



Swim Team Registration Packet 2009-2010

“In order to swim fast, you have to swim fast”

-Chuck Batchelor, Head Coach
Coach of a 2008 Olympian



Please mail completed registration packets and registration fees to:

Bluefish Swim Club, P.O. Box 726, Attleboro, MA 02703

Checks payable to: C & C Swimming, Inc.

Team invoices are sent from Carla Grube, Bluefish Bookkeeper

(clgrubeabfs@comcast.net)



Bluefish Swim Club

C & C Swimming, Inc.

P.O. Box 726 Attleboro, MA 02703

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REGISTRATION FORM 2009-2010

Swimmer's Name: _____
(First) (Middle) (Last)

Date of Birth: _____ Age: _____ Sex: (circle one) Male / Female

Swimmer's Membership:

Membership: (circle one) YEARLY SHORT COURSE LONG COURSE

Start Date: _____ Practice Group: _____ Training Facility: _____

(Practice Group Abbreviations:

Goldfish = GOLD; Mini = Mini; Junior 1 = JR 1, Junior 2 = JR 2, Senior = SEN; National Prep = NAT/Prep; National = NAT)

(Training Facility Abbreviations: WHE= Wheaton, AHS =Attleboro, CHS=Cumberland, RAC=Raynham, SHR=Shrewsbury)

2nd Swimmer's Name: _____
(First) (Middle) (Last)

Date of Birth: _____ Age: _____ Sex: (circle one) Male / Female

Swimmer's Membership:

Membership: (circle one) YEARLY SHORT COURSE LONG COURSE

Start Date: _____ Practice Group: _____ Training Facility: _____

3rd Swimmer's Name: _____
(First) (Middle) (Last)

Date of Birth: _____ Age: _____ Sex: (circle one) Male / Female

Swimmer's Membership:

Membership: (circle one) YEARLY SHORT COURSE LONG COURSE

Start Date: _____ Practice Group: _____ Training Facility: _____

Parents/Guardian Name(s): _____

Address: _____
(Street) (Apt #)

(City/Town) (State) (Zip Code)

Home Phone: _____

Please indicate e-mail address that bills should be sent to: _____

Parents/Guardian place of employment and Job Title: _____

(Info. for clubs networking & fundraising)

Parent1: _____ Office Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

E-Mail Address: _____

Parent2: _____ Office Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

E-Mail Address: _____

1st Swimmer: _____ Cell Phone: _____ E-Mail Address: _____

2nd Swimmer: _____ Cell Phone: _____ E-Mail Address: _____

3rd Swimmer: _____ Cell Phone: _____ E-Mail Address: _____

Last Season's Team: _____ Date of Last Competition: _____

USA Registered: (circle one) YES and NO



Bluefish Swim Club

C & C Swimming, Inc.

Membership Fees 2009-2010

Membership Fees are based on group placement as decided by the Coaching staff. There are two swimming seasons in each fiscal year: **Short Course** (September-March) and **Long Course** (April – Aug). There are three Fees: Yearly Fee which is a reduced fee, Short Course Fees and Long Course Fees. Yearly and Short Course Fees are paid in **four monthly installments due by September 15, November 15, January, 15 and February 15th.** (December Off, Happy Holidays!) Long Course fees are paid in **two monthly installments due by April 15 and May 15.**

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Training Group Fees:
Attleboro, Cumberland, Raynham & Wheaton Training Group Fees

TRAINING GROUPS	YEARLY (SEPT-AUG)	FOUR PAYMENTS	SHORT COURSE (SEPT-MARCH)	FOUR PAYMENTS	LONG COURSE (APRIL – AUG)	TWO PAYMENTS
National	\$3,100	\$775.00	X	X	X	X
Senior/ National Prep	\$2,750	\$687.50	X	X	X	X
Junior Two	\$1,900	\$475.00	\$1,450	\$362.50	\$800	\$400
Junior One	\$1,680	\$420.00	\$1,250	\$312.50	\$780	\$390
Mini Bluefish	\$1,420	\$355.00	\$1,125	\$281.25	\$645	\$322.50
Goldfish (Pre-Comp)	X	X	Sept- March \$675	Sept- March \$168.75	April-July \$550	April-July \$275
College Student Returning Bluefish	\$500	X	X	X	\$500	X
College Student New to Team	\$700	X	X	X	\$700	X

Bluefish Membership Fees

Joining Fees:

There are joining fees for all competitive programs, excluding Masters. A joining fee for an individual swimmer is \$200 while the Family joining fee, with any number of multiple swimmers, is \$300. This fee is waived for swimmers joining from our Bluefish Swim School.

Registration Fees:

A \$75 Registration Fee is incurred every year per swimmer. This fee is required of all swimmers before they begin to practice. Part of the Registration Fee will be applied to your yearly United States Swimming Membership Fee. For families with three or more USA swimmers on the team, a maximum \$185 Registration Fee will be charged. The Shrewsbury/Worcester Satellite registration fee is \$100. No family discount is available at this location.

