



Team Travel Commitment Policy

The Shasta YMCA Sharks swim team occasionally participates in competitions for which the team will provide a Team Travel service. Athletes who elect to Team Travel to any of these competitions will be under the direct supervision of the Sharks coaching staff and any designated chaperones from the time the team departs for the competition until the time the team returns from the competition

This Team Travel service will come at a cost to those who elect to participate. This cost will always cover travel (flight, bus, and/or rental car) and hotel accommodations. It may also cover food expenses and any related meet fees.

When coordinating Team Travel, the Shasta YMCA Sharks coaching staff will:

- Arrange all travel and hotel accommodations
- Provide a Team Travel Commitment Form (TTCF) to all athletes who wish to Team Travel that will state a due date when the Commitment Form is to be returned and payment for team travel is expected
- Provide the estimated cost of Team Travel in advance of the competition when possible
- Provide a final cost once all expenses have been finalized

Shasta YMCA Sharks team members who elect to Team Travel will be required to pay all Team Travel expenses by the date provided on the Team Travel Commitment Form.

Shasta YMCA Sharks team members who qualify for meets such as Junior/Senior Nationals after the Team Travel Commitment Form due date will be given the option to Team Travel understanding that they may incur additional costs because of higher travel expenses. Some competitions qualify for Athlete Support funding from Sierra Nevada Swimming. An Athlete Support Form will be provided for qualifying meets. Sharks athletes applying for Athlete Support and electing to Team Travel must turn in their Athlete Support Form along with their Team Travel Commitment Form prior to leaving for the National meet.