please keep these pages for your reference

I~WAIVER: PLEASE READ CAREFULLY

I, the above signed participant and parent request voluntary participation for my swimmer to participate in the events which are hereinafter referred to activities sponsored by Power Aquatics. I consent to this participation in the activities and acknowledge that I fully understand that participation may involve risk of serious injury or death, including losses which may result not only from the participant's actions, inactions or negligence, but also from the actions, inactions or negligence of others, conditions of the facilities, equipment or areas where the event or activity is being conducted or the rules of play of this type of event or activity. I understand that if I have any concerns I should discuss the risks associated with participation, with activity coordinators and event staff before I sign this release.

The undersigned parent / guardian / participant further agree to indemnify, save and hold harmless the Released Parties from any and all claims, demands, losses, damages, and liabilities for indemnities, contribution or otherwise with respect to any damage and/or injury of any type from the Participant's participation in the activities. The undersigned also agrees that this Release and Waiver of Liability, Assumption of Risk and Indemnity Agreement extends to all acts of negligence by the Release and is intended to be as broad and inclusive as is permitted by the laws of the State of Texas and that if any portion thereof is held invalid, it is agreed that the balance shall, notwithstanding, continue in full legal force and effect.

II~ATHLETE PROTECTION POLICIES

The protection and safety of our athletes is our primary concern. All Parents are strongly encouraged to take the on-line training course offered through USA Swimming on recognition of Sexual Abuse at:

http://www.praesidiuminc.com/armatus/reference_parents.php

To this end, direct electronic communication between coaches and athletes will not take place. This includes (but is not limited to) email, text, twitter, facebook and cell phones. Parents who would like to have their athletes receive the newsletter are encouraged to forward it to their swimmer's account as it is against policy for a coach to do so.

Private Lessons with Power Aquatics Coaches will be conducted only when there is another coach present. All coaches must stay at the end of practice until all swimmers have been picked up.

III~SWIMMER BEHAVIOR / DEPORTMENT

The 7 rules for swimmer deportment and behavior are generally the ones first learned in Kindergarten. Because we are very proud of our swimmers and our team, it is very important that each and every swimmer understand and agree to the following policies regarding behavior and deportment:

- *Respect Others*. Treat every person on the team and associated with the sport with respect. This includes, but is not limited to other swimmers, all coaches, officials and facility personnel. What would your Mother say?
- *Respect your 'House'*. Treat all of the facilities we attend with the utmost respect. Damage to any facility (pool, hotel, bus) caused by a swimmer will be the responsibility of the swimmer and their parents.
- *Keep your hands and feet to yourself*. Personal physical contact between swimmers is not permitted.
- *Play Well with Others*. Hazing, bullying or harassment of other swimmers is strictly prohibited and will not be tolerated. Swimmers do not have to like everyone on the team, but they must get along with everyone on the team.
- *Display Good Sportsmanship*. Good sportsmanship is the standard of behavior expected at all times. Congratulate and encourage other competitors. Cheer each other on. Overt emotional displays (either positive or negative) are strongly discouraged.
- *Keep your Body Clean*. Use of prohibited substances including drugs, alcohol, banned substances (such as steroids) and tobacco is not permitted. There is a zero tolerance for these actions and will result in expulsion from the team.
- *Make your mother proud*. When the team is travelling, swimmers of opposite genders will not be permitted in same hotel rooms.

Swimmers who do not conform to the above behavior expectations are subject to removal from the team.

Swimmers aged 12 and older must sign the Registration Form in Acknowledgement of having read understood and agreed to these policies.

IV~PAYMENTS

To date, all payments are made by one of three ways:

Bank Check (done through monthly bill pay) Preferred Method. Account Number: Your Swimmer's Name
Mail To: Power Aquatics

c/o Sharon Power
22526 Cove Hollow Drive
Katy, Texas 77450

Personal Check

Either mailed to the above address, or hand-delivered at practice

Cash

Least Preferred Method Placed in an envelope with swimmer's name on front Please make all checks payable to **POWER**.

IV~PAYMENTS

All Monthly Fee Payments are due the first of the month except where noted.

Fees (Cash/Check Discount): Yearly Registration \$125 Monthly Training Fee \$90

V~GROUP PLACEMENT

The advancement of all swimmers is at the discretion of the Head Age Group Coach. Swimmers are placed in the precompetitive groups using the following criteria:

Swimming Ability / Performance

Availability of space in the Competitive Program

The Shark School Director will contact the Head Age Group Coach for an evaluation upon recommendation by the Shark School Coaches. No amount of suggestion / harassment / begging on the part of the parents will induce the Head Age Group coach to advance a swimmer to the competitive team until they are legal in all four competitive strokes, starts and turns before they can advance – no exceptions!

VI~LATE PICK-UP **If you are detained due to traffic or appointments, it is best to make other arrangements**

We are responsible for all swimmers until parents pick them up. Because all coaches are required to stay until all swimmers are picked up for the last practice of the session each day, parents who are late picking up their swimmer will be assessed a baby-sitting fee of \$5 for every minute after the 15 minute grace period to pay the coaches for their time.

VII~GROUPS

All groups will practice at Taylor High School Tuesdays and Thursdays

Time:

6:00 – 6:40 pm or 6:45 – 7:25 pm

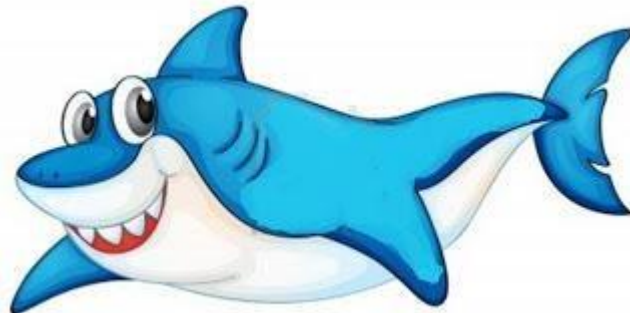
Please note your time preference on the front page of the registration form.

VIII~SCHEDULE

The Fall Schedule will be published as soon as we get the schedule from the KISD Aquatics Director. We will have classes on Tuesdays and Thursdays as listed above, but the exact dates for the classes cannot be listed until the High School Coaches set their meet calendar – usually in Late August. The first day of Shark School will start on September 6th. The fall schedule will be posted on the website and emailed to you as soon as it is available. Thank you for your patience!

IX~COMMUNICATION

Please ensure that we have your current email address on the registration form. Communication usually happens through email, coaches' announcements, signage and REMIND. To sign up for REMIND, please click on Parent Info / Remind and follow the directions for Shark School.



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