



# Welcome to Update 199!

## **Fall 2010 Session Registration Is Open!!**

Registration for the Fall 2010 Session is currently open. The deadline for returning swimmers to register is Friday, August 6. Any new swimmers, who did not participate with Saluki Swim Club last year, need to participate in the Evaluation Night. If you have not participated in Evaluation Night, but would like to swim in the Fall Session, please contact Coach Jay Newton at [coach@swimsaluki.com](mailto:coach@swimsaluki.com). *In order to register for the Fall Session, you must have your account paid in full!* If you have any questions regarding your account, please contact Coach Jay at 457-1103.

In order to register, access the Registration link on the Racing Team webpage (or the link will be available on the Homepage starting July 19), and fill out the form. Then, you will need to mail in the 2010-2011 paperwork, 2011 USA registration paperwork and your registration check of \$110 per swimmer. The 2010-2011 paperwork is available on the homepage and the archive page on the team website. For each Fall session (or your first session on the team), each swimmer is required to submit paperwork and pay a \$110 registration fee. The \$110 registration fee is not an additional fee. The registration fee will be applied to your Fall session fees (think of it as a down payment on your Fall session fees).

For new swimmers who wish to join Saluki Swim Club, after your evaluation you will receive an email detailing your group placement. The email will also give the specifics regarding your deadline to mail in your registration fee of \$110 per swimmer.

\*\*\* A special note about Registration\*\*\* In an attempt to clarify USA registration, I inadvertently caused confusion. Each swimmer **MUST** have a payment of \$110(per swimmer) for the registration fee. You do **NOT** need to send a payment of \$52 made out to Ozark Swimming for USA registration. I am sorry for any confusion.

## **Fall Session Begins on Monday, August 23 – Saluki HQ closed August 16-22**

We are currently taking our end of the Summer break. We resume practice on Monday, August 23. The Saluki HQ offices will be closed August 16-22, so all emails and phone messages will be returned beginning Monday, August 23. Please, remember that all 2010-2011 paperwork and registration deposits are due prior to the start of the Fall session (please see specific deadlines for returning families and new swimmers).

### **The 2010-2011 Short Course Season Meet Calendar Will be Available on the Website Next Week**

The 2010-2011 Short Course Season Meet Calendar will be released on the website next week. This upcoming season will have some changes to the calendar and some changes to the Ozark Championship Meet schedule. I will add an explanation of the overall season changes when I release the meet schedule next week.

### **Promotion Emails Will be Sent Next Week**

All promotion emails for returning swimmers will be sent out next week. There will be some restructuring of the groups in order to best accommodate our growing swim team family. If you have any questions after the promotion emails are sent out, please contact Coach Jay!

### **Coach Chris, Good bye and Thank You!**

The time has come for Coach Chris Gally to leave Saluki Swim Club. Chris and his family will be moving to Pennsylvania to be near their family. Coach Chris will be missed! Chris did a wonderful job teaching and motivating our age group swimmers. Thank You, Coach Chris, for your dedication to Saluki Swim Club, its swimmers, and their desire to achieve their swimming goals. We wish you all the best in Pennsylvania!

### **Saluki Swim Club is Excited to Introduce New Additions to Our Coaching Staff!**

Saluki Swim Club is excited to introduce Eileen Walker and Jason Sigler as new additions to the Saluki Swim Club Staff. Eileen Walker has been involved with competitive swimming for the last 35 years. Eileen was a highly decorated age group swimmer, a senior national qualifier, and NCAA All American at Texas A&M. Eileen had been an active member of the Saluki Swim Club family and still competes as a member of the Saluki Masters Swim Club. Eileen is married to SIU Swimming Head Coach Rick Walker. Eileen will be the Head Age Group Coach and will coach Groups 2 and 3.

Jason Sigler grew up swimming for Saluki Swim Club and still holds several team records. Jason continued his swimming career as a valuable member of the SIU Swimming Team. Jason is a graduate of Carterville High School and SIU and currently works in Marketing for School Center. Jason will be the Senior Assistant Coach and will coach Group 4 with Head Coach Jay Newton.

