



DOLPHIN LANE LINES

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Round Rock Dolphins Swim Team
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Coach Tom's Corner

Ladies and Gentlemen:

The Dolphins are on a roll!!! Three meets down and three victories for the Dolphins. Even better than the fact that we have won three meets is the amount of time improvements that we are still seeing from all of the swimmers. Many swimmers came up to the coaches this past weekend to share how much time they had dropped. As much as we love seeing those heat winner ribbons, there is nothing better than to see a swimmer with a huge smile after they drop time at a swim meet. Let's be sure to keep focusing on those time improvements continue the fantastic season we have going.

We have a very difficult meet ahead of us this weekend at Anderson Mill. The meet will probably run a little bit later than normal, but we still need as many Dolphins as possible to show up and swim. Get out there and swim your best and the time improvements, invitational qualifications and new records will keep coming.

On Wednesday, please look for your new lane assignments as you enter the pool. The times that were used to assign the lanes at the beginning of the season have changed for many swimmers, so in order to group like abilities, we are going to re-assign lanes for the remainder of the season. This will hopefully allow us to have more consistency in each lane and will also let us utilize both pools so we are not so crowded.

Friday will be a normal practice with one exception – PANCAKES!!! That's right, it is Flapjack Friday this week. The coaches will be giving the swimmers a tough workout that day, but the reward is getting out fifteen minutes early and getting to replenish your energy with some hot, delicious pancakes cooked poolside by Coach Mark and myself. This is a once a summer event, so don't miss it!

Don't forget about Mid Summer Night's Scream this weekend at the Sendero Springs Pool. This is always a fun party for everyone. Bring the family and enjoy food, games and all of the crazy costumes that you are sure to see. Please remember that all fundraising money is due prior to attending the Scream.

Thanks to all of the Dolphins out there that are participating in the summer reading program. Don't forget to turn in your reading log to get a Dolphin Brownie and a chance to win a gift card to Barnes and Noble - so you can buy even more books for the summer.

Have a great week and remember to wear plenty of sunscreen and stay hydrated – it's getting pretty hot out there.

Coach Tom

ATTENTION DOLPHIN PARENTS

We need a few good people to step up and continue the great tradition that is the Round Rock Dolphins. If you are interested in a Board position for next year's swim team please contact one of the following individuals.

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Silent Auction Part II

The silent auction part II is rapidly approaching and we are still in great need of items for our themed age-group baskets. We are asking each swimmer to donate at least one item for their age group baskets. Please put all items in the green basket out under the slide by the family files during each practice by Friday, June 17th. If you prefer to donate \$10.00 instead, please put it in the fundraising folder. Thank you all for helping our Silent Auction Fundraiser be a huge success!!

Princess and Fairy Basket- 6&U Girls

Water/Summer Fun Basket-6&U Boys

Arts and Craft Basket-7-8 Girls

Family Game Night Basket -7-8 Boys

PJ Party-9-10 Girls

Family Movie Night-9-10 Boys

Sun & Spa Basket-11-12 Girls

Camping-11-12 Boys

Gift Cards-13-14 Girls

Camping-13-14 Boys

Swim Meet Survival-15-17 Girls and Boys

Thank you again so much for helping to support our team! If you have any questions, please ask Tiffany Phillips or Courtney Schultze.

Reminder: Individual make-up picture day will be June 20th from 10:00 to 10:30 am, immediately following practice.

Have you captured some great photos for the annual slide show? Photos can be submitted directly to Melissa Wheeler, or drop a CD, DVD, or flash media in the Wheeler family file. Please label anything you want returned.

Also, if anyone would like to submit photos to be featured at the website, please send to webmaster@rrdolphins.org Especially photos of Dolphin and Rock Award weekly winners with their yard sign.

Join your coaches and team members at Fuddruckers this week after the Anderson Mill Meet! Lakeline location (11023 Pecan Park Blvd, Cedar Park, TX 78613)

\$7 for 1/3 lb. hamburger, fries and drink. Best deal in town. Don't forget to mention you are with the Round Rock Dolphins.

Midsummer Night Scream

Our 2011 theme is Pirates!

