

SMSC Sharkwave Newsletter
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Practice times this week are a little different due to high school meets please check your practice times!!!

SMSC vs EPAC: Our next meet is this Saturday at EPAC. Sign up sheet is posted on deck. Please sign up by 1/10/07. Those who do not communicate their intentions to the coaches will be assumed not coming.

Direction to East Penn: The swim meet this Saturday will be at the East Pennsboro Middle School. Here are the directions from their website.

Take I-81 North to the Enola exit (Rt 15 South).
At the first red light (Valley Rd) turn right.
Turn left onto Enola Drive and then the first right into the school driveway.
Once in the driveway go left up the hill and park around the back of the Middle School

Improved times from the Frosty Frolic will be posted on deck this week.

WSY 9&U Valentine Invitational is February 11th at Cumberland Valley. Entries are \$3.25 per event (max 4 events). For those interested, the info will be posted on the board at the pool. Entries are due to WSY by 2/2 so we need to get signed up quickly.

Committee Reports

Meet Director

Lisa Webber will be looking for timers for Saturday's meet. Please email ltwebber@earthlink.net or call (249-9028) her if you are available to help. Parent Volunteers are essential for running these meets so please come out and help.

Concession Stand: Our next concession will be on January 27th when we host Collegiate Aquatics.

Divisionals: T-Shirt order form is posted at the pool along with design. Please pre-order your divisional t-shirts. **Only 2 weeks left to pre-order.**

Fund Raising: We have started our sub and sandwich sale. If you need an order from, please ask at the pool. Orders are due back by January 18th (also a parent's meeting). The subs will be delivered to the pool on Wed evening Jan 24th for you to pick up. If you have questions, see Tim McCreary or Dana Gossert.

Team Pictures: Pictures were taken last week and should be available in approx 3 weeks.

Locker Room Precautions:

The locker rooms can not always be monitored by parents and coaches, so we ask that you remind your swimmers of proper locker room etiquette. Horseplay will not be tolerated in the locker rooms. Swimmers are encouraged not to share personal items such as towels, brushes etc. If swimmers forget towels, they can ask for one from the school stockpile instead of sharing. Swimmers should check to be sure they have their caps, goggles, etc before leaving. Items left behind are placed in the lost and found if located by a member of the coaching staff.

We have had several instances of the showers being left on by the last ones to use them. Please turn of the showers when you are done. Matt Brenner has asked that in the boys shower, we try not to use the shower(s) that points at the shower entrance. Due to the changes in the shower entrance, water is getting out of the shower area and pooling in the hallway. This is creating a hazard. Thanks for your help with this.

As always, if you have any questions, concerns, etc, please feel free to contact myself or any board member and we will be glad to help.

Lost and Found:

There have been several items lost in recent weeks including towels, swimsuits, jewelry, and goggles. Please check your swimmers bags and be sure they do not have something that may belong to another swimmer. There is a lost and found area at the pool where you can also check for lost items. I also have a few items I brought home from the team party including a plate and game boy.

League Top 16 times can be viewed at <http://www.swimcpal.org/2006-07/top%2016/top16titlepage.htm>. If you want to see how your times stack up against others in the league. You can also view results of other teams in our division at the following link. <http://www.swimcpal.org/2006-07/duals/2a/title%20page.htm>

Upcoming Events: SMSC at EPAC 1/13, Parents Meeting 1/18, WSY Valentines for 9&U 2/11