

Hamlin Hammerheads General Information – 2025

REGISTRATION FEES / MERCHANDISE

- Registration for **returning** members (and siblings of returning members) is March 1st – March 8th. (May register thru March 24th, but opens to all residents on March 9th)
- Registration for **new** members is March 9th-24th. Please note that we will do our best to accommodate all new members. However, there are several age groups that are quite large such as 7-8 girls, 9-10 girls, and 11-12 girls. Once these age group reach capacity, we will start a wait list.
- Registration is limited to Hamlin Residents and may be accessed at:
<https://www.teamunify.com/MemRegStart.jsp?team=rececsllhh>
- The registration costs are:
 - 1 swimmer - \$125
 - 2 swimmers - \$250
 - 3 swimmers - \$325
 - 4 or more swimmers \$400
- Team swimsuits may be purchased directly from **Blue Sky Endurance**. They will be at the Hamlin clubhouse on Sunday, March 23rd from 2-4pm. You will be able to have your swimmer be fitted for the correct size suit and also purchase your suit. If you cannot attend this day, you may purchase your swimmer's suit at Blue Sky Endurance located at The Bend in Carolina Park by Costco from March 24th until April 1st.
- Hamlin Swim caps will also be available for purchase at the swimsuit try-on session and throughout the season thru Paige. They are \$12 a piece.
- Unfortunately, Chlorine Deckwear has paused its swim store. We are looking at options for team gear and will send out information as soon as it is finalized.
- If you have any issues with the registration, please contact Paige at paigeandgreg@me.com

PRACTICE SCHEDULE

Tryouts for **new** swimmers to make sure your swimmer is safe in the water will be Wednesday afternoon, **May 7th at 5:00pm**. 5/6's and 7/8's must be able to swim one length of the pool and 9/10's must be able to swim at least 2 lengths of the pool. If your swimmer was not on the team last year, tryouts are required unless you have discussed with Paige Hall.

Afternoon practices begin **Thursday, May 8th.** (Monday thru Friday)

5:00 pm - 5:45 pm	7/8's and 9/10's
5:45 pm - 6:15 pm	6 and under
6:15 pm - 7:15 pm	11 and up's

Morning practices – begin **Friday, May 30th** (Monday – Friday) excluding Wednesday morning

7:45 am – 8:45 am	11 and up's
8:45 am – 9:15 am	6 and under
9:15 am- 10:00 am	7/8's and 9/10's

Afternoon practices – Tuesday / Thursday (**starting June 3rd**)

5:00 pm - 6:00 pm for those who missed the morning practice, or were asked by Coach Caroline (all age groups)

Wednesday Clinic (**by Coach Caroline invite** beginning June 4th)

8:30 am-9:30 am (all age groups) to work on turns/starts/finishes.

MEETS

- Dual Meets are on Wednesdays and start on May 21st. Meets are from 5:00 pm - 9:00pm (approx.).
 - May 21st Home meet vs Park West
 - May 28th Home meet vs Belle Hall
 - June 4th Away meet at Oyster Point
 - June 11th Home meet vs Hobcaw Plantation
 - June 18th Away meet vs Brickyard
- We would like for your swimmer to participate in as many meets as possible, but we understand they may miss a few meets due to vacation or other conflicts. On our team unify page is where you can “declare” or sign your swimmer up for each meet. If your swimmer is not able to attend and it is after the deadline and you cannot change their declaration, please contact our head coach.
- Make-up meets due to inclement weather are typically on the following Monday.
- Meets cannot happen without volunteers! **Parents are expected to volunteer three times a season to help with meets.** A list of volunteer positions and what it entails will be emailed out

after the season starts, and the volunteer positions will be posted on our team unify page to sign up.

- 5-6-year-old Championship meet will be on **June 24th or 25th** at TBA location. The date and location will be decided at the East Cooper Swim League Board meeting and more information will be available as the season progresses.
- The Championship meet will be on **June 28th or 29th** at TBA location. The date and location will be decided at the East Cooper Swim League Board meeting and more information will be available as the season progresses. If you are not able to go to this meet, please let the coaches or board know in advance, if a swimmer does not show up it affects the ability to have relay teams and races will be cancelled. Do **NOT** assume your swimmer **will not go** to champs unless told by the coach.
- The season concludes with the end of year banquet on **Tuesday, July 1st** and will be held at the clubhouse, more information to come as the event gets closer.

WHO DO I CONTACT IF I HAVE QUESTIONS?

Coach Caroline Bierman cebierman@icloud.com	Anything related to practice, meet entries, or anything else that happens in and around the pool.
Paige Hall – Head of Board 513-404-0107 paigeandgreg@me.com	Registration questions, feedback on the team/coaches, billing related questions, or any other questions or concerns.
Amanda Dolloff adolloff28@gmail.com	Volunteer questions or concerns

****** Please note we do not monitor the team Facebook page for questions about the team. If you have questions please email, text, or call us ******