The place of the Summer Scream Blowout for Dolphins has been secured at Sendero Springs Pool on June 18 from 7:00 pm until 10:00. They close to the public at 8:00. With the pavilion, we are able to start on food, games and our costume contest.

Bring your own beverages for your family. Bush's is providing tea.

The pavilion at Sendero Springs is available starting at 7:00, and the pool will open for us at 8:00. Costume contest will be held between 7-8 at the pavilion area.

Our committee is looking for a karaoke machine to use at the party.

President's Perspective

Because I have two girls in my family I am well-acquainted with hair bows, excessive time spent in the bathroom and Justin Bieber. In fact, my youngest daughter and her good friend from across the street are currently squealing with delight at the Justin Beiber Never Say Never currently playing on the DVR. In addition to marveling at the lyrics of 'Eeny Meeny Miney Mo etc...', I am amazed at how much goes into producing one of his concerts. All those sets! And speakers! Its something like 5 18 wheelers full of Justin Beiber stuff.

Which reminded me of Dolphins. Stay with me: all those equipment trucks are not unlike how we travel to away meets. We have three trucks that haul all of our stuff (tents, tarps, signs, clipboards, event board, first aid stuff) and a crew of some really amazing people who make sure that our children have somewhere nice and shady where they can sit and hang out between their swimming events. That, my friends, in this hot Texas sun is definitely something to be thankful for. We are at another away meet this Saturday and again our set-up crew will haul out the trucks (even Coach Tom will be bringing some of our tents), and head to Anderson Mill before most of us are out of bed. After they arrive they will set up at least 13 tents so that we have shade for the most precious cargo in the world: our kids. Please join me in giving them a great big THANK YOU. And, if you can spare an extra 20 minutes at the end of the meet, stay and help us collapse tents, put signs away and throw the last bit of trash out.

MidSummer Night's Scream is FAST approaching. If you haven't gotten your evite, please let us know. You definitely won't want to miss this event. I have my costume already picked out! And...to leak a little secret, you will absolutely want to go to the 4th of July parade down town this year to see the awesome Dolphin float. It is pirate themed and ultra-cool. Hopefully, we'll be able to sneak some pictures from its top-secret location.

Enjoy practice this week and as usual, thank you for sharing your time and your children with this great team.

See you at the pool!
Kara

Spirit Contest for our Anderson Mill Meet

Fabulous Footwear and Fantastic Flip Flops

**Register your footwear at the Dolphin's Volunteer Tent
between 8:00 and 8:30.**

Winners will be announced at 10:00.

Show that Dolphin Pride!!

ROCK AND DOLPHIN AWARDS

DOLPHIN 10 & UNDER

Jack Hansen

Mia Prieto

ROCK 10 & UNDER

Anderson Manry

Tyler Cates

DOLPHIN 11 & UP

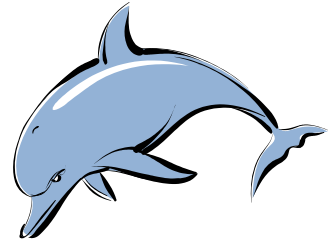
Annie Lyons

Matt Pearson

ROCK 11 & UP

Tommy Ritthaler

Caitlyn Alcantar



Left to right ~ Annie Lyons, Mia Prieto, Matt Pearson, Anderson Manry, Tyler Cates and Jack Hansen



Tommy Ritthaler (11& Up Rock)

Caitlyn Alcantar (11& Up Rock)

BINGOS

Alcantar, Caitlin

Cuellar, Alexandria

Dudley, Stephen

Hansen, Jack

Kent, Olivia

Kerr, Ainsley

Lyons, Annie

Maguire, Garrett

Mury, Joshua

Parker, Gabriel

Passarella, Bailey

Prieto, Mia

Ring, Phillip

Toney, Juji-Sarena

Vujosevic, Kristina

Wallace, Olivia

Weeks, Cassondra

Weeks, Sonya

Best Time Drops

Check out our website for Record Breaking news!

www.rrdolphins.org

Gave out 273 time improvement ribbons

Now have 61 invitational qualifiers

Reminder that swimmers must compete in 2 dual meets and have a legal time in an event to swim it at divisional.

