
GLACIER HILLS SWIM TEAM

REGISTRATION FORM

Last name	First name	Date of birth	M/F	T-shirt size youth/adult S, M, L or XL

Parents/Guardians:

Address:

Cell phone #:

Email:

Allergies/Medical conditions:

Hospital Preference:

Photo release:

I, _____ hereby give my consent for GHA to use my and/or my child(ren) listed above, photographs in our swim team slideshow and the GHA website

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Registration fees: \$40 one child, \$50 two children, \$60 three or more

Regular Season Swim Meets - please circle meets your child(ren) will miss.

Wed.. 6/27, Sat. 6/30, Sat. 7/7, Wed. 7/11, Sat. 7/14, Mon. 7/16, Wed. 7/18

Meet of Champions*:

Sat. 7/28 ages 12 and under

Sun. 7/29 ages 13 and over

*swimmers must compete in 3 official meets to qualify

Each family will need to pay a \$50 work bond check dated 8/1/2018. Your work bond will be returned after you volunteer for a minimum of **FOUR** swim meets. (It may be less or more depending on the number of registered families.) Please see the volunteer link on the swim team section of the GHA website for more information.

www.glacierhillsassociation.com

This year we will utilize the SignUp Genius website for parents to sign up to volunteer:

<http://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0D4DAEAA23AAF94-dual1>

Welcome to GHA Swim Team!

We would like to welcome all new swimmers and returning families back for another great summer of swimming!

The GHA Swim Team is a summer swim league that is part of the Morris County Summer Swim League. Our swimmers range in age from 6 through 18 and in all abilities. Our swim team will teach basic competitive swimming skills, build self-esteem, and improve strokes. The goals of our swim team are for the children to learn, swim, individual improvement, be on a team and engage in friendly competition. It is a great way to meet new friends, stay active and have lots of fun!

Practice Schedule - Practices will begin **June 11**

- Before school gets out practices will be held from 6:00 - 7:00 pm
 - Children 10 & under: Tuesdays and Thursdays
 - Children 11 & over: Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays
- Starting **Monday, June 25th** practice will be Monday – Friday as follows:
 - Children ages 10 and under: 9:00 – 10:00 am
 - Children ages 11 and over: 10:00 – 11:30 am
- Evening practices are 7:00-8:00pm. These practices are only for children that cannot attend morning practice due to camp. This is not for children who don't want to get up early in the morning!

Swim Meets

- We have three home meets, we ask each family to donate food (indiv. wrapped) or beverages (water, sunny d, soda, Gatorade) please check sign up genius for items. Sign up link will be forwarded soon. **If you do not wish to donate at each of the home swim meets, we ask you to make a \$20 snack stand donation, CASH ONLY please.**
- We will have dual meets on weeknights at 6:00 pm and Saturdays at 9:00 am. Each meet will be against another team in the Morris County Swim League. The league sets the schedule.
- Please **arrive 1 hour before** the meet is scheduled to begin. The coaches spend a lot of time trying to fit all the swimmers into races and knowing who will not attend is very important. If you are going to be late or absent at the last minute, please arrange a.) coverage if you are scheduled to volunteer and b.) tell a fellow swimmer to let the coaches know so they can modify the meet sheets – ideally, you should contact the coach ahead of time to notify him.
- While at the meets, it is essential that all swimmers stay in the location designated by the coaches. They should never leave the pool deck, this is important for the marshalling of the swimmers.
- **Please do not leave a meet early.** Even though your swimmer may be finished with his/her races, there is a chance we will need the swimmer to fill in for someone who may not be feeling well at the last minute. We are a team, and we want to cheer for **all** the children on when they swim. If you need to leave early, please make sure the coaches know.
- **After a meet** – especially an away meet, please clean up. Remember that we are guests at the competitor's pool and we should treat their facilities with the respect we would expect from visitors coming to GHA.

Weather

In the event that a practice or meet is cancelled due to weather, you will receive an email as soon as we know.

Website

Please check the GHA website for any additional updates. <http://glacierhillsassociation.com/home>

PARENT VOLUNTEERS

Each family will need to submit a \$50 work bond check dated 8/1/2018.

The success of our swim team requires many hours of volunteer time. It takes about 22 volunteers to run a swim meet. In order to pull this off we are requiring each family to volunteer for a minimum of **FOUR** swim meets. Your work bond will be returned at the end of the season if you fulfilled this obligation. (It may be less or more depending on the number of registered families.)

This year we will utilize the SignUp Genius website for parents to sign up to volunteer. Descriptions of the positions that are needed are listed below. We will happily train you on any position. Please use the following link to sign up! <http://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0D4DAEAA23AAF94-dual1>

We have a shortage of officials and finish judges, please consider training for one of these positions.

There will be an officials training in June - dates TBD

Please contact Alicia Sabitini or Judy Hernandez if you are interested.

Volunteer Descriptions:

() = how many volunteers needed per meet ** = home meets only

Officials: (2) Run the meet, interpret the rules, and monitor swimmer's stroke and turn execution. Officials need to be certified through a clinic.

Timers/Backup Timer: (7) Timers are responsible for timing each race using a stopwatch provided by the team. There is a timer from each team working each lane, but the home team timer writes both times down on the card and then gives it to the runner.

Finish Judge: (1) Stands at the finishing end of the pool and marks who finishes in what place. Place is usually determined by the swimmer's time, but if two swimmers tie according to the stopwatches, the place judge results may be used to overrule the time.

Runner: (1-2) Collects the timers and finish judges' slips and delivers them to the scorer's table.

Table Scorers: (2-3**) Two scorers work the entire meet. They record all swimmers times and points earned, they keep official swimmers entries for each team and record heat place winners.

Concession Stand: (2-3**) Sells concessions at the home meets. Collects parent donations and checks family names off for each donation.

50/50 Raffle Sales: (2**) Sells 50/50 Raffle tickets.

Set up / break down: (3-5**) Setting up the pool for the swim meet. Removing ladders and diving boards, setting up starting blocks, flags, lane lines, and tables. After the meet, we need to undo everything we just did.

Ribbons: (1) to complete ribbons for the swimmers who place in their races. Ribbons and results will be provided.

Glacier Hills Swim Meets 2018

Saturday, June 23th – Red and Black Meet

Wednesday, June 27th – Pleasant Valley @ GHA

Saturday, June 30th – Lake Hiawatha @ GHA

Saturday, July 7th – GHA @ Stardust

Wednesday, July 11th – GHA @ Morris Plains

Saturday, July 14th – Bee Meadow @ GHA

Monday, July 16th – GHA @ Burnham

Wednesday, July 18nd – GHA @ Cromwell

Saturday, July 21th – BYE

Monday, July 25th – make up meet if needed

Meet of Champions

by invitation only

Saturday, July 28th – 12 and under (Pleasant Valley)

Sunday, July 29th – 13 and over (Chester)

Sign up link for volunteering and for snack donations, PLEASE!!!

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Addresses to Pools

Stardust Pool

48-58 Raynor Road, Morristown
973-267-9585

Morris Plains Community Park Pool

51 Jim Fear Drive, Morris Plains
973-538-3455

Burnham Park

Burnham Parkway & Route 124, Morristown
973-292-6727

Cromwell Hills Community Pool

Weathervane Drive, Morristown
973-539-0822

Pleasant Valley

GPS address: 3405 Valley Road, Basking Ridge, NJ 07920

Chester Area Pool

137 North Rd, Chester, NJ 07930
809-879-2915