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Spring Break

No lessons, swim team or water aerobics March 18-27

Little Strokes will not hold swim lessons, swim team or swim lessons from March 18th-27th due to Spring Break. Classes will resume on Monday, March 28th. During the break Little Strokes will offer private pool rentals from March 23rd-27th. Here is our current availability:

Wednesday, March 23: 9-10am, 2-7pm

Thursday, March 24: 12-1pm, 4-7pm

Friday, March 25: 9am-7pm

Sunday, March 27: 11am-2pm. 4-7pm

Please send us an email at LittleStrokesSwim@gmail.com to reserve your spot or inquire about pool rental availability. We offer private pool rentals during our breaks from lessons, and on Saturday and Sunday afternoons. Occasionally we can accommodate a weekday rental between 12-3pm. The cost is \$100/hour for up to 15 people.

Continuous Enrollment

In 2022 we moved to continuous enrollment with Jackrabbit. Once your swimmer has registered for a specific class, they will stay enrolled in that class from that point forward unless they'd like to change classes or cancel their enrollment. Occasionally an instructor's schedule may change, and we will work with those families to find an appropriate class. Since lessons are continuous, we will no longer charge per session, but instead will charge per month. Monthly costs are calculated based on the number of each day of the week each month. Tuesday might have 4 classes and Wednesday might have 5.

On the 20th of the month, your credit card on file will be charged for the upcoming month. If you choose to pay with cash or check, we ask that you login to your Parent Portal around the 20th of the month to check your balance. If you would like to take a break from lessons, we need to know at least one month ahead of time to be sure to remove any upcoming credit card processing. No refunds will be given for cancellations with less than a month notice.

Due to this change, we will award wristbands 4 times per year. The remaining wristband weeks are May 21-17, August 25-31, and December 4-10. The dates lessons will be closed are: March 18-27. April 16-18. May 28-31. June 1-3. July 4, 25-31. September 1-5. October 31 PM. November 21-27. December 19-31.

Updated safety protocols

Locker rooms are open - Masks are recommended & encouraged

Below is an updated list of our COVID protocols. Please note that while this is a loosening of our strict safety measures, we still need to respect and be

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- 1 parent/guardian allowed per family, Parent-Tot may have 2. Exceptions are available during less attended times
- Locker rooms and showers are now open.
- Face coverings are recommended and encouraged for ages 2+ when not in the pool.
- Maintain 6' social distance. Chairs are spaced out on the pool deck and children will be placed on separate platform to allow for social distancing
- Bring your own goggles & water bottle. We will have goggles available in an emergency
- Classes end 5 minutes early to allow most people to exit the pool area before the next group enters
- Stay home if you're feeling ill or have a fever; please try to let us know 24 hours before your missed absence
- No parents/guardians allowed in the pool area during swim team so that we can utilize the deck space for dryland exercises

BIG Splash

Zach B. and Rylie Odden

Every couple weeks, our instructors nominate one of their swimmers to receive the BIG Splash award! The BIG Splash may be someone who has been making great improvements in the pool, working exceptionally hard each week to get better, or coming to lessons with a great attitude and good listening ears. Check out our featured BIG Splash swimmers below, and find more on our [website!](#)

ZACH B.

Age: 8 1/2

Favorite Stroke: Front crawl

Swimming at Little Strokes Since: 2021

Loves: Star Wars, Harry Potter, and animals -especially dinosaurs, sharks and his dogs

Ms. Lindsay says: "Zach is an engaging and energetic swimmer in my class. Zach loves swimming front crawl but is always willing to work hard to get better on any stroke. Every time we swim together, he always asks which stroke he

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make Zach an amazing student at Little Strokes!”

RYLIE ODDEN

Age: 3.5

Favorite Stroke: Backstroke (but she also enjoys getting the rings out of the water!)

Swimming at Little Strokes Since: 2021

Loves: Coloring, art projects, baking, and swimming with Ms. Melissa each week!

Ms. Melissa says: “Rylie is making a splash in a BIG way! She hasn’t been with Little Strokes long, but her bravery and trust are taking her places she’s never been before. While Rylie is nervous and hesitant about the water, she has overcome some big fears. When she started with me, we only blew bubbles and did back floats on my shoulder. In just a few short weeks, Rylie can independently do a back float, put her face in the water, and do amazing rolls to her front crawl position! She is even working on her three big arms when she rolls! The trust and respect we have for each other has helped Rylie do hard things and never give up! I admire her tenacity, bravery, and persistence. She amazes me, her grandparents, and her parents’ class! Keep at it Rylie! You are just another BIG splash away from swimming independently! I am proud of you!”



Thank you for your continued support! - Bill & Rachel Tygum