Discounts:

- Multiple Membership Discount (MMD):
MMD apply to Yearly Membership Fees only. MMD's do not apply to seasonal fees or returning college students. In addition, they do not apply to swim lesson participants. The exception applies to **Adult Master's swimmers - They do count towards MMD.**
 - 2nd and 3rd memberships 10% off on their individual fees
 - 4 or more 30% off on each additional individual membership fee

Swim Meet Fees:

Meet entry fees are not included in your membership fees. We require an advance deposit for each swimmer payable at time of registration that will be credited to your account. Any additional meet fees will be billed accordingly.

- **Meet Fee Advance Deposit/Escrow**
 - Senior Team (National, Senior & National Prep) \$250
 - Junior Groups & Mini Bluefish \$150
 - Goldfish N/A

Typical meet entry fees range from \$4-\$5 per event. Some meets may have a swimmer participation fee ranging from \$1-\$10. National, Sectional and all Championship meets are generally more. The Coach has total authority over choosing what events their swimmers swim. USA Swimming rules do not allow a swimmer to exceed five events per day (excluding relays). You will only be charged for the events that the swimmer is entered in. If your swimmer misses a race for whatever reason, the fees are non-refundable. A typical two day meet (10 events plus a coaching fee) is approximately \$45-\$55 per swimmer. Typical yearly meet fees can reach as high as \$600 per swimmer.

Coaching Fees at Swim Meets: There will be an additional \$10 coaching fee per swimmer, per meet that will be charged to your entry fees. This cost is included in the above yearly estimate. This coaching fee helps defray the costs of food, hotel and transportation for the club staff.

Bluefish Membership Fees

Home Swim Meets: Bluefish run four to five swim meets a year. Running of organized and profitable meets are the primary fundraisers for both the team and the Booster Club. Home meets provide our membership with some of the best opportunities for competition. All competitive swimmers will be charged meet entry fees for home meets regardless of participation (unless qualifying standards apply). Our goal is to have 100% volunteer participation, motivated by an appreciation for the Bluefish and the sport of Swimming. Due to the importance of successful fundraising, and to be fair to those who willfully volunteer, parents are expected to fulfill our work/volunteer requirements. Volunteers have the opportunity to choose their assignment/job, such as timing, by signing up with our meet volunteer management software, SuperMeets. [Please read the attachment at the end of the document to learn how to set up your account]



Volunteer Requirement Policy:

- A family member must work **each session** that their swimmer(s) is competing in or a **minimum of three sessions with the maximum of four sessions.**
 - Exceptions:
 1. Distance Session: (a designated part of the meet where distances of 400 or greater are swum). Families are required to work any distance session your swimmer(s) are swimming in (even if it exceeds maximum of four sessions)
 2. Bluefish Run Championship type meet: Families are required to work a minimum of four sessions regardless of whether your swimmer qualifies.
 3. Bluefish hosted Trials/Finals Meet: Families with swimmers competing in Finals must work the Finals session (even if it exceeds maximum of four sessions).
- Sign-In: Upon arrival and prior to your departure from a meet, the volunteer must sign in with the deck manager and respective department head. Failure to sign in or out, will result in non-work fine.
- Booster Club food donation item: Families must donate a food item for our concession stand. You will select your food donation item from SuperMeets. All proceeds from the sale of food items goes directly to our Booster Club. Families must sign your donation item in with the concessions chair. If you do not sign the check-in sheet, you will be fined for non-food donation.
- Can't attend a Bluefish Meet? There are alternative ways to volunteer if you are unable to attend a Bluefish meet. In order to avoid the penalty, you must contact Christie Batchelor ahead of time to make the appropriate arrangements.
- **Unfulfilled Volunteer Requirements:** will result in a maximum of \$150 fine.
- **Unfulfilled Booster Club Food donation:** will result in a \$25 fine.



Sale of Meet Sponsorship Ads: Bluefish require **each** family to raise a minimum of \$100 in sponsorships for the Booster Club. This can be accomplished by any combination of the following: (For directions on how to sell the advertising please download the Meet Program Solicitation document available in the Members Area of the website).

- Good luck lines - \$10 each
- Business Card ad - \$50
- ¼ page ad - \$75
- ½ page ad - \$100
- Full page ad - \$200

Bluefish Membership Fees

Registration Day: You will turn in a swim meet commitment form to sign up for any additional swim meets. Swimmers and families should discuss which meets they plan to attend with their individual coaches.

Policy Regarding Championship Meets: Bluefish Swim Club is a highly competitive, world renowned swim team. Team success at championship meets is one of our highest priorities. Our expectation is to have 100% participation of qualified swimmers at championship meets. Due to the importance of team performance, anyone not attending will be fined \$50. Swimmers/Families should expect to stay through the entire session to swim on relays and support their teammates. Be prepared to have your swimmer available to swim as a “Relay Only” Swimmer.



Championship meets have team work assignments. All families are required to work at least one session or as many as necessary to fulfill our work obligations. We will be utilizing the SuperMeets software to organize our volunteers for these work assignments.

