

Swim Meets

For the summer swim season there are two types of meets. "A" meets are the official meets. These meets are evaluated by officials to ensure swimmers are doing the proper strokes, starts and finishes. Points and ribbons are awarded and scores are totaled to determine the winner between the two teams. For these meets we are only allowed to enter 3 swimmers per event per age group. We will do our best to ensure all swimmers have an opportunity to swim in as many A meets as we can, with each swimmer having at least one opportunity. Selection for A meets will be based on the following:

- Attitude and Effort
- Attendance at practice
- Availability
- Swimmer's Time

While we want to win the meets and field the fastest heats possible, I believe strongly in the long-term development of both the swimmer and team and therefore attendance at practice and attitude and effort will play a major role in selecting swimmers. Therefore, it is essential for swimmers to attend as many practices as possible as this will help us determine who will compete. In addition, we are asking all families to complete a conflict sheet so we may determine who is available. This will help us avoid scheduling a swimmer who cannot attend and taking the spot from a swimmer who would be able to swim.

"A" Meet Schedule

July 2 vs Wippoorwill @ Pocantico (4:30 pm warmup)
July 13 vs Bedford Hills @ Pocantico (8:30 am warmup)
July 16 vs Bedford Village @ Pocantico (4:30 pm warmup)
July 23 @ Bedford Golf and Tennis (4:30 pm warmup)
July 25 @ Torview (4:30 pm warmup)

In addition to the "A" meets there are also "B" meets. These are a great opportunity for swimmers who do not get as many "A" meet events to have an opportunity to swim. No score is kept at these meets and swimmers may swim as many races as they wish. All swimmers will earn ribbons and it is a great opportunity for swimmers to practice and improve their racing.

All swimmers may attend these meets with the exception of any swimmer who places 1st or 2nd in an individual race at an "A" meet. If your swimmer is eligible for these meets I highly encourage him or her to attend!

"B" Meet Schedule: TBA