

MRC SUMMER SWIM TEAM IS SO MUCH FUN!

Learn to swim fast, make new friends and race in meets! Swimmers ages 6-18 of all skill levels are welcome to join the team (swimmers must be able to swim at least one length of the pool (25 yards) unassisted.



Registration, Parent Meeting and Team Suit Fitting/Ordering: Tuesday, April 30th, 5-7pm at the MRC. Register for the team, meet the coaches, attend the Parent Info Meeting at 6pm, and try on suits. Our vendor will also have goggles and other swim gear for sale. Team suits can also be ordered online and included in the team's FREE (bulk) shipments. Order deadlines are April 22nd and May 21st.

Tryouts for NEW Swimmers:

- Thursday, May 2nd, 4:30-5:30pm
- Saturday, May 4th, 11am-12pm
- Tuesday, May 7th, 4:30-5:30pm

Practice: Practices start Tuesday, May 28th. Practices are Monday, Tuesday and Thursday 3:30-4:30pm for 10 and under, and 4:30-6pm for 11 and older. Weekly stroke clinics for all swimmers will be offered on Wednesdays 9-10:30am.

Meets: Home meets are at the MRC. Away meets are typically held in outdoor pools. Warm ups will normally start 1 hour prior to meet start for home meets and 30 minutes prior to meet start for away meets. Swimmers must participate in a minimum of three meets to be eligible for Championships. Swimmers 11 and Older will swim on the first day of the meet and Swimmers 10 and Under will swim on day two. More information about the meet, including location, meet start and warm ups times will be announced later.

Meet Schedule:

June 5 – AWAY meet at Chevington Woods Kingfish, 5:30pm
June 12 – HOME meet with Baltimore Sea Lions, 5:30pm
June 19 – HOME meet with Granville Stingrays, 5:30pm
June 26 – HOME meet with Bexley Marlins, 5:30pm
July 6 – AWAY meet at Groveport Fighting Fish, 8am
July 9 – HOME meet with Pickerington Tiger Sharks, 5:30pm
July 18-19 – League CHAMPIONSHIPS, TBA

Meet Events: Each swimmer may swim in 3 individual events and 2 relay events at meets. Swimmers may swim “up” in an older age group’s event.

Age Group	Medley Relay	Individual Medley	Freestyle	Backstroke	Breaststroke	Butterfly	Freestyle Relay
6U			25 Free	25 Back			
7-8			25 Free	25 Back	25 Breast	25 Fly	
8U	100 MR						100 FR
9-10	100 MR	100 IM	25 & 50 Free	25 Back	25 Breast	25 Fly	100 FR
11-12	200 MR	100 IM	50 Free	50 Back	50 Breast	50 Fly	200 FR
13-14	200 MR	100 IM	50 Free	50 Back	50 Breast	50 Fly	200 FR
15-18	200 MR	100 IM	50 & 100 Free	100 Back	100 Breast	50 Fly	200 FR

Costs:

• Registration – MRC member rates are \$125 for the first swimmer in your family, \$105 for the second, \$90 for the third and \$35 for each additional swimmer. Non-MRC member rates are \$175 for the first swimmer in your family, \$135 for the second, \$115 for the third and \$50 for each additional swimmer. Registration includes a MAKO t-shirt. Registrations after May 21st will incur a \$50 late fee.

• Volunteer Time – Meets are run by parent volunteers. Each MAKO FAMILY is EXPECTED to VOLUNTEER by signing up for at least 5 jobs during the season. We appreciate ALL parent volunteer efforts!! The volunteer jobs that parents can expect to do at our meets include:

- Concessions – sell concession items during HOME meets (all families donate items)
- Awards – label ribbons during HOME meets
- Head/Lane timer – time the races at HOME and AWAY meets
- Bullpen coordinators – check in 10U swimmers and line them up for their races
- Announcer – announce events during HOME meets
- Runner – pick up time sheets and deliver to scorer's table during HOME meets
- Scorer's table – enter times into Meet Manager software during HOME meets
- Officials – observe the races for casual compliance during HOME and AWAY meets. WE NEED OFFICIALS! Training is provided by the league early in the season.

Optional costs:

• Team Suit – Team suits are not required, but we recommended for practices and meet. If you choose not to purchase the team suit, please wear any black or blue competition style suit, or any previous year MAKO team suit for all meets.

For ordering and sizing assistance, please call Aquatic Outfitters of Ohio at 330.498.9179 or visit the online team store webpage: <https://aquaticoutfittersofohio.com/pages/muskingum-makos>

2019 Team Suit: Girls – Dolfin Veyron V-2 Back, \$52.80; Boys – Dolfin Veyron Jammer, \$36.80

• Team Cap – Caps are not required, but we strongly recommend that all swimmers wear a cap for practice and meets. MAKO team caps are available for sale at the MRC front desk for \$13.

• Team Apparel – A MAKO team shirt is included with registration.

• Concession Buyout – All families are required to either sign up to bring a food or drink item to each home meet OR choose to “buyout” with a \$40 payment. These dollars allow our concession volunteers to purchase items needed for our concession stand.

Go MAKOS!!!!

Questions? Please visit the Muskingum MAKOS website at www.mrcmakos.swimtopia.com or www.muskmakos.swimtopia.com or contact Libby Hardwick, Aquatic and Sport Manager, at libby@muskrec.org or 740-454-4767.