Team Travel:

Team Travel is arranged for selected meets. These meets are designated with a “**T**” on your Swim Meet Calendar & Commitment Form. Team Travel is defined as: Travel as a team, stay in a hotel as a team, eat as a team. Price will include transportation and hotel and the swimmer will be typically be responsible for covering their own food expenses. Funds must be collected before the team leaves on a trip. In addition, those with any delinquent Bluefish fees will not be eligible to travel with the team until full payment is received.

To assist in budgeting annual Senior travel costs, consider the following costs as representative of an annual season. Every season is different; however, the information below is a guideline that can be used for the Bluefish Senior Team (for those with all qualifying standards):

	NYC OPEN	X-Mas Training Trip	CeraVe Invite <small>Rutgers University</small>	Sectionals	Summer Grand Prix Meets	Summer Jr’s	Highest Level Meet (Olympic Trials, Nationals)
Travel Costs:	\$500- \$650.00	\$700- \$1,300	\$300- \$550.00	\$500-1200	\$650- \$1,100	\$500- \$900.00	NE Swim Reimbursement Money & Bluefish covers the Remainder

Team Uniform Policy: Please refer to Team Uniform Policy and All American Aquatics (<http://www.all-americanaquatics.com/catalog/index.html>). Approximate cost of apparel for each group is:

- National, Senior, National Prep = approximate \$330.00 w/out High Tech suits (Those with US Nationals or Jr. Nationals may get some or all team uniform for free)
- Junior 2’s = \$240.00
- Bluefish Mini’s and Junior 1’s = \$150.00
- Goldfish = \$85.00

Leaving the Team:

In order to leave a New England USA Swim Club for another New England Club your debt must be settled from your previous club (see by-laws of NE Swimming).



Bluefish Swim Club
C & C Swimming, Inc.
Bluefish Medical & Travel Release Form
September 2009-August 2010

Guardian/Parents Name(s): _____

Address: _____
(Street) (Apt #)

(City/Town) (State) (Zip Code)

Home Phone: _____

Parent1: _____ Work Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____
Parent2: _____ Work Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

List of any known allergies or medical conditions/precautions:
(by Swimmer; if additional conditions please attach on another piece of paper)

Name of Swimmer: _____ Date of Birth: _____ Conditions: _____

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Family Health Insurance Plan: _____

Insurance Plan number: _____

Emergency Contact: _____ **Phone:** _____

Relationship to Swimmer: _____

I, the undersigned, hereby give permission for the swimmers listed above permission to travel with Chuck Batchelor, The Bluefish Swim Club and any other affiliated coaches. Furthermore, I authorize the aforementioned parties to seek and administer any medical care which they deem necessary to my son/daughter/children listed on this form.

Signature: _____ Date: _____



Bluefish Swim Club
C & C Swimming, Inc.
Waiver of Liability Form
September 2009-August 2010

Parent's Consent & Waiver of Liability-Assumption of Risk-Indemnity Agreement
(Please initial each paragraph!)

The undersigned parents or legal guardians (collectively referred to as "I", "We" or "Us") of _____ (the "Child"), a member of the Attleboro Bluefish Swim Club operated by C & C Swimming, Inc., ("Bluefish"), hereby request that the Child be permitted to participate on the Attleboro Bluefish Swim Team. Participation includes dry land and swimming training, travel with the team to swim meets and training trips from September 01, 2009 through September 01, 2010, coordinated by the Bluefish Swim Club ("ABF"). In consideration of the foregoing, We, on behalf of ourselves and of the Child, agree to the following:

1. **WAIVER OF LIABILITY:** We for ourselves, the Child, our heirs, personal representatives and assigns, forever release, remise, discharge and agree to save and hold harmless and indemnify Bluefish Swim Club and C & C Swimming, Inc., including, but not limited to, any directors, officers, agents, employees and volunteers of any of the Bluefish (the "Releasees") of and from any and all liability, claims, actions, and possible causes of action whatsoever, including the negligence of any of the Releasees that may accrue to Us, the Child, our heirs, and personal representatives and assigns from every and any loss, damage and injury (including death) that may be sustained by Us, the Child and/or our property while in, about, and en-route to and from the Event and any activities conducted during the course of the Event. (Please initial to indicate you have read this paragraph _____).

2. **ASSUMPTION OF RISK:** We for ourselves, the Child, our heirs, personal representatives and assigns, acknowledge and agree that the Child may be exposed to risks and dangers that may vary with the nature of the activities conducted during the course of the Event. We further acknowledge and agree that while ABF will endeavor to provide supervision during the course of the Event, that there may be occasions and/or activities where such supervision would be impossible, and that there may be occasions and/or activities where the Child may be under the control and/or supervision of individuals and/or entities that are not associated with the Bluefish or otherwise identified as Releasees herein. (Please initial to indicate you have read this paragraph _____).

