



Splash Flash

Mid-January, 2012



JANUARY & FEBRUARY EVENTS

January 18th - Board of Directors Meeting, 5:45-8 pm at Hinkley

January 22nd – “Whatever is done” routine meet and figure competition at TVHS. **Purple** & **Gold** Teams

January 28th – Knoxing clinic during practice. All new families or those needing a reminder.

February 4th – Novice/Intermediate Meet at Hinkley, **Silver**, **Teal** & **Navy** Teams

February 15th – Board of Directors Meeting, 5:45-8 p.m. at Hinkley HS

Feb 19th – Senior Association & 11-12 & 13-15 Age Group Invite, Veterans Memorial Pool – Thornton. **Purple** & **Gold** Teams

February 20th – No practice – Pool Closed!

JANUARY & FEBRUARY BIRTHDAYS

Coach Melanie – 1/17

Coach Miranda – 1/17

Aria Zhou – 1/21

Coach Brittany – 2/14

Erika Guilbault – 2/17

Joanna Liu – 2/20

2012 ROCKY MTN

NOVICE/INTERMEDIATE MEET

This meet will be held on Sunday, February 4, 2012 at Hinkley! The schedule is included in this newsletter. Competing in this meet will be the **Silver**, **Teal** & **Navy** Teams!

DON'T FORGET!

Please don't forget your big/little sisters for their first meets! For the Novice/Intermediate meet (2/4) & the Age Group Invite/Senior Association Meet (2/19) we would like for you to share with your big/little sister **your favorite inspirational saying**. This may be something bought or handmade – be creative! If you aren't able to attend their meets, please bring your good luck items to practice the week before the meets.

WE ARE MOVING!

Due to upcoming pool renovations, Hinkley Pool will be closing on February 12th for the rest of our season. Our last practice at Hinkley will be Saturday February 11th, and the rest of the season we will be at Central High School.

The address for Central High School is: 11700 East 11th Avenue, Aurora.



5..4..3..2..MEET TIME!

Assuming there are NO snow days.....

Counting Wednesday's practice there are only 7 practices until the Novice/Intermediate meet!

Counting Wednesday's practice there are only 19 practices until the AG Invitational & Senior Association Meet.

SPLASH IS HOSTING THE FEBRUARY 4TH MEET!

On February 4th the Novice/Intermediate Meet will be held at our home pool, Hinkley H.S. With that comes a lot of responsibility as far as set-up, concessions, hospitality and clean-up along with the regular volunteering duties for the meet.

Phil Grambart is in charge of volunteers for concessions on our team & shortly will be sending out an email asking for donations for concessions.

Karen Meyer is in charge of getting volunteers for competitions. She will be sending out an email asking for volunteers for other duties.

It is very important to have everyone come to the meet on Saturday, not only to cheer on our swimmers but also to volunteer & help our team.

Thank you in advance for your support – it is going to be tons of fun!

KNOXING CLINIC

During practice on Saturday, January 28th, we will be explaining how to put hair up for a meet (also known as knocking). If you have never done this before, or need a refresher, please be sure & attend this very important demo!

B-I-N-G-O

Thank you to everyone that worked our "must go" at bingo last week, it was very successful!

Now it's back to the basics. Please be sure to focus on customer service by smiling, being nice to all of the customers and trying to sell as much as we possibly can. We are very lucky to have this fundraiser - remember, this is what helps Splash to be so successful in the pool!

THANK YOU MICHELLE!

If you haven't seen it yet, you will soon! Thank you to Michelle Cortez for the beautiful new Splash banner! We will display it proudly!

PLEASE LANDDRILL!

Looking at the number of practices before meets (above), please remember it is more important than ever to landdrill at home! Repetition is the best from of learning and it really helps

if the swimmers do some of the work on their own at home! Everyone should have their music, please let your coach or Shari know if you do not have it.

One of the BEST places to landdrill is in the car on the way to practice! Sorry parents!

**CONSISTENT WINNERS
REFUSE TO WAIT FOR
BREAKS TO HAPPEN!**
