

Notice:
Registration Deadline May 17th
 will be strictly enforced.
 Applications must be 100%
 complete to be considered.



2024

**KILLER WHALES REGISTRATION FORM
 RETURNING SWIMMERS**

Participants Name		Contact Phone Number	
Male or Female		Child's Age	
Parent's First & Last Name			
Email Address		Child's Birthday (M/D/Y)	
Mailing Address			

Please communicate any medical, allergies, chronic illness or special needs that the Coaches should be made aware:

REGISTRATION STATUS

I was a 2023 team member. I have submitted:

- Current Registration form
- Copy of AAU Card and
- Registration Fee (or Financial Aid Application)

I understand that my registration must be 100% complete to secure a position on the team. Incomplete and late applications will be placed on a waiting list. I've submitted Check # _____ made out to **MVST** for the total amount of \$150 for first child and \$130 for each additional child with this registration. Includes a season pool pass for the Wagner Memorial Pool and participation in meets, including championships, in Okanogan County. My AAU # is _____ (a copy of my card is attached). Team position guaranteed only if complete application, membership fee and AAU Card is received by **May 17th**.

- ADDITIONAL REGISTRATION INSTRUCTIONS**
- ✓ Read about program changes in the team Handbook
 HYPERLINK "<http://www.mvkillerwhales.org>"
www.mvkillerwhales.org
 - ✓ If you do not have an active AAU Card from another 2023/2024 sport, register at the AAU website: HYPERLINK "<http://www.ieaau.org>" <http://www.ieaau.org>
 - ✓ Mail forms to: Methow Valley Killer Whales, PO Box 441, Twisp, WA 98856 no later than May 17th deadline.
 - ✓ Forms can also be dropped off at Methow Valley Elementary with Laurel
 - ✓ Other questions and concerns please see website.
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****Parental Support****

Parent(s): When you sign your kid(s) up, you sign up! As a Parent Organization each parent is depended upon to assist at 3 home meets in a volunteer capacity. **Work Sign Up Sheets will be provided at least 3 days prior to all meets.** We need timers, stroke judges, starters, runners, pit workers etc. Please sign up and get your front row view of the action.

I, the parent/guardian of the above named applicant attest that my child is physically fit for this type of activity. I also give my approval to her/his participation at any and all team activities. I hereby waive, release and discharge any and all claims against the Methow Valley Killer Whales, the City of Twisp, all their representatives and supervisors from any and all claims and/or damages which may be sustained by the participant in travel to, participation in, and returning from any meets or practices sponsored by the Methow Valley Killer Whales Swim Team and/or the City of Twisp. I hereby give my permission for the Killer Whales Swim Team coaches to authorize medical treatment for my child in the event of an emergency at or in route to or from any and all away meets, if they deem it necessary and parent/guardian cannot be reached

Signature of Parent/Guardian: _____ Date: _____



Killer Whale Swim Team Requirements

Returning Swim Team Members

Due to limited slots, swimmers who participated in the 2023 swim season will be given the opportunity to rejoin the team by completing their registration on time.

- Swim team members must arrive on time for practice sessions.
- Swimmers must follow the instructions of the coach and team officials.
- Swimmers must comply with all facility/pool and competition rules and regulations, and observe safety guidelines at all times. Team Handbook & League By-Laws can be found at www.mvkillerwhales.org under Registration & Info.

Prospective Swim Team Members (New Applicants)

- Youth between the ages of 6 and 18 who can swim a 25 yard freestyle in good form may try out for the team. Swimming 25 yards does not guarantee placement on the team. Swimmers may be given the recommendation to take swim lessons. Swim team is NOT swim lessons!
 - Twisp pool has swim lessons and can be reached at www.townoftwisp.com
- If your child has trouble swimming or managing themselves we ask for parents to stay at the pool and keep an eye on them until a coach feels they can manage.
- Tryouts will be held in June for new swimmers, stay tuned for more information regarding tryouts after registration is over.
- **All Swim Teams members are expected to attend and participate in 4 swim meets each season and championships!**

Parents

- Parents are actively involved in running all aspects of the dual meets and our invitational meet. **Parents are expected to assist in 3 home meets, and your support is greatly appreciated.** Look for signs at the pool and/or emails to volunteer.
- Please note that practice groups will also be set based on ability, not just age. During the first few weeks of practice, the coaches will make adjustments to practice groups (pods) if need be.

Swimmer Signature _____ Date _____

Parent/Guardian Signature _____ Date _____