



YMCA MASSAD MARLINS SWIM TEAM 2019 Registration Form



Child must be 5 years of age by June 1st & swim the length of the pool (No exceptions)

Advance Registration for Returning Marlins Families: April 1-7th

Registration opens up for all: April 8th **Swim Team Registration Fees**

Water Park Season Pass Holder or YMCA Stingray Swimmer	Member of the Y ONLY (no Water Park pass)	Non-Member
\$90	\$140	\$190

**“Meet the Coaches” Party
May 19th
3:30 to 5:30pm
INDOOR Wellness Pool**

- No sibling discounts
- T-shirts are provided to swimmers if registered by May 25, 2018

First name	Last name	DOB	Age as of June 1	Shirt size (choose from youth or adult sizes small to XL)	M/F	Fee per swimmer

Home Address _____ City _____, VA Zip code _____

Home Phone Number _____ Email _____

Father's Name _____ Cell Phone Number _____

Mother's Name _____ Cell Phone Number _____

_____ I understand that I am **required** to volunteer in each meet my child(ren) participate in. All families are required to register for their volunteer assignments at www.signupgenius.com. Failure to meet the volunteer requirement will result in children not qualifying to participate in the swim meet(s). **(Please initial)**

_____ I understand that I am to notify the coach(es) at least 2 days in advance that my child(ren) will be unable to swim in a meet. I also understand I am responsible for finding a substitute for the volunteer position I filled. *Failure to notify the coach(es) may result in my child not swimming in the next meet.* **(Please initial)**

Please list any swimmer who does NOT want to participate in our Big (11yr and above)/Little (10U) program.

Total Marlins team fee of \$ _____

Purchasing a Season Pass today? _____ (If not Members of the Y, must pay pass price in full today)

Total fee of \$ _____ payable to YMCA by cash, check, Visa or MasterCard.



Disciplinary & Behavior Management Policy

A child’s participation in the Marlin’s program depends upon his or her behavior. We want each and every child to enjoy & benefit from their experience on the Marlins Swim Team and with the Y.

Please make certain that your child is aware of the basic rules of safety and conduct outlined below. Parents will be informed by phone, in writing and through parent conferences if their child continues to display poor behavior. General discipline techniques involve positive reinforcement of good behavior and careful explanation of behavior that is unacceptable. An activity will be denied for repeated poor behavior and the child will be directed to an alternative activity. Physical discipline will NOT be used nor will food be denied as punishment.

Failure to comply with the following simple rules may lead to disciplinary action, possible suspension and/or termination from the program:

- Repeatedly engaging in fighting as a way to solve an issue.
- Stealing or defacing Y property or the property of other children.
- Refusing to follow basic safety rules.
- Repeated disrespect of staff or rude or discourteous behavior toward other children.
- Repeatedly displaying an inability to follow established guidelines.
- Bullying on any level will NOT be tolerated. YMCA reserves the right to immediately suspend and/or terminate services due to violation of this policy.

I have reviewed these rules with my child/ren and agree to abide by all policies set forth.

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____

SUMMER CAMP INFORMATION

Will your child be attending Massad’s Summer Camp program? Y / N

If yes, please sign/initial the following:

_____ I understand that if my swimmer is being transported by staff to & from practice, I must complete the Swim Team Information form and submit it with the Summer Camp registration packet.

_____ I understand that I am responsible for adding coaches names to the “Authorized Pick-Up/Drop-Off” section of their Summer Camp registration form, so that they are allowed to take my child to/from practice & Summer Camp.

I understand that the Marlins program and the Summer Camp program are operated by different staff, and that my failure to complete & sign both forms may result in my child being unable to practice or be signed into camp.

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____

WAIVER/RELEASE OF LIABILITY

The enrolled participant and the parent/guardian of the participant (if the participant is under the age of 18), agree and understand that swimming is a HIGH RISK ACTIVITY. I recognize that there are risks inherent in the sport of swimming, which could result in (but not limited too) paralyzing injuries and death.

The participant hereby agrees to participate in the Rappahannock Swim League program and hereby agrees to indemnify and hold harmless the Rappahannock Swim League, Inc., its coaches, officers, directors, agents, volunteers, and employees, including its swim team and their respective coaches, officers, directors, agents, volunteers and employees against any liability resulting in injury that may occur to the participant while participating in the Rappahannock Swim League program. The participant also agree to indemnify the Rappahannock Swim League Swim League Inc., and the Massad YMCA Marlins Swim Team from any liabilities, demands, claims, or law suits arising from the actions or inactions of the participant.