3. **INDEMNITY AGREEMENT:** We for ourselves, the Child, our heirs, personal representatives and assigns, agree to indemnify and hold the Releasees harmless from any loss, liability, damage or cost, including reasonable attorneys' fees, that the Releasees may sustain or incur due, during or otherwise related to the Child's participation in the Event and specifically including any such loss, liability, damage or cost resulting from the negligence or other action, of the Releasees. (Please initial to indicate you have read this paragraph _____).

4. **MEDICAL RELEASE:** In the event that a medical emergency should arise, We for ourselves, the Child, our heirs, personal representatives and assigns acknowledge and agree that the Child may be taken to a hospital, clinic or similar entity providing emergency medical care in order to receive medical attention. (Please initial to indicate you have read this paragraph _____).

WE HAVE CAREFULLY READ THIS AGREEMENT AND FULLY UNDERSTAND ITS CONTENTS. WE ARE AWARE THE AGREEMENT INCLUDES A WAIVER OF LIABILITY, AN ASSUMPTION OF RISK AND AN AGREEMENT BY US TO INDEMNIFY THE RELEASEES.

Parent's Signature : _____ Date: _____

Print Name: _____



Bluefish Swim Club C & C Swimming, Inc. Team Uniform Policies

We have an online team store available with All American Aquatics. Please visit and set up your account today. We will have two selected team ordering deadlines throughout the year (beginning of short course and long course seasons). If your order is placed within these deadlines, you will not be responsible for the shipping charges. You will be responsible for shipping charges should you decide to place an order at any other time. Please call All American with any questions you might have. (Please read the attachment at the end of the document to learn how to set up your account).

<http://www.all-americanaquatics.com/> • Customer Service/Phone Orders • 1-800-910-7946

Bluefish Senior Team (National, National Prep and Seniors) are required to have:

1. Warm-ups (Tops and Bottom)
2. Team bag or backpack
3. Two team suits per year (excluding technical suits)
4. Two team tee shirts
5. Four Team Caps

Bluefish Junior 2's are required to have:

1. Warm-up Jacket
2. Two team suits per year, one racing suit and one practice suit
3. Two team tee shirts
4. Four Team Caps

Bluefish Mini's and Junior 1's are required to have:

1. Two team suits per year, one racing suit and one practice suit
2. Two team tee shirts per year
3. Four Team Caps

Goldfish are required to have:

1. One team practice suit
2. One Team T-Shirt
3. Four Team Caps



Bluefish Swim Club

C & C Swimming, Inc.

PICTURE CONSENT AND RELEASE

For value received, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, I hereby irrevocably consent to and authorize the use by Bluefish Swim Club and C & C Swimming, Inc. and their assignees, customers, licensees, and those in contractual relationships with either of them, (collectively, the "Company") of any and all photographs or digital pictorial representations ("Pictures") taken of myself, and of any minors for whom I am responsible by Company, its agents and contractors, and any reproduction, modification, display, publication and distribution of them and any derivative works in any form and any media whatsoever throughout the world, in connection with the business of the Company, and to publicize, promote and advertise the business of the Company.

I hereby irrevocably waive any and all rights of privacy or publicity, or other rights of a similar nature in connection with the commercial exploitation of the Pictures, or any portion thereof, consistent with the terms of the foregoing consent or any advertising or publicity relating thereto. I also consent to the use of my own name and any such minor's name and any fictitious name which may be chosen in connection with the Pictures. I also consent to the use of my signature and any such minor's signature in connection with the above Pictures. I also waive any right to inspect and/or approve any such use of the Pictures. I expressly release and hold harmless the Company, its agents, employees, officers, directors and shareholders and those of its affiliates, customers, licensees, and those in contract with it of and from any and all claims, demands and liabilities by reason of their exercise of Company's rights. I agree that the Company may alter, modify or combine the Pictures with other works, and I hereby waive any claim that any version of the Pictures portrayed consistent with the terms of the foregoing consent constitutes a distortion, mutilation or disparagement or contains unauthorized variations of the Pictures. I shall not have the right to approve or enjoin the use of the Pictures or to rescind any right granted to the Company hereunder.

The Company will have no obligation to use the Pictures. I understand that Company will use the Pictures in reliance on the above consent and release.

This document is governed by the laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts. There are no other agreements between Company and me oral or written relating to the subject matter of this document. Any modification of the terms hereof must be in writing and signed by Company and me. If the Pictures depict a minor, I represent that I am authorized to sign on behalf of the minor who is identified below.

Date: _____ Print Name of Minor: _____

Signature: _____

Print Parent's Name: _____



Bluefish Swim Club

C & C Swimming, Inc.

FAILURE TO SIGN PICTURE CONSENT AND RELEASE

We the undersigned hereby acknowledge that we received and where offered adequate time to consider and review, and to ask questions of the Coaches pertaining to, the attached Picture Consent and Release and that we have determined not to sign it.

