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News and Information for Georgetown Country Club Swim & Dive Team Members

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Look for Weekly Updates in the Penguin Press

This newsletter will be your source for information and updates about the 2008 Georgetown Country Club Swim & Dive Team. We will publish a newsletter each week, and email it to you. It also will be posted each week on the Aquatics bulletin board just outside the pool office, and will be available on the club website:

www.georgetowncc.org. The newsletter will include information about upcoming meets, other Aquatic events such as Top of the Pool, and championship information.

Family File Folders

The Aquatics Program has a large file folder box on the pool deck with folders listed alphabetically by swimmer/diver last name. Throughout the week we will place important information in these folders, including flyers for upcoming events, volunteer sign-up opportunities, meet ribbons your children win, and other information. Please plan to check your file regularly for the most updated information. As we work hard to get underway, we may inadvertently miss putting in a folder or two. If your family's folder is missing, please use one of the blank folders in the back of the box, put your child's name on it, and place it in the box. Team information also will be posted on the Aquatics bulletin board just outside the Pool Office. This is where you'll sign up for meets and to volunteer.

Speaking of Volunteering...

The Georgetown Country Club Aquatics Program is self-funded and completely volunteer driven. Your help is needed in a variety of areas. Remember, no one has to do everything, but everyone should do something! Look on the Aquatics Bulletin Board outside the Pool Office to sign up for volunteer opportunities. Help us make this a special swim/dive season for your child.

Adult/Child Swim & Dive Meet (Pancake Breakfast Fundraiser)

We hope you and your child will be able to attend the first meet of the season (Saturday, June 14), which is a fun intrasquad meet with a new twist this year. The children will be competing against Mom and Dad! You do not need to have a competitive swimming or diving background to participate in this meet but simply need to have the desire to have a good time and make a lasting memory for your child. **ADULTS OF ALL ABILITY LEVELS ARE WELCOME TO PARTICIPATE!** Don't swim or dive? We need help with cooking, timing, marshalling, etc. **Please register to help** (forms on the pool deck bulletin boards).

REGISTRATION DETAILS: Children and parents must **register by Wednesday at noon** if you plan to participate. The meet registration forms can always be found on a bulletin board by the lifeguard office. We cannot guarantee participation to members who register after the Wednesday deadline as meet line-ups must be prepared in advance.

Warm-ups begin at 8:00 a.m. with the meet to follow at 9:00 a.m. We will have a parent meeting before the meet begins to get new members up to speed on what to expect for the season. After the meet we will be serving pancakes, sausage, milk, juice and coffee for \$5/person or \$20/family. This has been a great fundraiser for us in the past and we hope you will stay after the meet to help support the aquatics program.

2008 Swim and Dive Meet Schedule

The following is the swim and dive meet schedule. PLEASE remember to sign up for all meets on the bulletin board by the pool office by Wednesday at noon before each meet. This is crucial to the coach's event line-up. We cannot guarantee your child will be able to participate if you do not register by Wednesday at noon.

Swim Meet Schedule

(Swimmers need to arrive by 8:00 a.m. for warm-ups; meet begins at 9:00 a.m.; except for the Travis Pointe Meet.)

- Saturday, June 14 — Adult/Child Intrasquad Meet @ Georgetown
- Saturday, June 21 @ home (Liberty Athletic Club)
- Saturday, June 28 @ home (Chippewa)
- Wednesday, July 9 away (Travis Pointe Country Club), 5:00 p.m. warm-ups, 6:00 p.m. meet start
- Saturday, July 12 away (Forestbrooke)*
- Saturday, July 19 @ home (Orchard Hills)

* *Will more than likely be moved to GTCC*

Dive Meet Schedule

(Divers need to arrive by 5:00 p.m. for warm-ups; meet begins at 6:00 p.m.; except for the adult/child meet & the Travis Pointe Meet)

- Saturday, June 14 — Adult/Child Intrasquad Meet @ Georgetown, 8:00 a.m. warm-ups, 9:00 a.m. meet start
- Friday, June 20 @ home (Liberty Athletic Club)
- Friday, June 27 @ home (Chippewa)
- Tuesday, July 8 away (Travis Pointe Country Club), 4:00 p.m. warm-ups, 5:00 p.m. meet start
- Friday, July 11 away (Forestbrooke) *
- Friday, July 18 @ home (Orchard Hills)

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Regular Summer Practice Schedules Beginning the Week of June 15:

Swim Practice Schedule

Ages 11 and Up: 11:00-noon, Monday – Friday

Ages 9 & 10: 9:00-10:00 a.m., Monday – Friday

Ages 8 & Under: 10:00-11:00 a.m., Monday – Friday

Dive Practice Schedule

Ages 8 & Under: 11:00-12:00 a.m., Monday – Friday

11 and Up: 9:00-10:00 a.m., Monday – Friday

9 & 10: 10:00-11:00 a.m., Monday – Friday

Synchro Practice Schedule

Novices: noon – 1 p.m., Monday - Thursday

Intermediates: 1 – 2 p.m., Monday - Thursday

Aquatics on the Web

www.georgetowncc.org Click on Aquatics!