The participant and the parent/guardian of the participant authorize any representative of the Rappahannock Swim League, Inc. or the Massad YMCA Marlins Swim Team to have the participant treated in any medical emergency during their participation in the Rappahannock Swim League Program. Further, the participant and the parent/guardian agree to pay all the costs associated with medical care and transportation of the participant.

I have noted below any medical/health problems of which the staff should be aware.

SWIMMER #1 NAME: _____

SWIMMER #2 NAME: _____

SWIMMER #3 NAME: _____

SWIMMER #4 NAME: _____

I HAVE CAREFULLY READ THE ABOVE LIABILITY RELEASE AND SIGNED IT WITH FULL KNOWLEDGE OF ITS CONTENTS AND SIGNIFICANCE.

PARENT/GUARDIAN SIGNATURE: _____

DATE: _____

Medical/Health Conditions: _____

I HAVE CAREFULLY READ THE ABOVE LIABILITY RELEASE AND SIGNED IT WITH FULL KNOWLEDGE OF ITS CONTENTS AND SIGNIFICANCE.

PARENT/GUARDIAN SIGNATURE: _____ DATE: _____

PARENT/GUARDIAN PRINTED NAME: _____

Photo Release: My signature below authorizes the Rappahannock Area YMCA, Inc. and Massad Marlins affiliates to take & use photos of the registered participant while involved in Y activities for promotional purposes. My signature further authorizes the use of the name of participant in conjunction with photos taken.

Signature: _____ DATE: _____

OR I DO NOT AUTHORIZE the Rappahannock Area YMCA, Inc. to use my child's photo or name for promotional purposes.

VOLUNTEER POSITIONS

Welcome returning and new Marlins families. We are excited about the 2019 swim season. The season can only be successful with all of us participating with volunteer efforts. We do require that when you have a swimmer entered in a meet that you carry out a volunteer position at that meet. All volunteer shifts end when the half you volunteer is over, not when your swimmer is finished with their races. There will be times that we need to remove swimmers from their events when their parents continually do not step up to help with volunteering. We don't like to do this to the kids, but our meets are completely run on volunteer (our) effort. We can't do it smoothly when all positions are not filled. Lack of parent volunteering can also result in swimmers not being allowed to swim at finals. If you sign up but become unavailable to fulfill your duties please let us know ASAP rather than just not showing up.

Some positions require approved training and we encourage you to take a class so we can have as many trained volunteers as possible. Please read the short description of each volunteer position. Dates of training classes TBD.

PLEASE REFER TO THE RAPPAHANNOCK SWIM LEAGUE WEBSITE FOR MORE DETAILED DESCRIPTIONS AND DUTIES

*REFEREES AND STROKE/TURN JUDGES ARE CERTIFIED EVERY YEAR

*STARTERS, CLERK OF COURSE, SCORERS AND HEAD TIMERS ARE CERTIFIED EVERY OTHER YEAR

REFREE: has full authority over all officials and controls the flow of the meet. Has final word on decision when opinions of other officials differ. Must sign score sheet at end of meet.

STARTER: Starts the races after getting the signal from the referee. Directs competitors by saying, "Take your mark" then activating the starting device.

STROKE AND TURN JUDGE: Observe the swimmers to be sure all rules of each stroke are being performed by guidelines set forth from the RSL.

HEAD TIMER: Instruct all timers, assign lanes and verify accuracy of all stop watches.

LANE TIMERS: perform timing duties in their lanes assigned by the head timer.

SCORE KEEPERS: Each team provides 3 scorers. One person from each team assumes the positions of scorer, recorder and data checker.

CLERK OF COURSE: Collects entry cards from each team and organizes swimmers into their events, heats and lanes.

SAFETY MARSHALL: Make sure all RSL safety measures are being followed during warm ups and during the meet. Great for parents with small children.

ANNOUNCER: Make all announcements during the meet ensuring that said announcements do not interfere with the starter or any other officials.

RUNNER: Deliver time sheets from timers to scorers.

AWARDS CLERK: Attain race results and affix stickers to the ribbons

HEAT RIBBONS: Hand ribbons to the winners of each heat.

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6 and Under and 7/8's to have two Team Parent Representatives. Older groups to have one Team Parent each. This position does **not** replace your mandatory volunteer meet requirements and only serves as an additional volunteer position for parents who want to be more involved and invested in the team

Our Marlins Big and Little Program: is designed to create deeper friendships within the team, encourage good sportsmanship, and help families new to the team and younger swimmers feel connected and included in the Marlins spirit. Younger swimmers are paired up with an older swimmer mentor throughout the season and are encouraged to cheer for each other during the meets. Additionally, Bigs and Littles enjoying gifting each other with small treats or handmade signs at the meets to offer each other support throughout the summer.

Signature: _____ DATE: _____