

Dear GMY Dolphins Swim Team Family:

Welcome to the 2020/21 GMY Swim Team season. We are excited to have you on our team! This packet includes important information to ensure your swimmer's fees are paid and that proper registration forms are completed before the first day of practice.

There are 3 types of fees that must be paid to register your swimmer for the 2020-21 GMY Swim Team Season:

- 1. YMCA Practice Group Fees:** This fee is paid to the YMCA and covers the cost of the coaches salary and pool time, etc. The fee amount varies by practice group level and *is paid at the YMCA Front Desk (credit cards accepted)*. For details on the fees go to: gmyswimteam.org
- 2. YMCA Membership:** All children on the swim team must be members of the YMCA to participate. This fee varies depending on the membership type (child, family, etc.) and the duration of the membership (annual, quarterly, monthly). This fee is paid at the YMCA front desk (credit cards accepted).
- 3. GMY Swim Team Parent Organization (GMYSTPO)-Managed Fees:** These fees cover a variety of purposes and will be paid via two checks as specified below.

Please note, the YMCA Practice Group and Membership fees must be paid directly to the YMCA prior to paying GMYSTPO-Managed fees. GMYSTPO-Managed Fees are submitted in person (along with completed copies of the form in this packet) at one of the following sessions:

Parent Swim Team Orientation/Registration (Mandatory For all Families):

Mandatory: 1 parent per family MUST attend

Date: Monday, September 14th

Meeting Time: 10 & Under Age Group: 5:30pm – 6:15pm

11/12 Age Group: 6:30pm – 7:15pm

13 & Over Age Group: 7:30pm – 8:15pm

Location: Y Zone – 25 Saddle Road

All paperwork must be completed and brought to the parent meeting. Checks should be prewritten and completely filled out prior to arrival.

GMYSTPO-Managed Fees CHECK #1: Payable to "GMYSTPO", With Current Date

A. Mandatory Booster Fee (\$100/swimmer or \$150/family): Used for swim team baseline operational expenses., including, but not limited to: swimmer regular and championship season t-shirts; dual meet snacks, ribbons, and busses; invitational relay fees; scoreboard maintenance; Team Unify software fees; Colorado swim meet system; stopwatches; banquet awards; Senior swimmer gifts, etc. (Reduced for 2020/21 season due to limited season).

B. Extra T-Shirts (\$20/each), Optional: Families can purchase additional team t-shirts. See attached form for details.

GMYSTPO-Managed Fees CHECK #2: Payable to "GMYSTPO", Post-Dated To 2/1/21

C. Mandatory Swim Team Points Work Bond (\$205/family) – This check, post-dated to 2/1/21, is used to ensure that each family contributes a minimum of four (4) volunteer points. Points are earned by volunteering at dual meets, swim team events, holding various Board/Coordinator positions, or making donations as requested. Each point is assigned a monetary value of \$50. If you meet your 4 point requirement, this check will not be cashed and destroyed at the end of the regular swim team season. If you do not meet your volunteer requirement, your check will be cashed, the monetary equivalent of points owed will be kept by the GMYSTPO and any balance will be deposited in your escrow account. (Points reduced for 2020/21 season due to limited season).

We hope this information is helpful and look forward to seeing you at registration. Here's to your swimmer(s) having a great season! ~ GMY Swim Team Coaching Staff & GMYSTPO Board Members

REGISTRATION FORM & FEE CHECKLIST

Family Name _____

Returning New

Swimmer(s) Last Name _____

(if different than Family name)

Instructions: Please print (**single sided only**), complete all forms, including this page and return with payment to the GMYSTPO representatives at the in person registration in the YMCA Annex on Monday, September 14th.

I have read and understand all information on this Registration Packet. By initialing here _____, I acknowledge that the fees and work-bond have been paid and I understand my responsibilities as a GMY Swim Team family member.

Required Forms* (Please review and ensure all required forms are completed.)	Family Checklist	For GMYSTPO Use Only
1. Registration Form & Fee Checklist (one per family)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2. Family Information & Photo Consent Form (one per family)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3. Volunteer Interest Form (one per family)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4. Team T-Shirt Form (one per family)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5. Swimmer Health History Form (one per swimmer)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6. COVID-19 Waiver	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7. Swimmer Code of Conduct Form	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
8. Parent Code of Conduct Form	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
9. Safe Sport Form		

* Please note, the numbers on the items in the table above correspond to the page #s on the forms in this packet.

Payments (Please ensure fees are paid to GMYSTPO in the form of 2 checks.)	Family Checklist	For GMYSTPO Use Only
A. Booster Fee (\$100/swimmer or \$150/family) MANDATORY	\$	\$
D. Extra T-shirt Order (\$20/each)	\$	\$
Total for Check #1: _____ Check Number _____	\$	\$
E. Swim Team Points Work Bond (\$205/family) MANDATORY	\$ 205.00	\$ 205.00
Check #2: Check Number _____ post-dated to 2/1/21		

FAMILY INFORMATION & PHOTO CONSENT FORM

Family Name _____

Returning New

Swimmer(s) Last Name _____

(if different than Family name)

Instructions: Please complete the information below. Required information is noted by an asterisk * and all other information is highly encouraged.

