TEAM OUTFITTING POLICY

Dear Wahoos Swimmer,

Earlier this year we shared with you the great news that Wahoos has renewed a Team Outfitting Agreement with Speedo, the countries leading swim apparel company.



At Jersey Wahoos, a strong Team Outfitting culture is at the center of our development as ONE TEAM. Having all our swimmers, from all our squads, looking the same in and out of the water is going to play a crucial role in connecting all parts of the program with one another and making everybody, swimmers, coaches and parents feel part of this very special Team going forward.

Our role in this agreement is to ensure ALL training suits, racing suits & in water training aids (fins, paddles etc) are consistently Speedo branded. As we enter the new season we will be encouraging this transition with the goal that by the end of October we will be fully compliant with this new policy. Once we exit the transition phase we will be more diligent in enforcing it. The pool deck at Wahoos is going to be a Speedo only area as we look to support our partners just like they support us!

For September we have listed the equipment needs of each group in the Program. This equipment is necessary to enhance either the swimmers' skill development or increase their trainability, depending on what stage of development they are at. We ask all swimmers to arrive at practice with the specific Speedo equipment included in their child's SQUAD KIT BAG. To make it easier to store and transport the new equipment we have added a Speedo Mesh Bag required to keep their wet gear in.

These Squad Kit Bags can be ordered through our new online portal at https://www.sprintlane.com/practice-group-equipment.html from here, click your practice group to view needed equipment. Please have your equipment ordered by September 18th and it will be available at the Sprint Lane for pickup by September 30th.

We ask all our members to use the SPRINT LANE On Line Store when purchasing their Speedo gear and/or equipment. Currently the Training Aids are available online. By the end of September we hope to have all items on the site. Firstly, for you our members this deal gives you access through the SPRINT LANE to large discounts on all training apparel we will use. Our prices are consistently 25% lower than Speedo's recommended retail price for normal stores. Secondly, Wahoos is a non profit organization. All our proceeds go back in to making the swimmers experience a better one. The redevelopment of the facility, the investment in additional programs (Summer LC Training, College Recruitment Support Program as examples) are ways we reinvest back in to our members and this policy is a cornerstone of our new direction. The SPRINT LANE is Wahoos primary fundraising arm and by supporting the SPRINT LANE you are supporting Wahoos and your swimmers future development. It is a win win where we provide you with great value on necessary swim specific items and you support Wahoos!