



Schroeder YMCA Swim Team

1. Please review your entries for the 2009 Schroeder A+ meet (attached). We are finalizing our entry now. Recall that swimmers who qualify for finals on Saturday in individual or relay events must provide an additional helper for that finals session. Will Copeland will be the TYR athlete and he owns times of 19.0 and 41.7 (American Record is 41.6) and he recently won a National Championship.
2. The Tri State Challenge is a “Check in Meet” make sure you are there at the beginning of the warm up session (7:00 AM on Saturday).
3. For swimmers traveling to Arrowhead HS the meet timeline Saturday:

AM Session:

Warm-Ups 7:30-8:30
Meet Starts 8:35
Approx. End Time 12:05 pm

PM Session

Warm Ups 12:05-12:50
Meet Starts 12:55
Approx. End Time 3:45

4. There will not be practice on Saturday, January 24 with the meets. Please note the following changes for practice this week:
 - a. Friday: Group 3-6 -- kids can come to either practice (group 3 does NOT have practice from 5-6:45) 1:30-3:15 or 3:45-5:30
 - b. Saturday: No practices for any group
 - c. Sunday: Group 1&2 -- Normal, Group 6 -- No practice
5. We have WSAC stickers for vehicles for sale in the office. Please ask \$10 (goes to a good cause)
6. Mark your calendars now for Friday, February 13 - kids play in the pool and have pizza and parents enjoy a fish fry at Libby's.
7. Group 1 & 2 don't forget to “Bring a Friend” to swim practice on Thursday, 1/22!
8. Below is a important note to parents of kids in Groups 1 & 2

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Hi Group 1 and 2 Parents,

I spoke with many of you on the phone in the past few weeks, and I wanted to say thank you to everyone who has donated to the Friends of Schroeder Campaign thus far. If you have committed to donating, but have not done so yet, please feel free to print out the information from our website and placed your donation in the scratch box outside of the office.

As we near the end of the season, here are a few questions some of you may have.

Q: When does the season end?

The last practice for an individual will be the day before their last meet. For most swimmers, this means that the last practice will be the Thursday before the Last Chance meet on March 15th at Oshkosh YMCA. However, if your child has Y-State cuts, their last practice will be the following Thursday before the Y-State meet that weekend.

**Please note that as you are reading through the meets below, you notice that there are 2 types of State meets. One is a WI State meet, while the other is a Y-State meet. Thus, there are different cut times that the swimmer must have in order to compete either.

What meets are left for the season?

A: Here is a comprehensive list of the meets for Group 1 or 2 swimmers. This list can also be found online. Please note that there are **no time standards** for Schroeder swimmers at the A+ meet.

(All Welcome) **Saturday, January 24: Winter Single High Point Trophy Challenge, Arrowhead High School**

*Note: There will be a few swimmers in Groups 1 and 2 that will attend the Tri-State Challenge in New Trier, IL in on the same weekend.

(All Welcome) **February 6-8: A+, Schroeder *Schroeder swimmers do not have to make the time standards**

(All Welcome) **February 20-22: WI Swimming Regional Meet, Homestead HS**

(Time Standards - 12 & Unders) **February 27-3/1: WI Swimming 12 & Under State, Schroeder**

(Time Standards - 13 & Overs) **March 5-8: WI Swimming 13 & O State, Schroeder**

(Good end of the season meet for all those who do not have Y-State cuts and/or those who are trying to get Y-State cuts) **March 15: Last Chance Meet, Oshkosh YMCA**

(Time Standards) **March 20-22: WI YMCA State**

If you have any questions regarding these swim meets and what your child will be swimming please feel free to contact me.

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Thank you,
Jessica