We the undersigned also hereby acknowledge that as a result of our failure to sign the attached Picture Consent and Release our swimmer(s) will NOT:

1. Have any photograph or digital pictorial representations ("Pictures") of any one or more of them appear in any press release issued by the Bluefish Swim Club (a/k/a Bluefish Swim Team; ABF) or C & C Swimming, Inc. (collectively, "Bluefish").
2. Will not be eligible to participate in any team or other group Pictures.
3. Be able to have any Picture appear in any team scrapbook.
4. Be included in any swim meet program featuring Pictures of swimmers or teams published by or behalf of the Bluefish.
5. Be included in any website featuring Pictures of swimmers or teams established by or on behalf of the Bluefish.
6. Be included in any marketing materials such as informational Brochure's or Team Handbooks.

Print Name of Minor: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Print Parent's Name: _____



Bluefish Swim Club

C & C Swimming, Inc.

Delinquent Account Policy

The purpose of this statement is to formally establish our policy with regards to the handling of delinquent accounts. Members who have outstanding balances inevitably undermine the health and success of our club. We hope that we will always be able to solve any problems regarding a member's payment obligations through communication.

Our membership fees are structured so that the club can maintain a viable swimming program. Your timely payments contribute to our overall financial well being and our ability to pay for excellent coaches, desirable pool time and swim meet entries, as well as covering all of the related costs of insurance and taxes. We are more than accommodating and understanding that people will and do fall behind in their payments from time to time but we must adhere to the following established procedures:

1. A Delinquent Account Notice will be sent to you notifying you of your account status.
2. After receipt of a Delinquent Account Notice a member will have fifteen days to pay their account in full. In the event of extraordinary circumstances which have been communicated to C & C Swimming, Inc., we will work with the delinquent member to establish an acceptable formal payment plan.
3. If we have not heard from the delinquent member by the end of the fifteen days, or if an acceptable formal payment plan is not established and maintained, the accounts swimmer(s) will no longer be entered in any swimming competitions, and these accounts will bear interest at the rate of eighteen percent (18%) per annum.
4. Accounts which continue to be delinquent and where no established payment plan is in effect and maintained will be declined for renewal registration for the next season and the accounts swimmer(s) will not be allowed to practice with the team.
5. All payment plans must be paid in full by the end of each swim year (September-September).
6. Bluefish Swim Club and C & C Swimming, Inc. reserve the right to collect all outstanding balances through legal collection processes, including interest as stated above and legal fees incurred in the collection process.

The last thing we want is for an overdue account balance to force us to deny any swimmer from practicing and/or a place on our team. We have every intention of working with our families to avoid plenty's due to delinquencies and assist with acceptable payment programs where they are truly necessary. Communication, however, is the key to our ability to do so.



Bluefish Swim Club

C & C Swimming, Inc.
Honor Code & Team Travel Agreement

The following code is always in effect.

1. Coaching staff holds the final word on any rules, regulations, or disciplinary actions.
2. All Swimmers are expected to follow the team uniform policy and must adhere to ABF apparel sponsor specifications.
3. In a prelim and final competition, swimmers who qualify for finals are expected to participate in the finals (even on Sundays).
4. Any questions swimmers or parents have concerning meet results, an officiating call or the conduct of a meet, should be referred to an ABF coaching staff. Our coaches, in turn, will pursue the matter through appropriate channels.
5. Swimmers will be punctual and prepared for every training session. Punctual means on time for practice. This is defined as in your suit with your cap and goggles and ready to swim or if there is dry land this means you are in your appropriate clothing ready to go when practice begins. Punctual is not walking through the door when practice begins. Prepared means that swimmers will have all necessary training accessories [flippers, dry land clothes (sneakers, t-shirt, possible wind breaker, hat and gloves) extra goggles & caps].

Items below refer specifically to team travel. Any swimmer attending a travel trip whom the coach, coaches or chaperone feels acts in a manner that would interfere with the travel objectives listed below, will be subject to immediate return home (at the expense of the parent and/or swimmer) and other punishment including barring from future travel meets or other competitions or dismissal from the team.

6. The consumption or purchase of alcohol, smoking, or chewing tobacco, or use of any other illegal drug or substance of any kind will not be allowed. Any team member found or suspected to be in the presence of others (regardless of team affiliation) partaking in any of the above activities will be subject to the same punishments and probable expulsion from ABF.
7. Male and female athletes are prohibited from being in the same room together with the door closed. This applies to ABF members or members of any other team. A chaperone/or coach must give permission for males and females (ie. for a small group to watch a movie) to be in the same room but the door must remain open at all times in this situation.
8. No team meetings may be missed. Swimmers must be punctual to all meetings and warm-up times.
9. Swimmers must remain with the team at all times during a trip. Swimmers can not leave the hotel, or pool without the permission of a chaperone and/or coaches.
10. No team member may be out of their room after the assigned lights out time (usually 10:15pm). Lights out means, lights out, all electronic devices off, in bed and ready to go to sleep.
11. Rooms and travel vehicles are to be kept neat and all trash should be handled appropriately. Swimmers will clean up after themselves, coaches and chaperones are not your maids.
12. Any damage or thievery incurred at a motel will be at the expense of the swimmers assigned to that room, and further disciplinary action will be taken.
13. No loud or boisterous behavior will be tolerated in hallways or public areas and such behavior should be kept at a civil level in your rooms.
14. No calls from the room. Any movies or on-demand services must be paid at the front desk ahead of time with permission of a chaperone and/coaches.
15. All team members will be polite, quiet and leave a 15% tip in restaurants.

