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SPRING/SUMMER 2026

Registration due date is January 15, 2026. Swimmers that are registered for both spring and summer session (must be completed at the same time) by January 15 will receive a \$50 discount (per swimmer).

<u>Click here for the link to the registration page in Captyn.</u>You can filter by Program once you are on that page.

SPRING/SUMMER PRACTICE SCHEDULES

available on our website

MARCH MADNESS PROGRAMMING

included for all swimmers registered for the Spring Session March 9 - 25: M/W/S Senior 1/2/3: 4:00 - 6:00 p.m. Super 8's/AG1/AG2/AG3: 6:00 - 7:30 p.m.

SCHEDULE UPDATES

Saturday, January 3:

Senior 1/2/3: 7:00 - 9:00 a.m. AG 2 and 3: 7:00 - 9:00 a.m.

Wednesday, January 7: High school meet at Waukesha South

Senior 1/2/3: 5:30 - 8:30 p.m. Super 8's: 6:30 - 7:30 p.m. No practice for Age Group 2 and 3

Thursday, January 8:

Normal schedule but adding 30 minutes to AG 2 and 3 practices, 7:00 - 8:30 p.m.

LEARN. Sometimes you win, sometimes you learn.

CHAMPIONSHIP MEET APPAREL SC 2025/26: Orders due January 15

Championship meet apparel is online and available to purchase through January 15, 2026. This is set up as a program offering, under the Swim Team, Winter Session. You will have to add your swimmer to the cart and then these items are "Add-ons" in your cart. Click Next, Continue and Continue and then you will see your options displayed.

Click here to start this registration process, you will be directed to the offering in Captyn.

UPCOMING EVENTS

ALL CITY SWIM MEET 2026!

The All-City Swim program is scheduled for March 14, April 11 and swim meet on April 18. This is a program we offer in partnership with the School District of Waukesha for the 3rd, 4th and 5th graders in the district. We will need parent and senior swimmer help for the practices and swim meet. The volunteer sign up has been posted.

We have secured an Event Sponsor, thank you to **ThermTech** for sponsoring this again in 2026. We are still looking for additional sponsors. If you have a business interested in sponsoring this event let us know!

JOB SIGN UP LINKS

<u>January Block Party Meet, January 10</u> <u>January Heatin' Up Meet, January 17 - 18</u>

MEET ENTRY DEADLINES

Age Group Block Party Swim Meet, January 10, Due date: January 2 Express Heatin' Up in January Swim Meet, January 17 - 18, Due date: January 5 Rocket Aquatics Speedo Sprint Cup Challenge, January 24m Due date: January 9

USA SWIMMING SCHOLASTIC ALL-AMERICAN RECOGNITION

Four Express swimmers have been named to the USA Swimming Scholastic All-American Team for 2025. Congratulations to Will Larkin, Ryan Wanner, Steeler Whowell, and Ben Wisotzke! Swimmers must have qualifying times for USA Swimming Winter Junior Nationals and a grade point average of 3.5 or above to qualify for this recognition.

Congratulations to these student athletes on their achievements and a thank you to the parents and coaches that support them.



USA SWIMMING MEMBERSHIP 2026

New swimmers: Registration with USA Swimming is required and should be completed before your swimmer's first swim team practice.

Steps to complete this registration:

- Create a new parent account at: <u>hub.usaswimming.org</u>
- After you have completed creating your account use this unique link to register your swimmer: https://omr.usaswimming.org/omr/welcome/FE98436BA53C61
- Click on Register New Member button
- Click on I am Registering My Child button
- Be sure to complete the process and submit payment, without payment your child's membership is not complete.

Transfer Swimmers: You are required to complete the transfer on your USA Swimming account. Our team code: WEST-WI

LEAD COACHES

Super 8's: Alec Carlson (alec@waukeshaexpress.org)

AG White and AG Black: Nickie Tew (nickie@waukeshaexpress.org)

AG Performance: Nathan Carlson (nathan@waukeshaexpress.org)

MS/HS Training Group: Sam Wade (sam@waukeshaexpress.org)

Senior Black: Nathan Carlson (nathan@waukeshaexpress.org) and Laurie Carlson

(<u>laurie@waukeshaexpress.org</u>)

Senior White: Sam Wade (sam@waukeshaexpress.org)

National Team: Blaine Carlson (blaine@waukeshaexpress.org) and Alec Carlson

(alec@waukeshaexpress.org)

Masters: Coach Nickie (nickie@waukeshaexpress.org)

SCRIP FUNDRAISER (OPTIONAL)

RAISE RIGHT

Next due date: January 7

Next delivery date: January 14

Website: https://www.raiseright.com

Organization ID: 918EE8AD13252

MASTERS SWIMMING (ADULTS)

Next session starts January 2 - April 29, 2026

M/W/F: 5:30 - 6:45 a.m.

Join Coach Nickie and the group at Waukesha South - all levels of swimmers welcome!

THRIVE. Choose to be your best self.