

Hello SeaWolves!

We are excited to host the 2016 Gold Rush Championships.

Sign ups for the required volunteer positions are online now on our website for both Saturday and Sunday. You are required to volunteer for **three** shifts per family (two if your only swimmer is a 6 and under). This is in addition to the 14 hours for the regular season.

Here is some useful information about Champs:

Championships will be held at our own facility, the Roseville Aquatic Complex located at 3051 Woodcreek Oaks Blvd, Roseville, CA 95747 on July 16-17. Check in each day will be at 6:30 sharp.

**Parking:**

By now you should be well aware of the available parking areas at the RAC. A Specialty Parking Pass is required to park in the Reserved lot (the gravel lot on the north side of the pool). These passes are for key volunteers and coaches. Any spots still available after 9:00 am in the reserved lot will be opened up to anyone. There is additional parking across the street in the newly paved lot, Woodcreek High School, Mahany Park on the corner of Woodcreek Oaks and Pleasant Grove Blvd or at the Raleys shopping center on the same corner. Please allow ample time to park and check in on time.

Our team area is not our usual spot for dual meets. We will be located outside of the pool area, between the large rolling gate and the barbecue area (where we will be hosting the snack bar).

**Set-Up:**

Set up will take place Friday night, July 17th starting at 4:00pm. **No family tents will be allowed to set up before 6:00pm or when the meet setup is complete, whichever comes first.** There will be security on site both Friday and Saturday nights. Please do not leave valuables overnight. **Reminder: the City of Roseville does not allow tarps on the grass.** Towels and other breathable material are OK, but they **must** be picked up overnight.

**Snack Bar:**

Woodcreek will provide a full snack bar for both breakfast and lunch that will be located to the rear of the complex outside the back gates (next to the tennis courts). This is our second largest fundraiser for the season and we need lots of help! Please consider signing up for a shift or two as part of your three-shift requirement.

**Heats/Results:**

Meet Mobile will be used to post results. Please know that Meet Mobile results are unofficial. Hard copy results will also be posted at the front and back of the facility.

**Closed Deck:**

We will be running a closed deck on the starting side of the pool (near the ready bench). You must have a deck pass to enter that area. Otherwise, you will be required to walk around the pool on the bleacher side to access the warm up pool or front restrooms. This area will be crowded. *PLEASE KEEP THE WALKWAY CLEAR AND DO NOT BLOCK OTHERS FROM VIEWING THE MEET.*

**Noise:**

There are absolutely no noise-makers of any kind allowed during the races. We also request that spectators in the stands refrain from making noise at the start of all races to allow swimmers to hear the start.

**Ready Bench:**

All swimmers are required to go through the ready bench. No exceptions. Also, we will be using the ready bench for staging of relays as well. Please send your relay teams to gather there.

**Volunteers:**

All volunteers ARE REQUIRED to check in for their shift at the volunteer table in the covered area located to the back left of the pool early in the day. When you check in, you will receive stickers with your shift time and location. Please check in for all shifts each morning.

**Awards:**

The 6 & Under Awards Ceremony will be Saturday between Finals and Relays. All other awards including High Point Swimmer Awards, Dual Meet Awards and Championship Awards will take place on Sunday at the conclusion of the meet AFTER everything is cleaned up. Please lend a hand so we can start the ceremonies quickly.

**Hotels:**

If you have out of town guests that would like to stay overnight in the Roseville area, there are several hotels offering discounts for our event. Please let them know you are with the Norcal Swim League Gold Rush Championships to get the discount. You can click on the link for more information.

<http://placertourism.com/events/2016GoldRushSwim>

**Restrooms:**

Restrooms are located at both the front and back of the facility.  
See you on deck.

Thank you,

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2016 Gold Rush Champs Meet Director  
GO SEAWOLVES!