

BEYOND THE LANE LINES - 6/22/09

~ Information for families and swimmers of Mount Joy Lions Swim Team ~
"these cats can swim"

Regular practice times: 7:45-9:30 AM (11&over)
9:30-10:30 AM (10&under)
10:30-11:00 AM (beginners)

TEAM WEB SITE: www.mountjoyswimteam.org

INVITATIONAL INFORMATION: www.mountjoyswimteam.org/2009invitationals.pdf

TIMER SCHEDULE: <http://www.mountjoyswimteam.org/timers2.htm>

DIRECTIONS: www.mountjoyswimteam.org/cgi-bin/events.cgi

6/22/09 week-at-a-glance:

Monday 6/22 -- regular practice

Tuesday 6/23 -- regular practice; **DUAL MEET @ HOME** (Mount Joy vs. Overlook--see below)

****INDIVIDUAL & TEAM PICTURES WILL BE TAKEN BEFORE MEET****

****ARRIVE AT MJ POOL BY 4:30****

Wednesday 6/24 -- regular practice

Thursday 6/25 -- regular practice

Friday 6/26 -- regular practice

DUAL MEET SIGN-OFF SHEETS - are posted on the board for the 6/23 (Skyline), 7/7 (Overlook) and 7/9 (East Pete) meets. All swimmers are expected to swim in dual meets. **Please write your name on the sheet if you are not available to swim!**

DUAL MEET on 6/23 @ HOME (vs. Overlook) - Arrive at the pool by 4:30 for individual/team picture. Meet warm-up begins 5:30. Meet begins 6:15. All swimmers will be in the meet line-up unless you signed off. If you have questions about the team/individual pictures, please contact Murette Smith at bksmith22@comcast.net.

BAKE SALE AT DUAL MEETS -- As of now, the baked goods stand for our 2 home meets is not an option as a fundraiser. We will continue to seek additional opportunities to bring money into the club to help offset the expenses and keep the registration fees at a minimum. Thanks for all of your support.

TIMER SCHEDULE FOR DUAL MEETS - Here is the schedule of timers for all our dual meets this

summer: <http://www.mountjoyswimteam.org/timers2.htm>. Dave Schell is in charge of this. If you signed up (at registration) to help with timing, your name is most likely on this list. He would like everyone to review the schedule and contact him if any changes are needed. His e-mail is dave@imakewebpages.com.

WILLOWOOD INVITATIONAL on Wed. 7/8 - Sign-up sheet is in the folder at the pool. Sign up by Tuesday, June 23! Go to web site [invitation information](#) for details. You may swim three individual events, plus the IM.

MANHEIM INVITATIONAL on Sat. 7/11 - Check the folder at the pool see your entries and to find out if you are in any of the relays.

SAVE-A-LIFE SWIM on Mon. 7/13 - Mark your calendars for Monday, July 13!! Mount Joy swimmers will participate in the Save-a-Life Swim for the American Cancer Society during practice. Watch for more information in the coming weeks. Contact Suzanne Burger at burgerfam4@comcast.net if you have any questions.

COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS - Our current list of committee chairpersons will be e-mailed to you separate from this newsletter. Please look it over to see where you have commitments for the season. If anyone is interested in learning or helping with any of these committees (there is always room for more help), please contact the appropriate chairperson. If you need contact information, please e-mail sstoner@charterhomes.com and he will be able to help you out. ***We are in particular need, as soon as possible, for a couple people to learn the scoring procedure for our meets. Training could begin as soon as our first home meet this week. If anyone is interested in learning how to score the meets, please contact Cheri Stoner at cowgirl555@comcast.net.***

INCLEMENT WEATHER - If a meet is postponed due to storms, we will do our best to e-mail everyone early enough to avoid unnecessary travel. Please understand, however, this may not always be possible. If the weather is questionable, please check your e-mail right before you would normally leave for the meet. **If there's no e-mail, then you should report to the meet as scheduled.** Do not call and ask what to do if the weather is questionable, because I (Shelby) will not know any more than you do. An e-mail will be sent if we know early enough to avoid travel.

(If anyone has information they would like included in "Beyond the Lane Lines," please get it to me by 3PM on Sunday afternoon to sinelson@paonline.com. Any suggestions for improvement are welcome!)