Your signature below indicates full understanding and liability for any fees and fines stated in this form.

Swimmer: Signature: _____ Date: _____

Swimmer: Signature: _____ Date: _____

Swimmer: Signature: _____ Date: _____

Parent: Signature: _____ Date: _____



Facility Usage Policies

Our ability to run successful swimming programs is 100% reliant on good relations with our facilities. Several facilities that we use have specific instructions for parking and utilizing the facility. Any infractions of these policies could result in swimmers and/or families banned from the facility or removal from the team.

The following policies are in effect for any facility that we utilize and should be abided by at all times:

All of our Facilities:

1. Bluefish parents or swimmers should **NOT** communicate with facility personnel.
2. Parents are **NOT** permitted on the pool deck. The coaches at the practice sites will determine and communicate the rules for watching practices.
3. Parents are **NOT** allowed to converse with the coaches or swimmers during practice. This is disruptive and distracting to the coaches and swimmers. (We suggest scheduling a meeting either via phone or e-mail with the coaches.)
4. All water bottles, trash and debris are the responsibility of the swimmers and shall be picked up and disposed of by swimmers at the end of practice.
5. Locker rooms are to be clean of debris, trash, etc. after practice.
6. Swim bags and equipment bags are **NOT** to be left on the pool deck overnight. Equipment bags left on the pool deck are considered public property for use by anyone using the pool facility. Neither Bluefish nor the pool facility is responsible for any lost items.
7. Every swimmer is expected to conduct themselves in a responsible manner, and refrain from loud outbursts, horse play, etc.
8. Family members are required to supervise and control the behavior of their non-swimming children.
9. If we are responsible for putting in and/or taking out lane lines, **ALL** swimmers will stay to help with this procedure.

WHEATON COLLEGE, Norton, MA (WHE):

1. Pick up and drop off procedures at Wheaton College.
 - a. Please respect the speed limit on campus – there are a large number of students walking around campus and crossing the roads.
 - b. Drop-off: please be mindful of other cars and foot traffic – swimmers should be cautious when crossing the road in front of the pool. Swimmers should enter through the front doors unless otherwise instructed.
 - c. Due to ongoing construction parking access may change. The large lot to the right of the Balfour Natatorium (when facing the building) is open. Please utilize the lot across the street from the pool when it is open. **Do not drop off in front of the building in the circular drive; the second lot is directly across from the Haas Athletic center.**
 - d. Parking is available in Lot 8.
2. We are responsible for staffing/supervising swimmers in the locker rooms. Parents - We will need you to volunteer for this. This includes ensuring that all trash is in trash receptacles, showers and facets are turned off, and no belongings are left behind.

RAYNHAM ATHLETIC CLUB, Raynham, MA (RAC)

1. After practice Swim Team members may shower (rinse off) quickly but need to be respectful of club members and not overtake the entire shower area.
2. Swimmers can not leave bags or equipment in a locker they must bring it with them onto the pool deck, unless you purchase a locker rental from RAC.
3. If, in the middle of practice a swimmer has to use the restroom, they **must** dry off and bring a towel with them.
4. The Raynham Athletic Club (RAC) policy on parking:
 - a. Please do not park in the handicap space when dropping your child off as it is illegal. If your car is parked in the handicap space without a permit, RAC will tow your vehicle at your expense.
 - b. Drop-off instructions: do not immediately pull up and park in front of the club when dropping your child off as it causes a jam onto Route 44 and can lead to accidents. Please drive around the parking lot (think cul-de-sac) and pull up to the blue awning.
 - c. Pick-up instructions: Parents cannot wait in their car beside the blue awning (main entrance to the club). Parents must park in a parking space while waiting for swimmers.

McDERMOTT POOL: (Warwick, Rhode Island). We are responsible for setting up the pool by moving the bulk head, and putting in & taking out lanes lines which requires an entire team effort before and after each practice.



Bluefish I.T. Code

In the electronic age in which we live, every member of the Bluefish Team needs to be aware of the far reaching effects of data posted to web sites, email, and other electronic mediums. This includes photos posted to web sites, text messages that contain inappropriate language or information that is private or confidential, blog sites, and messages posted to sites like Twitter, Facebook, etc.

We, as your coaches, do not want to have any team member’s future or career jeopardized due to a careless or thoughtless impulsive action. We all recognize that the words and photos that we post on-line are there for everyone to read and view. We have seen the high price that people pay for careless mistakes and poor choices.

