

Marlin News

Coaching Staff

Pam Fulton: Head Coach

Jim Fulton: Assistant Coach

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**Jared Wesbecher: Piqua Branch
Aquatics Director & team finances**

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Aquatics Director**

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under Contacts on Home page.**

October 2012

And We're Off!!

The 2012/2013 season has begun and we're off to a good start. All age groups with the exception of the 8 and unders are already practicing and it won't be long until the swimmers will be swimming in meets.

If you would like spirit wear and have not ordered it yet, please do so by October 5th. Please remember that there is an extra charge of \$2 for XXL and XXXL. There is also an added charge of \$5 for personalization. Julie Newcomer is collecting forms and payments. She will be available to answer questions and will have samples to try on Thursday, October 4th. Her email is jnewcomer3@msn.com.

There are instructions to place an order for the team suit, fins, or other items from Kast-A-Way on page



Let's Go Marlins!!

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Upcoming Events

Spirit wear order
forms due
10/05/12

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Help Wanted

We are in need of a volunteer willing to be in charge of the concession stand for our invitational this year. Your commitment to this position is for this year only and for our home invitational February 1st and 2nd. This person will be responsible for shopping, finding cooks for the stand and setting up at the invitational. There will be help, and this person will not have to do all of the shopping and delivering alone. Please contact Julie Newcomer or Leslie Merle if you are willing and interested. Thank you in advance for helping your team!!

*Swimming is the only
sport with no half
times, no substitutions
and no timeouts. It is
the only sport where
you only get 1 shot to
make your goal.*

Age Group Coordinators Needed

We are looking for parents that are willing to coordinate one out of the pool event per season for each age group. Last month, the swimmers 11 and older met for a bowling party, and we would like for all age groups to be able to participate in similar events. If you have ideas for fun and exciting activities for your swimmer and their teammates, we would love to have your help!! Please contact someone on the MCY Parent Activities Committee.

Kast-A-Way Swimwear Orders

You may place an order online at www.kastawayswimwear.com for the team suit, fins and other items at the already discounted team price if you missed the suit try-on night September 20th. Once on their website, complete the one time registration process, then click on **Sign In**. Enter the email address and password you used when registering and click on the Sign In box. (Your registration information will be emailed to you at the account you entered.)

Once signed in to your account, you may view your team page. To do this, click on **Team/Guard Central**. This is where you log in to your team account with the team login and password. Our team login is MCY and our password is SWIM (both case sensitive). If you need to make any changes to team items, please call 800-543-2763 and ask for Courtney Humphrey, our team coordinator. She can also be contacted via email at courtney@kastawayswimwear.com.



Don't Forget to Check out swimmcy.com

If you have questions about practice times, meet schedules, special events or other team information, please check the website. It is updated on a regular basis.

*How do you fix a broken
pumpkin???*

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*Some recent changes you can find under the **Times** tab are the new AA qualifying times for the 2012/2013 season.

Hayride and Hot Dogs!!!

The MPAC will be sponsoring a team hayride at Fulton Farms on Monday, October 15th at 6:00. This is a new date, so be sure to mark your calendars! There will be no practice this evening. The farm is located at 1738 South State Route 202 just east of Troy. We will be at a site on the east side of 202. Look for an MCY sign. There will also be hot dogs, buns, water, condiments and table service provided. 8 & under and 9-10 families are asked to bring a side dish, salad or veggies. 11-12 and 13 & up families are asked to bring a dessert or snack to share with the team. Other things you may want to bring include folding chairs, flash lights, bug spray and appropriate clothes for outdoors. This is always a great time to meet new families and enjoy the fall weather!



MCY team and individual photos

A photographer will be at the Robinson Branch on Tuesday, November 13th to capture swimming smiles. Individual pictures will be taken starting at 5:00 and the team picture will be taken at 6:00. Please wear your team suit

*Coach Pam may or may not choose to hold practice after all pictures are taken.

Answer:

With a pumpkin patch!!!

Interested in joining the MPAC???

If you have any interest in joining the MCY Parent Activities Committee, please be sure to let us know. We welcome new ideas!! The current committee consists of Julie Newcomer, Renee Woodward, Leslie Merle, Amy Fields, Jennifer Smith, Lisa Clark, Susan Hemm and Heather Howard.



Newsworthy

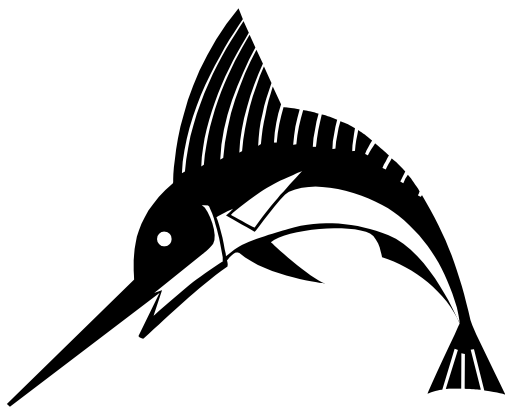
If you know something that could be added to our newsletter, please email information to Lisa Clark at lclark29@woh.rr.com. We would love to spread the word about our swimmers' achievements outside the pool too! Thank you!

October Birthdays

3rd Jameson Corliss
 8th Hannah Hennessy
 9th Shelby Campbell
 11th Caroline Weiler
 13th Victoria Jacobs
 20th Colleen Cox
 20th Miyu Sakumoto
 21st Grace Liette
 23rd Ana Rindler
 26th Aubrey Williams
 31st Annaliese Brockman



***HAPPY
 BIRTHDAY!!!***



October Meets

If you need help signing up for any meets, please see Coach Pam or contact her by email or phone. 8 and unders will begin swimming in meets after they have started practicing with the team. Most likely, the first meet for their involvement will be at our home meet November 17th.

6th	Powell Crosley YMCA Fall Sprint Meet	Saturday AM
12th-14th	Coffman YMCA Halloween Invitational	Friday-Sunday
19th	West Carrollton KEY Fall Invitational	Friday
20th	Sidney YMCA 3rd Annual Virtual Invitational	Saturday
21st	West Carrollton KEY Fall Invitational	Sunday