

Greetings Swim Families!

We hope you will consider being part of the Penn Valley Swim Team this year. Corrie Jones will be returning again this season as our head coach.

An application for team membership is attached. Each family is expected to help at **ALL home swim meets (if you will be missing a home meet, an away meet job may be substituted but it is your responsibility to let us know you need to work an away meet)**. Each family must write a separate check for **\$60** to the PVAC Aquatic Club, the equivalent of \$15 per home meet, that you are required to work. This is a worker fee check. If you meet your obligation and work at 4 or more swim meets, your check will be returned to you. If you do not complete this obligation to work 4 meets, your check will be cashed and the money will be deposited into the team account.

**Concession Requirements-** each family is required to provide a food item from a pre-determined list or be billed \$10.00 for each of the home meets. Food items will need to be signed in with the concession crew to verify the food donation. We will not accept items that were not on the list and were not signed up for. Food donations are essential to our home meets and for raising funds for our team to help pay for our banquet, pizza party and team gifts.

If you would like to register your child as a member of our team, please complete the **application, waiver, Registration Check, AND \$60 meet Worker fee check** made payable to Penn Valley Swim Team and send to Jen Griffith. Upon receipt of your application and fees, you will be added to the e-mail list for further updates prior to the beginning on the season. All swimmers need to be at least 6 years of age prior to June 1<sup>st</sup> or have permission from Coach Corrie Jones. All swimmers need to be able to swim 1 length of the pool freestyle. **Swim Team is not a substitute for lessons!**

Swimmers should attend practice at least 3 times per week. Beginning, May 29<sup>th</sup> practice will be held Monday – Friday in the evenings from 6:00 until 7:30. We will begin morning practice on June 7<sup>th</sup>, pending any future Butler school district cancellations. **SOUTH BUTLER ONLY STUDENTS will continue practicing evenings in limited lanes until June 15<sup>th</sup>, or their last day of school.** For morning practices, there will be three practice groups. New swimmers 10 and under and returning 8 & unders will practice from 9:00-10:00 am. Our second practice group will be from 9:00 – 10:15 am, for those who are older and are able to perform all strokes. The 3<sup>rd</sup> practice group will be from 10-11:45 am and will include those swimmers who are conditioned to a 2 hour practice. All groups will be determined/modified at the discretion of the coaches. Practice groups will be set after swimmers are assessed during evening practices.

We will be communicating through e-mail, and the bulletin board inside the pool. We will be having a parent meeting at the start of the season to answer all your questions and go over the swim season. We will be holding registration and team swim suit sale this year on **May 8<sup>th</sup> from 5:00-6:30 p.m. at Penn Valley Pool.** We will have swim suits to try on for sizing only. We are using a different vendor than previous seasons, so after you know your swimmers sizes, you will be instructed to go online on May 8<sup>th</sup> or later and order directly from B&R Pools. Their web address is [bandrpoools.com](http://bandrpoools.com) . Please go to the tab The Swim Shop, and select Summer Leagues and Country Clubs, then look for Penn Valley Swim Team!

We are hoping that this season is filled with a lot of fun and sunny weather! Go PVAC!

Thanks!  
Jen Griffith  
724-355-8404 – call or text

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## PENN VALLEY SWIM TEAM APPLICATION

Parents Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone (for emergency texting): \_\_\_\_\_ Additional Cell \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail address (print legibly) \_\_\_\_\_

### SWIMMER INFORMATION (please complete all information)

*Swim Team is not a substitute for lessons; Swimmers should be able to swim 1 length of the pool freestyle.*

Swimmer Last Name	Swimmer First Name	Date of Birth	Age as of 06/01/18	Please indicate T-shirt size (YS, YM, YL, AXS AS, AM, AL, AXL)

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\_\_\_\_ Registration Fee (Penn Valley Members): \$60.00 each for the first three children; \$30.00 for each additional child.

\_\_\_\_ Registration Fee (Non - Penn Valley Members): \$110.00 each child.

\_\_\_\_ Worker FEE Check: \$60 will not be cashed if you work 4 meets

Attach checks made PAYABLE TO: Penn Valley Swim Team

Swim team is a parent dependent sport that can not take place without your help! Parents must volunteer their time as well as food & drink donations assigned to them for the concession stand. At least one parent volunteer from each family is needed for meets.

*(Starter & Place judges must have knowledge of swim meets; Only stroke & turn must be certified)*

I know my swimmer will not be able to meets the week of \_\_\_\_\_

I know I will not be able to work jobs the week of \_\_\_\_\_

Please include: Application, Waiver, Registration Fees check, and Worker Fees Checks

Send To : Jen Griffith 102 Mulberry Drive, Butler, PA 16001