Before posting anything to the internet or texting to someone, we would like each Bluefish member to ask themselves the following questions:

- 1) Would I send this message or photo to my parents?
- 2) Would I send it to my coach or teachers?
- 3) Would I send it to my pastor, priest, rabbi or other religious leader or mentor?

If you cannot answer “yes” to all of the above questions, perhaps you should hit the “delete” button. Your future is too important to be affected by an action that is impulsive and rash.

In an effort to help each member attain a performance standard above reproach or criticism, the following is a list of rules in the use of electronic equipment:

USE OF CAMERAS: Under no circumstances will cameras be allowed in locker rooms. If your cell phone has a camera device, it may never be used in a locker room. Taking photos in a locker room is strictly prohibited. Photos will be confiscated or deleted. No photos containing nudity or inappropriate expressions or hand signals of any Bluefish members will be sent, forwarded or posted.

USE OF CELL PHONES

- At Practice: No cell phones will be allowed out of swim bags during practice without coach’s permission to make or accept a call.
- At Meets: Out of courtesy to fellow swimmers and teammates, all cell phones should either have volume on low or on vibrate. All devices containing music should be used only with headphones or ear buds/head phones before or after practice. They are not allowed to be worn during practice/dryland at anytime.

TEXT MESSAGES: The texting of inappropriate language, use of swear words and foul language, divulging of personal or private information of another member without their consent is inappropriate behavior.

Consequences: Any violation of these rules, depending on the severity, will result in at a minimum of a verbal warning to a disciplinary meeting between the violator, parents and the coach. Consequences can range from a one week suspension from practice to the member being excluded from the next meet and/or travel trip, but ultimately will be decided by the Head Coach.

Your signature below indicates full understanding and liability for any fees and fines stated in this form.

Swimmer Signature: _____ Date: _____

Swimmer Signature: _____ Date: _____

Swimmer Signature: _____ Date: _____

Parent Signature: _____ Date: _____



Bluefish Swim Club

C & C Swimming, Inc.
Registration & Membership Agreement
September 2009-August 2010

New Members can register any time. To be registered with the Bluefish Swim Club, New England Swimming, USA Swimming, new members must fill out and return the following forms signed:

1) Registration & Membership Agreement, 2) Registration, 3) Medical & Travel Release, 4) Waiver of Liability, 5) Swim Meet Calendar & Commitment, 6) Photo Consent or non-consent, 7) Purchase Order Form 8) Honor Code and Team Travel Agreement 9) Recruiting Policy and Deposit. We offer a two week trial period to new members. If after two weeks you decide not to stay on the team, we will refund your deposit with the exception of the \$75 Registration Fee.

Returning Members are required to register prior to or on registration day. Members must fill out all registration forms (#1-9) annually.

Membership Policies:

- Prior season's balance due must be paid in full before swimmer(s) can register for the next season.
- Refunds are not available unless approved by the Team Manager.
- No Refunds for swimmers suspended by the Bluefish Swim Club for disciplinary reasons.
- Missed days are not subtracted from membership fees (including part. in High School Sports)
- A \$25 charge will be assessed for all returned checks.
- We reserve the right to refuse admittance to practice due to excessively delinquent fees.
- Swim Meet escrow accounts must maintain a positive cash balance. We reserve the right to deny entrance to those athletes with negative escrow balances into additional meets until the escrow account has been paid in full.
- Member states they have reviewed our delinquent account policies
- Member has reviewed our membership fees and the Swim Meet Commitment form
- Member agrees to adhere to the sale of a meet sponsorship ad requirement of a \$100
- If a swimmer has to be sent home from a Travel trip for disciplinary reasons, parents agree to cover immediate transportation costs to send the athlete home.
- Bluefish Anti-Recruiting Policy: No Bluefish member shall **INITIATE** contact with another **USA swimmer** with the intent to recruit members to the Bluefish Swim Club.

Deposit: The Deposit required at time of registration:

- One fourth (1/4) of Membership Fees, deduct Multiple Member Discounts (MMD)
- Meet entry advance deposit (\$250 or \$150)
 - Any additional meet fees will be billed accordingly
- Registration Fee WHE, RAC, AHS, & CHS \$75 per swimmer, Family Maximum is \$185. Shrewsbury/Worcester Satellite registration fee is \$100 with no family discount.
- Deposits will appear on the first bill of the season.

Membership and Registration Agreement:

Swimmers will not be allowed to practice or compete in any meets unless this agreement has been signed and dated. Your signature on this form indicates full understanding and liability for all membership policies and fees.

Parent Signature: _____ Date: _____

Print Name: _____

How do I sign up for SuperMeets?
Step by Step instructions for SuperMeets

Step 1: **Click** on: <http://www.supermeets.com/Index.cfm?StaffTrackerClient=140>

This will bring you to an “Upcoming Events” page

Step 2: **click** on “**Login as User**” in the upper right corner.

Note: **Ignore** “**FIRST TIME USERS: [Set up your account](#)**”. Your account has been set up for you.

