

## **PSC Dolphin Assistance Programs**

Pueblo swim club believes in providing access to swimming to all interested individuals and families in the Pueblo area regardless of financial status.

<u>Multiswimmer Family Discounts</u> are available under the following conditions: for 3 or more swimmers in a family a 10% discount is offered on the third swimmer and any swimmer hereafter's monthly fee. Full price is paid for the top level swimmers: i.e., Smith Family has 4 swimmers: 1 blue, 1 White, and 2 Learn to Swim. Full price is paid for Blue and White and a 10% discount is applied to both LTS fees per month.

**PSC Dolphin Scholarship:** The PSC Dolphin Scholarship is a 50% discount on monthly swim fees. PSC financial assistance is offered on the following conditions: any family that qualifies for free or reduced lunch in Pueblo City School D60 or Pueblo County D70 must provide a copy of their acceptance letter for free or reduced lunch for the current school year. Scholarships can be renewed on a yearly basis with current verification. Families receiving the Dolphin scholarship do not qualify for the multi swimmer family discount.

If proof of free/reduced lunch cannot be provided, determination will be based on total family income. Copies of the two most recent month's income/pay stubs must be submitted for each parent/guardian that supports the child. Scholarship will be renewable each year at the initiation of short course season (Aug./ Sep.). You are responsible for informing the treasurer of any change in your financial status. Families found to be abusing the scholarship, falsifying records or withholding information for the purpose of maintaining or receiving the scholarship will be in danger of their swimmer (s) being removed from PSC- any suspected deception will be fully investigated and voted on by the PSC Board.

As is expected with all of our families, timely and consistent payment is expected. If you fall 3 months behind in monthly fees, your swimmer(s) will not be allowed in the water until your account is current or payment arrangements have been made with the treasurer. If a pattern of non-payment or late payment develops families may forfeit PSC financial assistance.

The PSC board reserves the right to refuse scholarship assistance to families who fail to establish a proven need for assistance. All decisions will be provided to families in writing.

Families are required to re-apply for financial assistance at the beginning of every short course season.

Discounts and scholarship assistance only apply to monthly swim fees. Families are responsible for all other costs incurred (i.e., swim meet registration, USA swimming registration, equipment, etc.).

Household Size	Annual	Monthly	Weekly
1	\$20,036	\$1,670	\$386
2	\$26,955	\$2,247	\$519
3	\$33,874	\$2,823	\$652
4	\$40,793	\$3,400	\$785
5	\$47,712	\$3,976	\$918
6	\$54,631	\$4,553	\$1,051
7	\$61,550	\$5,130	\$1,184
8	\$68,469	\$5,706	\$1,317
For each additional household member add:	\$6,919	\$577	\$134



## Schools of Fish Sponsorship Program

"Working together to improve the sport of swimming."

Name:
Address:
Phone:
Date of Donation:
Minnow Club (\$25-\$75)
Rainbow Trout Club (\$76-\$200)
Dolphin Club (\$201-\$500)
Whale Club (\$500 and over)

**PSC Tax ID #** 19911078429



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Pueblo Swim Club P.O. Box 1466 Pueblo, CO 81002

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The **Pueblo Swim Club** is a non-profit swim club dedicated to enhancing the lives of children in Pueblo, CO. Our program provides services to 5 different groups. We have two levels of Learn to Swim lessons and one mid level where swimmers advance from Learn to Swim into our competitive program. The competitive program is made up of two different groups. These swimmers then compete at various levels, from local to national. Our members are in the water 11 months out of the year training from two to five days a week depending on their level. The disciplines of hard work, team work, respecting others, and following instructions are just a few of benefits they receive while swimming with our club. In this day and age, many children suffer from poor health including weight issues. The number of obese children in the United States has tripled since 1980s. Estimates suggest that approximately 25 percent of the children and adolescents in the United States are either overweight or obese. The daily exercise of swimming is a wonderful way to improve one's health.

Pueblo Swim club has been in the Pueblo area for over 30 years. We have a reputation of high honor throughout the state of Colorado. Some of our accomplishments are Silver State, Junior Olympic State, state record holders, All Stars, Zones, Sectional, Junior National, and Olympic Trial qualifiers. We were recently recognized by United States Swimming as a *Bronze Medal Club*. This program's goal is to embrace leadership and excellence in up to 200 of the USA Swimming's top member clubs.

The *Schools of Fish Sponsorship Program* has been developed to help raise funds in order to build our program and provide scholarships for children who are interested in swimming but cannot afford it. We invite you to help support the Pueblo Swim Club by donating at a level which best suites you or your business. There are four different levels: The *Minnow Club* (\$25-\$75 donation), The *Rainbow Trout Club* (\$76-\$200 donation), The *Dolphin Club* (\$201-\$500 donation), and The *Whale Club* (\$500 and over donation).

Our Team hosts two swim meets each year, at which a meet program is made available for families to purchase to follow the order of swimmers at that meet. With each donation to the *Schools of Fish Sponsorship Program*, the name of the sponsor will appear in each of these meet programs. In addition, your name will be posted on our website, included in our new swimmer package, and if you have a banner, the *Dolphin Club* and *Whale Club* donors will have the ability to have them placed at the swim meets and practice pool. By sponsoring, you will also have the satisfaction of knowing that you have helped build our program as well as, aid children who would normally not be able to participate without your assistance.

For more information, please call Denise Wedel at 719-251-5600 or email to puebloswimclub@hotmail.com. You can also visit our website at www.swimpsc.org.

Sincerely,

Denise Wedel Board President