



Fall 2 Schedule & Registration - PLEASE READ

We are preparing our Fall 2 class schedule, and would like your input! Emails were sent out to all current swimmers last week containing this information, so if you didn't receive an email, please let us know. Registration will be changing in the future as we are moving to a new registration program soon. It will allow for more continuous registration, allowing you to keep your spot the whole year if you'd like! Due to this change, if you are an existing swimmer and would like to **KEEP** your same spot from Fall 1 to Fall 2, please respond to the email and let us know by October 6th and we will place you on the schedule. If you would like to **CHANGE** your class day/time/instructor, please let us know by October 6th and we will place you into a new class *after* that date. Please note – we will register swimmers keeping their same spot before we register swimmers making a change. After we have all existing swimmers placed, we will open for general public registration around October 13th. Please let us know your response **before** the October 6th deadline!

There will be some overlap between our old and new registration programs during the Fall 1 and Fall 2 sessions. At some point we will ask you to login to the new registration program, create a username and password, and register for your existing Fall 1 and future Fall 2 classes. Our hope is that in the future, we can copy the entire registration from one session and continue it for the next session. There will be a spaced-out registration process as follows, and as described above:

1st - Existing swimmers keeping same spot

2nd - Existing swimmers changing spots

3rd- General public registration

The dates for the Fall 2 Session are as follows:

Sunday: October 31 - December 12

Monday: November 1 - December 13

Tuesday: November 2 - December 14

Wednesday: November 3 - December 15

Thursday: November 4 - December 16

Friday: November 5 - December 17

Saturday: November 6 - December 18

We will be **closed November 22nd - November 28th for Thanksgiving!*

Please respond to the email by **Wednesday, October 6th at Noon** if you would like the same time as before, or if you would like to make a change. If we don't hear back from you by then, you will have a chance to register when registration opens up to the public.

Welcome to our new staff!

Please extend a warm welcome to our newest staff members! Sara Sperle is joining us as a swim instructor, and Imani Gladden has joined our office staff! Sara is originally from Elkhorn WI, but now calls Madison her home. She is studying Elementary Education and Special Education at the University of Wisconsin-Madison. Sara started swimming while in elementary school, and has been a swim instructor for the past 3 years through the Elkhorn Recreation Department. During the summers, she has worked as a camp counselor and is currently the manager of Sunset Pool.



Originally a Chicago native, Imani moved to Madison, WI in 2013 as a Posse Scholar to complete an undergrad degree in Rehabilitation Psychology while minoring in Education and Educational Services. Shortly after receiving her Bachelor's, she received a Master's in Marriage and Family Therapy at Edgewood College. Imani splits her time between Little Strokes and being a psychotherapist throughout the southern Wisconsin and Stateline region. In her spare time, Imani enjoys reading, outdoor activities, playing with her dog, spending time with friends and family, and doing home improvement projects. We are glad to have Sara and Imani on our staff!

Locker Room Policy Change, 1 Parent/Guardian Exceptions

Due to the colder weather approaching, we will begin allowing use of our locker rooms for changing clothes after lessons. The showers will remain closed for the time being. We will still end lessons 5 minutes early to give you a chance to wrap in a towel and head to your car, use one of the on-deck changing stations, or go into the locker room to change out of your suit. Please exit the locker rooms into the pool area and head out the side pool door.

We have had several questions regarding allowing more than 1 parent/guardian per family at lessons. If you would like an exception, please send us an email and we will let you know if it's possible. There are several times throughout the week when the pool is less crowded and we can allow more spectators on deck and still allow proper social distancing.

Little Strokes is hiring! \$100 referral credit!

We are currently in the process of hiring more swim lessons instructors. If you know of someone who is a high school graduate and former competitive swimmer or swim coach, please send them our way! Potential instructors can express their interest and send their resume to LittleStrokesJobs@gmail.com. Starting pay is \$18-\$25/hour and children of instructors can receive free or reduced cost swim lessons. Instructors can pick which days/hours they like for each 7-10 week long session, and they do not need to work the entire shift. Typical shifts are 8:45am-12:15pm & 2:45-7:45pm weekdays, or 7:45am-1:15pm on Saturday and Sunday. We are open to creating a lesson plan that works with their schedule!

If Little Strokes ends up employing someone that you refer for more than 6 months, you will receive a \$100 referral credit on your account!

Thank you for your continued support!

Bill & Rachel Tygum

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