

Volunteer Opportunities

There are many opportunities to fulfill your Aquadart volunteer hours throughout the year. These are just an example of them; there are other jobs that will come up throughout the year that you can also sign up for. These are announced via email, with instruction on how to sign up.

1. **Aquadart Board Member**
We have a board of 10-12 parent volunteers who help immensely in keeping our team running smoothly. If you think you might be interested in helping on the board, please contact Miriam Fisk at miriamfisk@sbcglobal.net.
2. **Swim Meet Help**
We host 2-3 weekend swim meets each year, and these require much parent help. There are multiple opportunities to help at these meets, including jobs pre, post, and during the meet itself. Examples of this are Timing, Snack Bar, Desk Help, Set Up, Take Down, Awards, Check-In, and much more. You will receive emails about signing up for these jobs a few weeks prior to the meets, and can sign up online.
3. **Timing at Home Swim Meets**
Parents can count timing at home meets toward volunteer time. Eligible meets are any meet we host, including our September, May, and December meets, Friday Fun Meets and City Championships. Parents are expected to time at away meets, and these hours do not count toward volunteer hours.
4. **Meet Official and Referee**
Swim meets require officials and referees, and each team is required to provide a number of these officials at each meet. To meet this obligation, we have several parents who are trained to serve in this capacity. For more information on becoming a certified USA Swimming official, please contact Kerry Halsted (lktthalsted@hotmail.com).
5. **Summerdart Help**
These jobs include helping at the annual registration, doing computer and paperwork at home, helping with t-shirt sales, Swim-For-Fun(ds), accounting of funds help, working at meet snack bars, and much more. Coach Carolee sends out period email requests for help. Most of these jobs are in the spring and summer.
6. **Summerdart Snack Bar Coordinator**
This person(s) works with Coach Carolee throughout the summer, purchasing and soliciting donations for food items, being in charge of the snack bar at three Saturday morning meets in the summer and at City Championships.
7. **Snack Bar Coordinator**
This person(s) is in charge of all snack bars for meets we host, including the May, September, and December meets.
8. **Swim-A-Thon Help**
We need volunteers to help the coordinator run the annual Aquadart Swimathon.

9. Banquet Coordinator and volunteers
Help with the annual Aquadart Banquet, held at the end of October each year. We will need help with set up, clean up, ordering awards, and decorations.
10. 4th of July Helpers
We often have an Aquadart Booth at the city's 4th of July celebration, and need parent help to staff it.
11. Team Photo Help
Work with photographer on Team Photo day; usually first week in June. Help pass out photos when they arrive afterwards.
12. Team Committees
Work with Aquadart Board members on various committees, such as Fundraising (such as Rotary Raffle), Social Events, and Finance.
13. Parent Coordinators
Help coaches with social events and be available to answer questions from other parents about swimming events.
14. Team Social Events:
We often have team social events throughout the year, and need help with parents on coordination, purchasing food, and preparing food. Examples would be Fun Meets, Movie Nights, and JO Psych Up Parties.