

Eagle Rays



2025-2026

The Eagle Rays are swimmers age ~10-13 years old who attend local competitions and are working towards achieving their first Festival time standard (please view Appendix A). This group will work closely with experienced members of our coaching staff who will help the swimmers develop the best swim strokes & skills and establish appropriate training habits to ensure they are set up for long term success in the pool.

WEEKLY SCHEDULE @MILLENNIUM PLACE					
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Friday	Saturday	
Swim	DryLand @MP	Swim	Swim	Swim	
5:45-7:15pm	TBA	4:45-6:15pm	4:00-5:30pm	10:15-11:30am	

FALL/WINTER SWIM MEET CALENDAR				
SRAY POPPY INVITATIONAL		OCT 25-26 [™]		
OSC 12&U #1	Eligible Swimmers Only (Please review meet package)	NOV 23 RD		
EKSC CANDY CANE		NOV 28-30 [™]		
OSC 12&U #2	Eligible Swimmers Only (Please review meet package)	JAN 11 [™]		
EKSC BLUE BEARS		JAN 16-18 TH		
SWIM ALBERTA WINTER FESTIVAL	Qualifiers Only (Please review meet package)	JAN 23-25 [™]		

Eagle Rays Program

- Continual improvement of competitive stroke technique (Backstroke, Freestyle, Breaststroke, Butterfly)
- Continual improvement of competitive swim skills (Streamline position, Turns, Starts)
- Emphasis on developing ability to kick (Flutter, Dolphin, Breast, Underwater Dolphin)
- Introduction to Individual Medley training
- Introduction to Dryland training
- Introduction to Mental Skills (Goal setting)

Eagle Rays Commitments

- Attendance to all 4 weekly swim & 1 weekly dryland sessions is strongly encouraged.
- Attendance to all swim meets on meet calendar is <u>strongly encouraged</u>. (SRAYS hosted meets compulsory)
- Swimmers will wear SRAYS branded clothing/swim gear when representing SRAYS at swim meets.
- Swimmers will focus on developing a positive attitude & strong work ethic during swim sessions.
- Swimmers will treat all teammates, coaches & Millennium Place staff with respect.
- Swimmers strive to progress through swim club and provide evidence they are ready for new group (please view Appendix B)
- Parents/Guardians will communicate to coaching staff if swimmer will be absent from any swim session or extended period of time.
- Parents/Guardians will have fundraising & volunteering commitments throughout the season (please view Appendix C)
- Parents/Guardians are responsible for annual training fees and will adhere to payment policies and potential withdrawal process during season (please view Appendix D)

Eagle Rays Equipment

Swimmers will maintain their own mesh bag that they will bring to each practice which contains all their equipment for each swim practice.

- Water bottle, SRAYS swim cap, appropriate training suit, & goggles
- Swim Gear: JR kick board, JR pull buoy, JR snorkel & fins

Please email our equipment manager to order swim caps & swim suits euipment@silverrays.ca
Visit Team Aquatic supplies to order your swim gear https://team-aquatic.com/pages/equipment

Appendix A

Swim Alberta 24/25 Festival time standards. Please note time standards are subject to change for 25/26 season https://swimalberta.ca/wp-content/uploads/Time_Standards/2024-2025-Festival-Standards.pdf

Appendix B

SRAYS Club Structure and movement pathways

https://www.gomotionapp.com/canabspsc/UserFiles/Image/QuickUpload/25-26-club-structure-1-1-_005966.pdf

Appendix C

Fundraising & Volunteer commitments

https://www.gomotionapp.com/canabspsc/UserFiles/Image/QuickUpload/2025-2026-fundraising-and-volunteer-commitments_093963.pdf

Appendix D

Fees & Payment policies

https://www.gomotionapp.com/canabspsc/UserFiles/Image/QuickUpload/2025-2026-fee-and-payment-policies_092075.pdf