Step 3: **Enter your e-mail address and the password: supermeets**

Note: The system can only hold one e-mail address per family, so if the one you enter isn’t recognized, please try an alternative address you may have given to the Bluefish. When the login is successful, you will be taken to a “**Family Account & History**” page.

Step 4: **Create a new password** in the “Update your Login Here” area.

Note: You should then see a message saying that your account has been updated

Step 5: **Logout** and then **log back in with your updated password**.

Note: This will bring you back to the Family Account & History page.

Step 6: **Click** on “**Upcoming Events**” at the top of the page

Step 7: **Click** on **appropriate swim meet event**. You will now see a list of all available positions.

Clicking on a position will show important information about its responsibilities and required arrival time.

Step 8: **Find a job** you wish to sign up for and **click** on its corresponding “**sign up**” link.

If you have been previously held a position that requires some training (Scorer, Colorado Operator, Clerk of Course, Head Timer, etc.), please scroll through the jobs list to see if you name has been “pre-populated” in a specific position. Assuming you accept the position chosen for you, skip Step 9 and continue to Step 10. If you would prefer a different position, and choose to remove yourself from that job, click “update” and follow the prompts.

Step 9: You will see a confirmation of what you have signed up for. **Enter your full name in the box provided**, and then **click on “sign up”**. You will now be taken back to the sign-up sheets where you will see your name next to the job you chose.

Step 10: When you have chosen your jobs (work requirement is 2 sessions/family, so you must select 2 jobs – one in each session), **click** on “**Upcoming Events**” at the top of the page and then **click** on “**Concessions for appropriate swim meet**”.

Step 11: **Sign up for your concession donation** by selecting the item you’d like to donate, **following steps 8 and 9**. Log out.



The Bluefish Swim Club Boosters Club is an eScrip* member! Membership to this program allows us an easy opportunity to fundraise for the Boosters. eScrip gives a percentage that you spend back to Boosters. Once you sign up you are giving back to Bluefish on your everyday sales items, like going to the grocery store, going out to diner, etc. The more money the Boosters make, the more our swimmers can benefit.

HOW CAN I HELP?

The first step in making this program a success is for each family to register for the program **Group ID # is: 500020946**

1. Log on to www.escrip.com
2. Click "Sign Up"
3. Under Group Name, type in [Bluefish Swim Club](#) and click
4. Click on [Bluefish Swim Club Boosters](#)
Click
5. Provide required information
Click
6. SKIP THIS SECTION
Click
6. Register credit and debit cards
7. SKIP THIS SECTION
Click
8. Confirm your registration and review
Click
9. Create a personal password to access "my eScrip" in the future and track your purchases and account activity

NOW THAT I'M REGISTERED, WHAT NEXT?

1. Check out eScrip Dining Rewards
This allows the Bluefish to earn money when you dine out at a participating restaurant - 2.5% of your bill (including tax and tip) goes to the Bluefish when you pay with a registered credit/debit card
2. Shop the eScrip Online Mall
There are over 800 retailers that participate in the program.

IS THERE MORE?

The eScrip program offers many other ways you can earn money for the Bluefish Boosters, a few of which have been mentioned above. When you have a spare moment, spend some time on www.escrip.com to learn more about the program and what you can do to help.

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Using Your Team Store Is Easy!

1 Log On To www.all-americanaquatics.com

2 Register As An On-Line User

First Time Users: Click on **New Account**, select **New Customer**, **Continue**. Enter your information including your team name and enter a password. Your password must contain at least five characters. Remember to make a note of it for future reference. Click **Continue**.

Returning Users: Click on **Log In**. Enter your e-mail address and password. Click **Sign In**. If you previously registered as a user but did not indicate your team affiliation click on **My Account** and then on **View or Change My Account** and select your team name. Click **Continue**. (If you are having difficulty adding or changing your team in **Change My Account**, please call 800-910-7946, M-F 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. CST for assistance.)

3 Shop Your Team Store

Once you have logged in, just click the **TEAM STORE** tab (or the Team Store ad on the home page) at any time to enter your team's exclusive store area. All items in your team store are offered at discount pricing including team personalization. In addition you may shop the main catalog on the same order.

4 Checkout

Shipping Address: Confirm your shipping address information. If you will be "Shipping to Team" you do not need to change the address to the actual destination.

Choose Your Shipping Method: Depending on the arrangement we have made with your team, there may be some additional shipping options at checkout.

If "Ship to Team" is indicated we will hold your individual orders and ship them together at a predetermined date to your coach or pool. This convenient method economizes shipping charges.

Add Comments: Specify your personalization for qualifying team merchandise that was checked "yes" for personalization when added to your shopping cart.

Payment Method: All-American Aquatics accepts Visa, Master Card and Discover.

5 Receive Your Order

You will receive a confirmation of your order by e-mail. In most cases we will ship your order within 24 to 48 hours of receipt. "Ship To Team" orders will be shipped on their predetermined dates. If you have any questions about your order, please call 1-800-910-7946 (M-F 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. CST) and an account representative will assist you.



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