

USA Swimming Registration

In order to be a member of the Billings Family YMCA Seahawks each Athlete must be registered as a member of USA Swimming. To accommodate the various needs of our members, there are a few options to choose from.

1. **Annual Membership:** This membership is for those athletes that want to compete in more than 2 meets, and if they qualify at Championship level meets as well.
2. **Flex Membership:** This membership is for those Athletes who want to give swimming a try, are not sure they want to commit to competition, or do not want to compete in more than 2 non-championship meets in a year. If an athlete is registered as a FLEX membership but wants to UPGRADE to the ANNUAL membership, they may do that at any time. The registration fee for the FLEX membership will be applied toward the ANNUAL membership.
3. **Outreach Membership:** To qualify for outreach membership you must provide one of the following documents: Federal free or reduced hot lunch program, 1040 tax form, Food Stamps (SNAP) program, Food

Distribution Program on Indian Reservations (FDPIR), TANF, WIC, foster children, participation in Head Start, Medicaid, Medicare, Healthy Montana Kids Plus, Healthy Montana Kids, homeless, runaway, migrant, is a member of the club on a reduced or free scholarship, or their income is

within the Federal Poverty Guidelines. Cases not falling under these circumstances may be appealed to the general chair. Supporting documentation must be included with registration form.

Checks for USA Swimming Registration should be made out to the Billings Family YMCA in the amount listed on the corresponding registration form. Both check and registration form will be turned in to Coach. You may also bill a card or account that we have on file. (usually the account that swim team dues draft from)

Please see Coach Kristen with any questions.