

Southwest Aqua Sports Swim Club Parent Volunteer Program

We are a non-profit program with professional coaches and unpaid parent volunteers. Your monthly team dues go toward paying coaches' salaries and monthly pool rental. If we were to pay for team tasks presently done by our hardworking volunteers, your dues would increase considerably.

The time volunteered by our families is essential to the continued successes of our program. Consequently, SWAS Swim Club requires each family to volunteer their time to the team or pay a fine. SWAS Swim Club's goal is to not profit monetarily from the Parent Volunteer Program, but to increase the level of volunteer participation.

The goals of the Parent Volunteer Program are threefold:

1. To provide timers and/or officials at Lubbock run swim meets.
2. To document and equalize the volunteer time donated by our families.
3. To support SWAS Swim Club's efforts to keep monthly dues as low as possible.

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The program will consist of **four responsibilities**.

1. Officials: responsible for officiating at home meets (Pete Ragus).
Officials may also officiate at out-of-town meets.
2. Timers: responsible for timing at least ONE meet a year at home meets (Pete Ragus). Usually 3-5 home meets/year.
3. Help with Christmas party and/or banquet
4. Fundraising: participation in our annual fundraiser
 - The program runs from September 1st through August 31st of each year.
 - All families are required to participate, even if none of the swimmers in the family are competitive in meets.
 - All families are responsible for their volunteer jobs/participation.