

Wildewood Mini Marlins Pre-Swim Team

2023 Pre-Season Information

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Goal:

- ❖ **The GOAL of the Mini Marlins Pre-Team is to have all swimmers advance to the full team (by being able to swim unassisted the length of the pool) by the last meet of the season. If your child is ready to advance before then they will be moved up and able to swim in more meets.**

Registration requirements:

- ❖ Swimmer must have a valid Wildewood Community Pool card and household must have already paid the 2023 pool fee, if not in a neighborhood with automatic membership. Forms are available at: www.wildewoodcommunitypool.com.
- ❖ Swimmer must be able to swim freestyle approximately **half of one length** of the pool **unassisted**, and
- ❖ **Mini Marlins is not “swim lessons,” your child must be comfortable in the water, putting his/her face in the water and able to swim at least halfway across the pool unassisted, and**
- ❖ If your swimmer advances onto the full Marlins Swim Team, at least one parent/guardian **must** volunteer at each swim meets in which their child participates, or through other volunteer opportunities with the team.

For the 2023 season, Practice will run Monday - Friday with 2 practice groups 9:00-9:30am and 9:30-10:00am. All swimmers may swim every day during their designated 30 minute group time.

Registration will be capped at 16 swimmers (8 in each session) so please register early. The fee is \$105 per swimmer.

Refunds: Please make sure your child is ready to participate before registering. Refunds will be issued until June 21. Email wildewoodmarlins@gmail.com if a refund is needed. Refunds will not include the \$5 Active registration fee or \$7 league fee, as those will have already been paid.

Uniform

Any suit that is suitable for lap swim is fine for Mini Marlins. If your child advances to the full Marlins Swim Team the uniform is listed below.

The uniform for the Wildewood Marlins this season is updating! We will be wearing the Speedo RUSE BLOCK Endurance suits in Team Blue (see page 2 of this document for pictures!), as well as a Wildewood Marlins logo swim cap. **Caps are required and will be available for purchase during registration, and will be available throughout the duration of the season.**

If you wish, you may opt to purchase ANY solid color royal blue suit appropriate for competitive swimming in lieu of the above mentioned suit, or wear your logo'd suit from prior seasons.

Practice

Practice will begin June 19, Monday - Friday. The season will run through July 29th.

Registration runs **May 1 -June 15** at this link:

<https://cui.active.com/sports-reg/login?a=30dfd0e2-e79c-4571-831e-e82a54f8258e>

Please email wildewoodmarlins@gmail.com with any questions.

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