



# WELCOME TO VICTORY LAKES

Welcome to the Victory Lakes Piranhas pool! We are pleased to be hosting your team this week and look forward to a fun and exciting meet for everyone involved. If you have any questions regarding the following information, please contact our president– Pat Walsh, at [piranhaspresident@vlpiranhas.com](mailto:piranhaspresident@vlpiranhas.com).

**Pool Address:** 12600 Victory Lakes Loop, Bristow, VA 20136

## **Piranha Contact Information:**

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Danielle Bencivenga, Computer Support– [piranhas.computer@gmail.com](mailto:piranhas.computer@gmail.com)

## **Parking:**

Limited parking is available in both the upper and lower parking lots at the pool. Overflow parking is available in the community on Victory Lakes Loop. Please **DO NOT** park in fire lanes and stay within legal distance of all stop signs, crosswalks, and fire hydrants. Also, please be considerate of Victory Lakes residents and **DO NOT** park directly in front of mailboxes and driveways. There are 2 RESERVED parking spaces. The one in the upper lot is for your team’s computer volunteer and the one in the lower lot is for your Head Coach.

## **Warm-Up/A.M. Briefings:**

| EVENT   | TIME           |
|---|----------------|
| Victory Lakes Piranhas’ Warm-Up   | 6:10 - 6:30 am |
| Visiting Team Warm-Up   | 6:30 - 6:50 am |
| Officials’ Meeting (on deck - deep end of competition pool)             | 6:30 am        |
| Timers’ and Recorders’ Meeting (on deck - deep end of competition pool) | 6:45 am        |
| Pool cleared -- Assemble relays in team areas                           | 6:50 am        |
| National Anthem Begins & 15/18 Free Relays assemble behind blocks       | 6:55 am        |
| Meet Begins   | 7:00 am        |

\*Our competitive pool is a six-lane 25 meter pool and is open daily to our residents. Therefore, we are under time constraints to complete a full swim meet. This puts pressure on everyone involved to keep the meet operating quickly and efficiently. Please instruct coaches, swimmers, and volunteers to be on time.

## Visiting Team Area:

The visiting team set-up area is the grassy area behind the black pool fence located along the long side of the competition pool near the sand volleyball court. You may bring pop up tents and shelters as long as they sit on top of the ground. Please **DO NOT** block the open pool gates per Fire Marshall code.

Please **DO NOT** allow your swimmers to play in the volleyball pit– sand ultimately ends up in the pool.

Staging of Relays– no more than 2 heats may be behind the blocks at a time

Please ensure your starter is charged and available in the event ours has issues

We also ask that you **DO NOT** set up before 9pm the night before the meet.



## Clerk of Course:

We have 2 Clerk of Course areas. One is the staging area located on the recreational pool deck. The other Clerk of Course filling area will be along the path behind the starting (or deep) end of the competition pool. It is very important for swimmers to report to the staging area of the Clerk of Course by the final call. If a swimmer reports after we have sent swimmers down to their lanes he/she may **NOT** be allowed to swim.

## **Volunteers:**

We have TWO shifts of volunteers for our meets. The 1st shift runs through event 29 and the second from Event 30 to the end of the meet. If you have any questions regarding volunteer set-up please contact our volunteer coordinator, Chrissy Waite, at [vlpiranhas.volunteer@gmail.com](mailto:vlpiranhas.volunteer@gmail.com). Please provide the following for each specific area/need:

*Referee – 1 per shift*

*Starter – 1 per shift*

*Stroke & Turn Officials – as many as possible (minimum of 4)*

*Scorers – 2 per shift*

*Computer – 1 per shift*

*Verifier – 1 per shift*

*Clerk of Course – 3-4 people per shift*

*Head Timers – 1 per shift*

*Lane Timers - -2 timers for lanes 2, 4, and 6 per shift, 1 timer & 1 recorder for lanes 1, 3, and 5 per shift*

*Runner – 1 per shift*

*Heat Ribbons – 1 per shift*

*Ribbon Writer – 1 per shift*

## **Concessions:**

Concessions (breakfast and lunch) are sold on deck for the duration of the meet. We sell our famous made to order omelets, cheeseburgers, hot dogs, and lots of other goodies, we accept cash and use square to process cards and contactless payments.