

BETHLEHEM RECREATION DEPARTMENT

Bethlehem Town Pool Red Cross Swim Lessons

Mon., Tues, Wed. (Rain date: Thus.)

Afternoons:

11:30 – 12:30 pm Swim Team, Sharks

Noon – 12:30 pm Parent/ Child Aquatics

12:30 - 1:00 pm Starfish

1:00-1:30 pm Minnows, Dolphins

1:30 - 2:00 pm Trouts

Mon. & Wed. (Rain date: Tues.)

Evenings:

4:30 - 5:00 pm Tadpoles

5:00 - 5:30 pm Guppies

5:30 -6:00 pm Starfish

Tadpoles & Parents - Ages 1 - 3 yrs

Tadpoles and Parents learn to acclimate to the pool in a social, fun environment. Tadpoles learn water entry/exit and develop elementary skills such as blowing bubbles, kicking, and floating. Parents learn basic water safety skills and proper holding techniques

SWIM DIAPERS ARE REQUIRED (for any child who is not yet potty trained)

Guppies & Parents- Age 3-5 (Walkers in 3 feet of water)

Guppies' skill set is similar to the Tadpoles class, but is customized for the increased coordination and dexterity of older toddlers. Guppies will also begin to work on submerging their heads. Parents learn water safety skills and proper holding techniques to facilitate skill development.

Starfish Ages 4 - 5 (Independent Preschoolers) Beginner Skills: ARC Preschool Level 1-2

Starfish begin to submerge; they learn front and back floating, kicking, jumping and retrieving objects in shallow water. (Starfish are comfortable in the pool and are in the water without parents. They are able to follow directions and sit on their own. If your child does not fit this description, please join the Guppies/Parents class.)

Minnows

Beginner Skills:

ARC Preschool Level 3/Learn-to-Swim Level 1

Minnows learn to comfortably submerge, float and move forward in the water; they are learning front and back glides and kicks, front to back rollovers, jumping and retrieving objects Trout

Beginner Skills:

ARC Learn-to-Swim Level 2

Trouts are introduced to freestyle arm and leg movements, rhythmic breathing, backstroke, elementary backstroke and treading. They will advance to swimming in deep water.

Trouts must be able to comfortably jump into water over their heads and back float for 10 s.

Dolphin

Intermediate skills: Learn-to-Swim Level 3

Dolphins build upon skills from Trout level; rotary breathing, front crawl, backstroke, elementary backstroke treading. They also begin diving, scissor kick, and dolphin kick.

Swimmers need to be able to swim with their face in the water for 5 yards and swim on their back for 15 yards without support

Shark

Intermediate skills: Learn-to-Swim Level 4

Sharks already can dive, swim front crawl, backstroke, elementary backstroke, back float and tread water. Sharks learn full stroke butterfly stroke, side stroke, open turns on back.

Swim Team

\$100 for 5 weeks Mon, Tues, Wed, Thurs

Swim team is for swimmers who want to learn about swimming as a sport. Each practice will consist of a warm up period, stroke techniques focus through drills, and a cardiovascular set to improve the kids overall swimming fitness. There will also be practice time to work on starts and turns to help the kids achieve greater fluidity in their swimming, swim more continuously, and practice race skills. Practices will start with dry land exercises, flexibility assessments and stretches, and stroke technique education. Practices will end with a fun relay, diving, or game.

Swimmers need to comfortably swim one length of front crawl/ freestyle, one length of backstroke, and tread water or float for 30 seconds.

- -Intermediate swimmers (ARC Learn-to-Swim Level 4) will improve their front crawl and backstroke. They will begin to learn breaststroke, butterfly, flip turns, starts, and dives.
- -Advanced swimmers (ARC Learn-to-Swim Level 5 & 6) will improve on all competitive strokes along with the appropriate starts, turns, and finishes (front crawl, backstroke, breaststroke, and butterfly). Advanced swimmers will increase their endurance.

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Private lessons are available for swimmers who need 1:1 attention, group swim lesson times do not work for their schedule, fear of water, etc... Email for more information bethlehemtownpool@gmal.com

2025 BTP Swim Lesson PARTICIPANT INFORMATION

PARTICIPANTS NAME			GRADE COMPLETED MALE				FEMALE
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