NOTE: *Required information is needed to create a team website (Team Unify/TU) account. All meet, news and other important information are posted to TU and an account must be created in order to log onto the website (<http://www.teamunify.com/Home.jsp?team=njmcy>). All meet registration and volunteer sign up is also done via TU.

FAMILY INFORMATION:

* Swimmer Last Name _____ * Home Phone _____

* Preferred/Team Unify E-mail _____

* Address _____
(Street) (City) (State) (Zip)

* Swimmer(s) First Name: _____ ; _____ ; _____

* Father/Guardian's Name _____ * Cell # _____

* Cell Carrier _____ * I agree to accept text messages/applicable charges: Yes No

* E-mail _____ Occupation _____

* Mother/Guardian's Name _____ * Cell # _____

* Cell Carrier _____ * I agree to accept text messages/applicable charges: Yes No

* E-mail _____ Occupation _____

PHOTO CONSENT*:

During the season, we may post your swimmer's photo/video on our swim team website (www.gmyswimteam.com), the YMCA website (www.greatermorristorymca.org), the bulletin board or in the YMCA newsletter, brochure or local newspaper. Please indicate your preference by checking and then signing below.

Photo & Name: I/We Grant permission for the swimmer(s) name, photographs and personally identifiable information to be used for publicity purposes for ALL MEDIA which includes print media and websites.

Photo Only: I/We Grant permission for a photo/image that includes this swimmer(s) without any personal identifiers to be used for publicity purposes for ALL MEDIA which includes print media and websites.

No Permission: I/We DO NOT GRANT permission for the swimmer(s) name, photographs and personally identifiable information to be used for publicity purposes.

Name of Parent/Guardian (Print) _____ Date: _____

Parent/Guardian Signature _____

VOLUNTEER INTEREST FORM

(ALL THESE EARN FAMILY VOLUNTEER POINTS!)

Family Name _____

Returning New

Swimmer(s) Last Name _____

(if different than Family name)

Officials

Officiating is a rewarding volunteer position that is critical to the success of each swim meet. Being an official entitles you to benefits that other volunteer positions do not, including being on deck for the duration of meets and access to hospitality rooms. To learn more about this great opportunity, please contact Justin Pittaro at justintyme@live.com.

I am interested in becoming a Certified Official: Yes No

I am a Certified Official: YMCA OfficialYes Level _____ No

USA OfficialYes Level _____ No

Board & Other Volunteer Positions

I am interested in the following volunteer positions / helping with the following swim team events. Please have the appropriate GMYSTPO Board Member contact me.

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| Board Member <input type="checkbox"/> | Holiday Party & Gifts <input type="checkbox"/> | Team Dinners <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Pasta Party <input type="checkbox"/> | Tricky Tray Baskets <input type="checkbox"/> | Family Folders <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Swim-a-thon <input type="checkbox"/> | Harvest Invitational Meet <input type="checkbox"/> | Team Photos <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Banquet <input type="checkbox"/> | Harvest Dolphin Café <input type="checkbox"/> | Bake Sales <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Bulletin Board <input type="checkbox"/> | Harvest Hospitality <input type="checkbox"/> | _____ <input type="checkbox"/> |

TEAM T-SHIRT FORM

Family Name _____

Returning New

Swimmer(s) Last Name _____
(if different than Family name)

Swimmers T-Shirts

All swimmers are provided with one team t-shirt designed by our team captains. Team t-shirts should be worn to dual meets and for team photo. Please indicate swimmer(s) first name and size desired.

1. Swimmer's First Name _____

T-Shirt Size: YS YM YL YXL AS AM AL AXL

2. Swimmer's First Name _____

T-Shirt Size: YS YM YL YXL AS AM AL AXL

3. Swimmer's First Name _____

T-Shirt Size: YS YM YL YXL AS AM AL AXL

Extra T-Shirts

Parents/guardians may also purchase extra team shirts for their swimmers or for themselves for \$20 each.

Size	Quantity	@ \$20/each	Total
		\$20.00	\$
		\$20.00	\$
		\$20.00	\$
		\$20.00	\$
Grand Total for All Extra T-Shirts			\$

SWIMMER HEALTH HISTORY FORM

INSTRUCTIONS: Please print one form for each swimmer and complete ALL items.

Your Swimmer is NOT registered and NOT eligible to practice or compete in swim meets without this completed form!