All meets (not including invitationals) are open for signup at Swimtopia.

8 & Under

Rose, Matt	6&U B 25 BACK	23.76
Xu, Sarah	6&U G 25 FREE	21.04
Adcock, Grant	6&U B 25 BREAST	17.82
Pruitt, Erin	7-8 G 25 BACK	17.49
Kent, Nyla	6&U G 25 BACK	14.61
McCullough, Zachary	6&U B 25 BACK	12.56
Wallace, Olivia	7-8 G 25 BACK	11.23
Sims, Tarek	7-8 B 25 FLY	6.84
Adcock, Jack	6&U B 25 FREE	6.22
Thex, Samuel	6&U B 25 FREE	5.75
Harwick, Collin	7-8 B 25 BACK	5.55
Schultze, Isabelle	6&U G 25 BACK	5.49
Kerr, Ainsley	7-8 G 25 BREAST	5.39
Hartline, Alex	6&U B 25 FREE	5.27
Passarella, Bailey	7-8 G 25 FREE	4.89
Bangston, Harper M	6&U B 25 FREE	4.87
Hatch, Marian	7-8 G 25 BREAST	4.87
Cates, Tyler	7-8 G 50 FREE	4.86
Barlow, Jack	7-8 B 25 BACK	4.53

9 & Up

Peterson, Lillie	9-10 G 25 BACK	13.13
Peterson, Lillie	9-10 G 25 FREE	12.27
Kent, Olivia	11-12 G 50 FREE	7.88
Kerr, Taylor	13-14 G 50 FREE	7.81
Prieto, Mia	9-10 G 100 IM	6.51
Vujosevic, Marko	9-10 B 50 FREE	5.61
Dudley, Stephen	9-10 B 25 BREAST	5.42
Dudley, Stephen	9-10 B 50 FREE	5.13
Wendt, Caroline	11-12 G 50 FREE	4.94
Dienstbier, Rory	9-10 B 25 BREAST	4.93
Berry, Makenna	9-10 G 50 FREE	4.84
Hoskins, Sara	13-14 G 100 FREE	4.64
Jaillet, Kaitlyn	9-10 G 25 BACK	4.47
Hartline, Madeleine	11-12 G 25 BACK	4.42
Arndt, Evan	9-10 B 50 FREE	4.38
Scherger, Adam	9-10 B 25 FLY	4.18

We have two weeks until our annual Schlitterbahn adventure! Our team will go together on Monday, June 27th. Tickets will only be sold on-line for Dolphin swimmers and their families.

This summer we've partnered with Schlitterbahn to promote water safety. In turn, they have offered to share a discount for members of our organization from June 15th through June 30th. The basic offer includes admission to the Texas Schlitterbahn park of your choice, a souvenir drink bottle and a free drink for \$29.99 plus tax. So, for some cool family fun, click on the link below select the park of your choice and review the items for options. Enter the quantities of the items you want and follow the prompts. Don't forget to enter our unique promotional code in the field provided to receive the discount. If the promotional code is not entered before check out, you will be charged full price which is NOT cool! If you have any questions, feel free to contact us or Schlitterbahn Group Sales with your questions. They can be reached by phone at 830.608.8532 or by email at groups@schlitterbahn.com. Enjoy!

Round Rock Dolphins Promotional Code: 211000002

www.schlitterbahn.com



**It is time to order your NWSC Divisional/Invitational
T-Shirt**

**Make all checks payable to Round Rock Dolphins
Place form and check in Div/Inv T-shirt file in the family
file by the deadline date of June 25th**

**Questions? Contact Nancy DeBeau: 791-9192 or at
DayBow@aol.com**

**Please print out the order form from the attachment that
was sent out.**

AHOY YE DOLPHIN MATEY'S!!

**Come and see our very first ever Dolphin Swim Team float in
the 4th of July Parade in downtown Round Rock. Dolphins are
running with the pirate flag and we hope to see you there to
cheer our pirate crew on! We mean swim team coaches on!
Stay tuned for some pictures of this awesome creation.**

Thank you to all of our 2011 Sponsors!

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