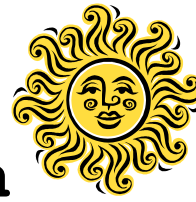




Splash Flash



End of December, 2008

HAPPY HOLIDAYS!

DECEMBER & JANUARY EVENTS

Dec. 24th & 25th – No practice

Dec. 31st & Jan. 1st – No practice

Jan 3rd – No practice

Jan 5th – First practice at Hinkley!

Jan. 21st - Splash Board of Directors Meeting, 5:30-8 p.m. at Hinkley

January 25th – Rocky Mtn Figure & ½ Routine Meet, Purple & Gold Teams at TVHS (more info to follow)

JANUARY BIRTHDAYS

Audrey McMahon – 1-10

Coach Melanie – 1-17

Amber Dalton – 1-20

HAPPY HOLIDAYS EVERYONE!

A truly heartfelt thank-you to each & every one of you associated with our very special team. All of us as coaches are always very touched by the generosity & kindness of the families on our team. We are all very lucky to have the support & dedication of each and every one of you.

Please take the time during this holiday season to share life's gifts of love and friendship.

WE HAVE A NEW HOME!

Beginning Monday, January 5th we will begin practices at our new "home" - Hinkley High School! We are truly lucky to have been able to secure practice time at ONE pool and with almost the identical same times that we have had at Sheridan for about 30 years! Right now the only difference is Saturday morning will run from 8 am - 10 am, we are hoping that this will be able to change in the future, but right now we are just happy to have the water time!

HUGE thank you's to everyone that worked SO hard to help us find a home - Karen, Mary, Katy, Kathy, Brittany & anyone else that I have forgotten to mention. It was an exhausting search with hours of phone calls and many miles traveled.

PRACTICE TIME CHANGE!

Please remember that Saturday practices move to 8 am – 10 am beginning January 10th!

HOLIDAY PARTY

THANK YOU' S!

A huge thank you to Jolene Roberts and her family for their hours of preparing for and hosting the Holiday Party. It was so much fun!

NEW SWEATS & SPLASH GEAR

Now that everyone has been receiving all of their new Splash sweats, shirts, etc... Please make sure to go home & immediately write your name on the items so that they do not get mixed up.

SUIT & HEADPIECE INFO

Please do not wait until the last minute to design headpieces & sequin & rhinestone suits. If we have to order any of the above we would rather know about it now – not the day before the meet!

½ ROUTINE MEET

Purple & Gold Teams

Sunday, January 25th
at TVHS

Figures – those being done at
Zones.

Routines: Half routine or 2min
(whichever comes first);
10-u AG, 11-12 AG,
13-15 (Zone Invitational),
15-up (Zone Senior).

NEWSLETTER NEWS

A minimum of once a month the *Splash Flash* is put in the swimmer's mailbox & is also sent out via email. Please take the time to read this very important newsletter. This is our way of communicating team information to every family.

If you have something you would like to be printed in the newsletter, please email it to Shari. (I do attempt to send out the newsletter around the 1st of the month & around the 15th).

If you are not receiving this newsletter, please contact Shari. There are always extra copies of the newsletter in the mailbox bin at Sheridan and the newsletters are posted on the Splash website at www.rmsplash.org

SEQUINS

After you receive your suit/headpiece it is time to start sequining! All sequins & beads are at every practice. Just check with Shari to help you get what you need. Be sure to return any unused items to Splash when you are done.

FRIENDLY REMINDER

All families need to read and sign the Parent Handbook and get them to me by January 7. (I think I had originally asked for them by Jan. 3), I've only received about 7 so far.

Thank you, Mary Wybenga

HOLIDAY PRACTICE SCHEDULE

Regular practices will be:

Saturday, 12/20 (as usual)

Monday, 12/22, 9:00 am – 2:00 p.m.
(purple & gold teams), 5:30 – 7:30
pm (silver team), 5:30 – 8:00 pm
(teal team)

Tuesday, 12/23, 9:00 am – 2:00
p.m. (purple & gold teams)

Wednesday, 12/24, No Practice.

Thursday, 12/25, No Practice.

Saturday, 12/27 – (as usual)

Monday, 12/29, 9:00 am – 2:00 p.m.
(purple & gold teams), 5:30 – 7:30
pm (silver team), 5:30 – 8:00 pm
(teal team)

Tuesday, 12/30, 9:00 am – 2:00
p.m. (purple & gold teams)

Wednesday, 12/31 – No Practice

Thursday, 1/1, No Practice

Saturday, 1/3 No Practice

Monday, 1/5 First practice at
Hinkley High School!

THE MOVE

Tuesday, December 30th will
be the last day of practice at
Sheridan, with that we will
need to move **3 LARGE** boxes
out of the pool area. These
are the ones that currently
hold our sound system &
other training tools. We will
definitely need a pick-up size
truck to move them. If
anyone is available to help us
out, please let me know.

Apparel Update

For Sale:

**Brand new Splash purple team
bag - ready for your name to be
put on! \$52**

For Sale:

**Brand new Splash dress sweats
- size Medium - \$99**

**If you ordered a 2009 Splash
Team T-shirt, please see Karen
Welter to get your shirt. They
are \$6.50 each.**

**If you ordered dress sweats or a
team bag, please make
arrangements with Karen Welter
to get your items paid for and
picked up.**

**If you are interested in navy
blue yoga pants with a team
logo, please order from Karen by
Dec. 30.**