



Family Participation Policy

Parental assistance is a crucial aspect in the development of a cohesive team environment, as well as a major contributor to both our athletes' success and the financial success of our team. As such, the Titans Board of Directors has developed a Family Participation Policy to encourage the involvement of athletes' families in the support of our team.

TTSC Hosted Meets

- All Family Participation Requirements must be fulfilled during a Tonawanda Titan Swim Club hosted meet within the current season.
- TTSC is scheduled to host five (5) meets in the 2023/2024 season.
- There are a minimum of fifteen (15) separate sessions that make up these meets.
- Each session equals one volunteer hour.
- The actual time commitment for each session ranges from approximately 3-5 hours.
- No prior experience or training is required to volunteer for most positions at a meet.
- Families do not have to have a swimmer participating in a meet or a specific session in order to volunteer.
- Multiple family members can volunteer within session limits (as applicable).
- The minimum age of a volunteer to fulfill an obligation is 15 years old.

Requirements

All Levels: In addition to volunteering, families from all levels are asked to assist in preparations for TTSC hosted meets by donating money to help us reduce the operational costs of our team meets. Food/supply donation needs equate to approximately \$3 - \$10 per meet for each family and will be automatically charged to your account the week prior to the meet.

Stroke Development: Families with swimmers in Stroke Development do not have assigned volunteer hours but are welcome and encouraged to assist in TTSC hosted meets by filling open volunteer positions.

Level 1: Families are required to volunteer at one (1) session for each swimmer they have registered in Level 1.

Level 2: Families are required to volunteer at two (2) sessions for each swimmer they have registered in Level 2.

Levels 3 through 8:

- Families with one (1) swimmer in Level 3 – Level 8 are required to volunteer at five (5) sessions.
- Families with more than one (1) swimmer are required to volunteer an additional two (2) sessions for each additional swimmer.

A fee of \$100.00 per session will be assessed to your account at the end of the season should you fail to meet your volunteer requirements.

Away Meets

There are times in which we are required to provide volunteers for meets that we attend as guests (non-Titan Hosted Meets). These requirements are sometimes communicated to us in advance and at other times within days of the actual meet. All volunteer requirements are reviewed by the Titans Board of Directors and are assigned to attendees based on need and participation. By entering your swimmer in an away meet (non-Titan Hosted Meet) you are also agreeing that should we be required to provide volunteers that you will be available to assist in a minimum of but not limited to one (1) assigned slot. These assignments as they are not controlled by the Titans are not applicable toward your Titan session requirements. A fee will be assessed to your account should you fail to meet your volunteer requirements.

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Participation Termination

Once you have completed the online registration and it is approved, your Family Participation Requirements will be assigned to your account. Should you decide at any time to terminate your participation with the Titans prior to your successful completion of these hours they will still be considered an obligation to the Titans and any outstanding hours not completed will be due in the form of \$100 per session upon termination of your participation.

Acknowledgment

I have carefully and completely read this agreement and fully understand the purpose, intent, and effect of this agreement. I have voluntarily executed the agreement by action of my own free will.