



# The Blaze



**Home Educated Aquatic Team**

**February 26, 2006**

## **Three HEAT Swimmers to Compete at the South Texas Junior Olympics**

Alexa and Lauren Jones and Shelby Ramirez will join 50 other CCAA swimmers in competing in the 2006 Winter Junior Olympic Championships in San Antonio this weekend. They will compete in 13 individual events and Alexa and Lauren will compete in four relays. It will be the first Junior Olympics competition for all of our swimmers.

Each of our swimmers will be given a CCAA Championship Meet swim cap to compete in when they get to the meet on Saturday. At the completion of Saturday's events, swimmers will meet at Mr. Gatti's for a Team Dinner.

This will be their final meet of the Winter 2005-2006 swim season.

## **Team Wear**

Another Team Wear Order will be taken beginning on March 15<sup>th</sup>. At this time, we will be adding the new CCAA Team swimsuit.

There will be an added step for swimmers if they intend to purchase a team suit. They need to go to Swimmin' Stuff in the Windchase Shopping Center (Airline & Holly). Mrs. Daly will size you and record the size that you need. You'll then purchase the suit through the Team Wear Form. The Order Forms will be due on April 1<sup>st</sup>. As items come in, they will be delivered to your club.

So be on the lookout for these Order Forms! For those that did not order particular items, but now would like to, it will be the final opportunity until August.

## **Summer Swim Season Will Begin Soon**

As we leave the winter season, summer season soon is coming upon us. Our swimmers have the opportunity to compete in the Corpus Christi Summer Swim League as well as in Alliance, SoTex, and out-of-area competitions. We are contemplating taking a group of swimmers to Shreveport, Louisiana in June. If we do this, a team bus will be hired and swimmers and parents may travel on the bus.

More information on this and other summer activities will be coming out in the next few weeks.

## **Spring 2000 Meter Swim**

There will be a 2000 Meter Swim sponsored by Corpus Christi Parks and Rec. on Saturday, April 29<sup>th</sup> at the CC Natatorium. Information on the swim will be found on our website later this week. Please plan on entering this race. This race is open to swimmers and adults.

## **New SwimAmerica Session Begins Tuesday**

Our next SwimAmerica lesson session will begin March 14<sup>th</sup>. It will run on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 5:30-6:00pm. There is a limited number of places for this session, so if you know of anyone, please get them to call Coach Annette ASAP. If there is enough interest, an additional class will run from 6:00-6:30pm on Tuesdays and Thursdays.

We can open up a swim lesson session beginning on March 14<sup>th</sup> from 2:00-2:30pm on Tuesdays and Thursday if there is interest, so please let your friends know.

The next session will begin on April 11<sup>th</sup>.

## **Web Site Has . . .**

We'd like to thank our families for the great way that they have moved from a 'paper' team to one that gets most information from our website at [www.ccmarlins.org](http://www.ccmarlins.org)

Meet Information, Entry Forms and Meet Results can be found here as well as weekly and CCAA newsletters.

We have placed a few new areas on the site. A pop-up appears when you come onto the Home Page. The pop-up has reminders for the week.

We now have a secure area for HEAT Swimmers only. In order to access this site, you will need to get the username and the password from Miss Vicki.

If there is a parent that can do a website for HEAT, please let Miss Vicki know. Although we are included in the CC Marlins website, it would be beneficial for the team to be linked to the community's Home School programs with a separate website.

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