



Splash Flash



December, 2008

DECEMBER EVENTS

- December 3rd** – Scrips order due.
December 7th – Rocky Mtn Assoc Clinic – Purple & Gold Teams (info has been sent home)
December 7th – Splash Holiday Party (invite was sent home Sat, 11/24)
December 17th – Splash Board Meeting. All families invited. 6-8 p.m. at Sheridan.
Dec. 24th, 25th, 31st & Jan 1st – No practice

SPLASH HOLIDAY PARTY

The date has been set for the Splash Holiday Party, Sunday, December 7th! The entire family is invited, details have been sent home, if you have not received your invitation – please contact Shari or Jolene Roberts. Secret Synchro names have been drawn, \$10 limit on gifts - please.

We will also hold the annual ornament exchange (please wrap your ornament) – all swimmers, parents, siblings are invited to join in - \$5 limit on each ornament, please.

Hope to see you there!

December Birthdays

Coach Andrea – 12/02
Claire Vrooman – 12/05
Kelsey Welter – 12/14

Elizabeth McNichols – 12/20
Lila Salley – 12/21

SPLASH BOARD MEETINGS

All parents are invited to attend any and all board meetings held by Splash. All meetings are held on the first Wednesday of each month. The next meeting is December 17th.

SEQUINING HELP?

If anyone is interested in paying to have their suit(s) glittered, rhinestoned or sequined please contact Coach Katy.

Scrip Cards for the Holidays

Holiday Shopping is one of the best times to take advantage of Scrip card purchases and earn some credits towards your swimmer's dues. Purchase them as gift cards to give to family, friends, business acquaintances or to use for your own holiday shopping. There are extra seasonal bonuses being offered by such retailers as Macy's, Sears, Bath & Body Works, Eddie Bauer and Gap. Please log on to www.glscrip.com to see the hundreds of participating retailers. Our next order will be placed on Wednesday, December 3rd and the cards will be delivered to the pool the following Monday night at practice. Janet Wertz will put a "Scrip" holiday gift guide flyer in your folder next week so start thinking Scrip for the holidays! Please contact Janet Wertz

with any questions @ (303) 850-0629 or wertz.family@comcast.net.

GONE OVER THE HOLIDAY BREAK?

As usual – please let your coach know if you are going to be gone for any of the regular practices over the holiday break or just “sign out” on the calendar by the bulletin board in the office.

Regular practices will be:

Saturday, 12/20 (as usual) – Nathalie here.

Monday, 12/22, 5:30-7:30 p.m. (silver & teal teams), 5:30 – 8:00 p.m. (purple & gold teams)

Wednesday, 12/24 Christmas Eve – No Practice.

Thursday, 12/25, Merry Christmas – No Practice.

Saturday, 12/27 (as usual)

Monday, 12/29, 5:30-7:30 p.m. (silver & teal teams), 5:30 – 8:00 p.m. (purple & gold teams)

Wednesday, 12/31 New Year’s Eve – No Practice.

Thursday, 1/1/09, Happy New Year – No Practice.

Saturday, 1/3 (as usual)

BINGO BITS

BE GREEN!

Help us save money, and save trees by picking up the Bingo Game formats each session to be re-used. We have found that if you pick them up just as the last game starts, they are less likely to be thrown away. We almost always have at least one extra person in the pickle bar during the last game-- won't you be our "green keeper" and pick up the game formats?

DID YOU KNOW?

Did you know that EVERY pickle winner over \$20 that is either played back OR paid out must be kept? So, if you are cashiering or working the pickle bar, if you have a \$20 winner, turn it in with the take-in sheet.

Thank you!

Leslie Herndon, Bingo Manager

BINGO

I am in the process of renewing our Bingo license for 2009. To do so, I must turn in a list of people who are authorized to work Bingo for Splash. So, if you have someone **OTHER** than yourselves, or your swimmer who will be helping with your bingo commitments (other children over 14, aunts, uncles, grandparents, etc), who are **NOT** already on the bingo schedule, please email the names that you would like listed (first and last, please). I need this information no later than December 13th.

Please note: in the Splash bingo handbook it specifically states that a **parent** must be present along with any other family member to work-- this includes swimmers-- you cannot send your swimmer and/or a sibling to work bingo without you being present as well .

ALSO-If your last name (or the last name of anyone listed to work bingo to fulfill your family's commitments) is different than that of your swimmer, please send me that information. The Secretary of State requires that the names on the list match your government issued ID.

DID YOU KNOW? It is a state regulation that all bingo workers have a photo ID on them when working Bingo. So, don't forget your ID!

Please contact me directly should you have any questions!

Leslie Herndon, Bingo Manager

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SECRET SYNCHROS FOR HOLIDAY PARTY

Secret Synchro names have been drawn. There is a \$10 limit on the gift. You are welcome to put your name on the gift or to leave it as a “secret”!

If for some reason you are not able to attend the holiday party on Sunday & pulled a name to give a gift to, please make sure that the gift gets there (even if you can't), or bring them to practice on Saturday, 12/6 & we will make sure they get delivered. We

don't like to see sad faces at a party!
Thanks!