### **Saluki Swimmer Compete in Summer Sectional Meet**

Four Saluki Swim Club Swimmers competed in the 2010 Central Sectional 8 Meet in Columbia, MO July 21 – July 24. Stephen Cohen, Camille Davis, Calvin Kolar and Kelsie Walker competed in the high level competition. Camille Davis (16 years old) broke team records in the 100 back and 200 back; Kelsie Walker (14 years old) also broke team records in the 200 fly and 1500 free; Calvin Kolar (17 years old) finished 17<sup>th</sup> in the 200 breast and achieved 3 Saluki all time Top 5 times; Stephen Cohen (18 years old) achieved 3 Saluki all time Top 5 times. Saluki swimmer swam best times in 60 % of their races.

## **Saluki Swimmers Excel in Ozark Championships**

Sixteen Saluki Swimmers competed in the 2010 Ozark Long Course Championships in Carbondale, IL. Fifteen of the sixteen swimmers finished in the Top 16 in their respective age groups and scored points for the team. Kelsie Walker led the team finishing second in the 13-14 girls high point standings. Kelsie broke 3 team records (200 free, 400 free, and 200 fly); Camille Davis (16 years old) broke 2 team records (100 and 200 back); and Jacob Stone (13 years old) broke team records (800 and 1500 free). Kelsie, Elizabeth Bell and Calvin Kolar all won individual events in the meet. Cody Bailey, Stephen Cohen, Camille Davis, Ryan Hall, Calvin Kolar, Ashlee Kuan, Darlene Sao, Jacob Stone, and Kelsie Walker swam times fast enough to place them on the Saluki all time Top 5 list. Saluki Swimmer achieved best times in 75% of their races.

Saluki swimmer who scored points in the meet include: Cody Bailey (14 years old) finished 10<sup>th</sup> in the 800 free; Elizabeth Bell (18 years old) finished 1<sup>st</sup> in the 100 free; Amelia Coello (12 years old) finished 15<sup>th</sup> in the 100 breast; Sara Coello (14 years old) finished 12<sup>th</sup> in the 100 fly; Stephen Cohen (18 years old) finished 4<sup>th</sup> in the 100 breast, 6<sup>th</sup> in the 200 breast, and 8<sup>th</sup> in the 100 free; Camille Davis (16 years old) finished 2<sup>nd</sup> in the 100 back and 4<sup>th</sup> in the 200 back; Ryan Hall (16 years old) finished 12<sup>th</sup> in the 800 free; Calvin Kolar (17 years old) – finished 1<sup>st</sup> in the 100 and 200 breast, 3<sup>rd</sup> in the 50 free and 200 IM, and 8<sup>th</sup> in the 100 back; Ashlee Kuan (14 years old) finished 8<sup>th</sup> in the 200 back, 11<sup>th</sup> in the 100 back, and 14<sup>th</sup> in the 200 breast; Luke Lauzon (10 years old) finished 8<sup>th</sup> in the 50 free, 10<sup>th</sup> in the 100 free, 14<sup>th</sup> in the 100 breast, and 16<sup>th</sup> in the 200 free; Darlene Sao (17 years old) finished 8<sup>th</sup> in the 50 free; Austyn Sigler (16 years old) finished 15<sup>th</sup> in the 100 and 200 breast; Jacob Stone (13 years old) finished 6<sup>th</sup> in the 800 free, 11<sup>th</sup> in the 50 free, 12<sup>th</sup> in the 400 free, 14<sup>th</sup> in the 200 breast and 100 free, and 15<sup>th</sup> in the 200 free; Kelsie Walker (14 years old) finished 1<sup>st</sup> in the 200 fly, 200 IM, and 400 free, 2<sup>nd</sup> in the 200 free and 100 fly, 3<sup>rd</sup> in the 100 free, and 7<sup>th</sup> in the 50 free; Taylor Yucus (12 years old) finished 15<sup>th</sup> in the 100 breast.

The 13-14 girls relay team of Emily Stroud, Ashlee Kuan, Sara Coello, and Kelsie Walker finished 6<sup>th</sup> in the 400 free relay. The 15 and over relay team of Camille Davis, Darlene Sao, Austyn Sigler, and Elizabeth Bell finished 9<sup>th</sup> in the 400 free relay.