Swimmer's Name: _____ Sex _____
(Last) (First) (MI) (M/F)

Address: _____
(Street) (City) (State) (Zip)

Home Phone: _____ Date of Birth ____/____/____

PARENT INFORMATION:

Father/Guardian's Name _____ Cell # _____ Work # _____

E-mail _____

Mother/Guardian's Name _____ Cell # _____ Work # _____

E-mail _____

EMERGENCY CONTACT: Person to contact (if parent/guardian cannot be contacted)

Name _____ Relationship _____ Phone # _____

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MEDICAL INFORMATION:

Health Insurance Carrier _____ Subscriber's Name _____

Policy # _____ ID # _____

Primary Physician _____ Phone # _____

Date of Last Physical Exam ____/____/____

Diseases (Indicate dates contracted if applicable):

Measles ____/____/____ Mumps ____/____/____ Chicken Pox ____/____/____

Rubella ____/____/____ Mono ____/____/____ Other (explain) _____ Date ____/____/____

Asthma (Y/N) ___ If yes, Inhaler _____ Doses _____

Allergies (food, medication, etc.) _____

Epi-pen (Y/N) _____ NOTE: Please attach additional detail (e.g. Allergy Action Plan) as applicable.

Medical Conditions under physician care: _____

Surgical Operations or major injuries: _____

Current Medications: _____

Dietary Modifications : _____

Restricted Activities : _____

CERTIFICATION AND EMERGENCY AUTHORIZATION:

I certify that the above information is correct in so far as I know, and the person described herein has my permission to engage in all activities except as noted. I hereby give permission to the medical personnel selected by the YMCA Director or administrator, or designee, to secure proper treatment, hospitalize, order x-rays, routine tests, injection and/or anesthesia and/or surgery for my child, in the event that I cannot be contacted in an emergency.

Name of Parent/Guardian (Print) _____ Date: _____

Parent/Guardian Signature _____

The GMY Swim Team is fortunate to have experienced coaches working to develop our children into better swimmers, and teaching and instilling important life skills such as time management, self-discipline, sportsmanship, loyalty, commitment, and hard work. With this in mind we have developed the following guidelines.

CODE OF CONDUCT FOR PARENTS:

- Set the right example for our children by showing respect and common courtesies at all times to team members, coaches, competitors, officials, board members and parents.
- Set the right example for our children by showing respect and common courtesies at all times for all facilities and property used during practice or competition.
- Understand that criticizing, name-calling, use of abusive language or gestures directed toward coaches, officials, volunteers, and/or any participating swimmer will not be tolerated.
- Demonstrate good sportsmanship and teamwork during all practices, competitions, and team activities.
- Encourage and support your child by being timely for practices and competitions.
- Recognize that our coaches are professionals and allow them to coach your child without interference during work outs and meets,
- If you have concerns address them with the GMYSTPO Board Members. They will take your concern(s) to the appropriate coach and Head Coach.

We all have specific roles:

- Swimmers – swim • Coaches – coach • Officials – officiate • Parents – parent

Read and familiarize yourself and your child with the GMY Swim Team Swimmer code of Conduct. Your child's behavior will be held to this standard. We, as a Board, want you and your child to have a positive experience in the upcoming season. Our goal is to instill confidence, loyalty, enthusiasm, and a lifelong love of swimming. Help us reach this goal! I have read and agree to abide by the Parent's Code of Conduct. I understand that not abiding by the Codes of Conduct for Parents and Swimmers as set forth by the GMY Swim Team Parent Organization may result in disciplinary actions up to and including expulsion from the GMY Swim Team and non-refunding of any fees. (**1st Offense:** Warning (Verbal/Written); **2nd Offense:** \$50 Fine & Swimmer suspended from team activities (including all practices/meets/social functions) for 1 week; **3rd Offense:** Removal from team forfeiting any fees paid to the Greater Morristown Area YMCA and GMYSTPO)

Parent's signature: _____ Date: _____

CODE OF CONDUCT FOR SWIMMERS:

The purpose of a code of conduct for GMY Swimmers is to establish a consistent expectation for our swimmers' behavior. By signing this code of conduct, I agree to the following statements:

- I will respect and show courtesy to my teammates and coaches at all times.
- I will demonstrate good sportsmanship at all practices and meets.
- I will set a good example of behavior and work ethic for my younger teammates.
- I will be respectful of my teammates' feelings and personal space. Swimmers who exhibit sexist, racist, homophobic, or otherwise inappropriate behavior will be faced with consequences.
- I will attend all team meetings and training sessions, unless I am excused by my coach.
- I will show respect for all facilities and other property (including locker rooms) used during practices, competitions, and team activities.
- I will refrain from foul language, violence, behavior deemed dishonest, offensive, or illegal.
- If I disagree with an official's call, I will talk with my coach and not approach the official directly.

I understand that if I violate this code of conduct, I will be subject to disciplinary action determined by my coaches and the GMYSTPO.

Swimmer's signature

Date

Parent's signature

Date