



## **NSEA Swim Competitive Team Contract and Financial Agreement**

This Contract is between NSEA SWIM INC. (“NSEA”) and Parent/Guardian (“Member”) of the athlete(s) registered with NSEA as part of the Competitive Swim Team. This Contract shall become binding for the 2023-2024 season as of the date electronically agreed upon by Member, whereupon it will be valid through July 31, 2024, and is subject to the terms and conditions contained herein.

### **Terms and Conditions**

1. **Registration Fee:** Each athlete must be registered with NSEA, North Carolina Swimming and USA Swimming. The registration fee of **\$200 per athlete** covers the cost of yearly registration for each athlete with North Carolina Swimming and USA Swimming, a team t-shirt, a team cap, and applicable insurance. The registration fee is non-refundable and non-transferable. NSEA reserves the right to cancel, change, or adjust a program based on the number of participants, weather, facility conflicts, or other unforeseen circumstances.
  
2. **Group Fees:** NSEA’s swim season runs annually for eleven (11) months from September through July. Member’s have the option of paying their dues up-front (billed in September, please note if this option is selected, it is non-refundable), eight (8) monthly payments (billed September through April), or ten (10) monthly payments (billed September through June). Current group fees are as follows:

Group	Annual	10 Month	8 Month
Splash	\$1,100	\$110	\$137.50
Tidepool	\$1,200	\$120	\$150
Riptide	\$1,300	\$130	\$162.50
Swell	\$1,250	\$125	\$156.25
Surge	\$1,500	\$150	\$187.50
Senior Surge	\$1,800	\$180	\$225

3. **Meet Fees:** Member acknowledges that meet fees, travel expenses, and other trips/events are not included in the monthly fees. Meet fees charged by the host team will vary from meet to meet. It is a Member's responsibility to understand the fees associated with each meet prior to entering an athlete in a meet. Meet fees will be invoiced to a Member's account electronically within thirty (30) days after a meet has occurred. Once an athlete has committed to a meet via TeamUnify and the commitment sign-up date has passed, the Member is financially responsible for all meet fees.
4. **Team Scholarships:** Any Member may apply for a full or partial scholarship subject to the current criteria. A new scholarship request must be submitted annually along with athlete registration. Scholarship criteria is subject to change annually at the discretion of the current scholarship committee. Any additional costs beyond those stated in the scholarship agreement (travel, meals, equipment, merchandise, etc.) are the responsibility of the Member. If a team scholarship is awarded to a Member, the full or reduced amounts from the scholarship supersede all applicable group and other fees outlined in this Contract.
5. **Monthly Fees:** Monthly fees (including group fees, meet fees, etc.) will be electronically invoiced to each Member's account on the 1st of each month. Any account with an outstanding balance on the 15th of each month, without written prior authorization, is considered past due and will be subject to the following:
  - 15 days past due \$25 late fee will be automatically assessed
  - 60 days past due - Athletes are ineligible to attend swim meets
  - 90 days past due - Athletes are ineligible to participate in practice or swim meets
6. **Payment Methods:** Credit cards, ACH payments, check, cash, or Venmo (@NSEASWIM) are acceptable forms of payment. Members whose payments are returned as insufficient funds will be charged a \$50 returned item fee per incident. Members are responsible for any returned item fees plus any unpaid account balances. All Members agree to keep a current valid credit or debit card updated in their TeamUnify Account.
7. **Withdrawal from NSEA:** I understand that my athlete may withdraw from the team at any time, provided that I give thirty (30) days written notice to both NSEA's head coach ([jp@nseaswim.com](mailto:jp@nseaswim.com)) and NSEA's treasurer ([matt@nseaswim.com](mailto:matt@nseaswim.com)). Members understand they remain financially responsible for any newly incurred fees and any outstanding balances during the thirty (30) days after receipt of written withdrawal notice. NSEA reserves the right to automatically charge Members card on file for any unpaid balance at the completion of the thirty (30) day withdrawal period.