



Cuda Zone News

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2026 summer practice schedule

JUNE 1 - JULY 16



group	on deck	in pool
15-18		7:30-8:45 a
13-14	8:35	8:45-9:45 a
11-12	9:35	9:45-10:45 a
9-10	10:35	10:45-11:45 a
7-8	11:35	11:45-12:30 p
6&U	12:20	12:30-1:00 p

ON DECK TIME:

Swimmers should be on deck with cap, goggles, water bottles, and other advised equipment at this time.

This is time used for daily meetings, discussions, & warmups.

EVENING PRACTICE:

Swimmers must have approval to attend evening practices. Please email Coach Wendy to get approval and to confirm practice time.

coachwendy928@gmail.com

Starting June 1st Summer Practice Schedule

*Swimmers swimming champs will practice until 7/16.

*Swimmers who are not going to champs will end 7/9.

REMINDER: June PM Practices Need Coach's Approval!

Schools Out for Summer! Starting Monday, June 1st practice will be switching to mornings. If your swimmer needs to attend night practice(s), approval is required. Please email Coach Wendy at coachwendy928@gmail.com for preapproval.

Donut Friday! Friday June 5th (Enjoy a hard earned treat after practice on the pool deck.)

Save the Date! Aquatic Center- June 5th

All ages are welcome. Ticket sales and pricing coming soon. All practices will remain at their normal practice times.

Time To Declare Your Swimmers

(BB@ Sierra Sharks Swimmers must declare by May 29, 2026)

The Friday before (week prior) every meet you will need to go in and declare whether or not your swimmer will participate in the meet. The intention to swim has to be declared so that our computer operations team can submit our roster to the league and so that our coaches can "seat the meet" (put swimmers in the individual and relay races they feel they are best suited for). Once those rosters are submitted we cannot add you so please be mindful of deadlines.

To make your life easier our amazing computer operations folks have built all of our meets for the season. You can now declare your swimmers for each meet instead of doing it week-by-week. If your swimmer will NOT

be swimming please also declare the swimmer as a “No.” If you leave your commitment blank you will start getting reminder emails to register your swimmer. You are still able to go in and change it until the deadline.

How to register your swimmer:

- Go to the Barracudas website at www.broadstonebarracudas.org
- Login to your account
- Click on Events and Competition
- Click on “Edit Commitment” in each meet.

Ribbons

Ribbons will be available Thursday mornings for the prior Saturday’s meet. Please check your file for remaining items from last year. Any swim caps that have not been picked up will be added to the file folders as well.

In an effort to be less wasteful, the team will not be dispensing ribbons for the 15-18 age group. If your swimmer in that age group would like a ribbon, please email cudasops@gmail.com with your request.

Equipment Needed for Practice

Having the right gear is crucial for your swimmer’s progress. Please ensure your child has the following:

- **All Swimmers:** Swim cap, goggles (dark goggles recommended), and a well-fitting swimsuit.
- **10 & Under:** Long blade fins (no scuba fins), inexpensive flip-flops (they’ll get wet!), and a mesh bag to carry everything.
- **11 & Up:** Short blade fins, hand paddles (size of swimmer's hand).

IMPORTANT: Please make sure all items are labeled (multiple times is best!). We’ve had issues in the past with swimmers not bringing their fins, which disrupts practice. Make sure your swimmer has everything they need every day.

Helpful Phone Apps

There are a couple more phone apps that are helpful during the season. The following two phone apps will give you all the information that you will need during meets.

- **Meet Mobile** provides real time meet results and heat & lane assignments. You can select favorite swimmers for quick access and view other teams as well. Basic app is free, but requires subscription for all results and heat/lane features.
- **Time DropLive!** **password: 2026** —Time Drop allows you to see your child’s race times right after they finish, check what place they got in their heat or event, and look up past races from that meet.

Age Group Season Kick-off Pool Parties

While our team enjoys swimming, we also prioritize having a great time! At the start of each season, we organize age group swim parties/potlucks. This gives kids the opportunity to meet new friends or reconnect with those they bonded with during the previous season.

We're seeking one family from each age group to host the event at their home. The good news is, this year hosting will fulfill one of your volunteer shifts. The following hosts are needed:

- 6 and Under
- 13/14

If you're interested in hosting, please reach out to Heidi Garner heidileagarner@hotmail.com or text 928-243-8537 for more details.

7/8 Unity Party May 26th from 5:15-6:30 pm

Come join the fun on the back lawn after practice. There will be pizza, ice cream, and games. Please RSVP through the link below. Thank you Megan Hardisty for organizing all the fun. **Note: All $\frac{7}{8}$ Swimmers will attend the 4:45-5:15 practice on May 26th.** Families are welcome to join in the fun, food will be for $\frac{7}{8}$ swimmers only. Parents are welcome to bring snacks for themselves and other children or can visit Kiki's Cafe for food.

[Party Link](#)

9/10 Unity Party School's Out for Summer! Get ready for some team bonding with your fellow 9-10 CUDAS. Thank you Catherine Jimmerson for hosting! Please see the evite link below for more details. June 1 at 5:00 pm

[Evite](#)

11/12 Unity Party May 30th (following the meet)

Please RSVP to Angie Bickel 916-790-0668. Swimming, pizza, ice cream, and so much fun! Thank you Angie for hosting.

[Party Link](#)

2026 Swimsuits/Team Apparel

If you have not yet ordered your team suit, now is the time. SwimOutlet!

[Broadstone Barracuda Swim Team Team Store](#)



If you missed the pop up at Time Trials, you can still go online and order apparel.

[Merch Link](#)

Apparel questions: broadstonecudasapparel@gmail.com

Team Buy/Sell/Trade Google Sheet:

Kids are expensive and so are the swimsuits. If you have a new or gently used team swimsuit or swimsuit gear to buy/sell/or trade please check out this google sheet. If you want to sell something please just enter the info into the google sheet. If you sell/trade something please come back and cross the item off the list so that others know.

Link to Sheet:

https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1gInmj5kVo-fBIxOtU0er-Wxha9gRDOykPyNMk_AhpIQ/edit#gid=0

2026 Broadstone Barracudas Meet Schedule

2026 meet schedule	
AS OF 3/4/26	
MAY 9	time trials
MAY 16	bb @ edh
MAY 30	pt @ bb
JUN 6	bb @ ss
JUN 13	bb @ cg
JUN 20	fso @ bb
JUN 27	lbd @ bb
JUL 10	gbg @ bb (night meet)
JUL 17-19	ssl champs @ del oro hs
AUG 1-2	meet of champions

Stay Informed

PLEASE read what we email and post online so you have all the information you need about our team and the season.

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- Team website: Broadstonebarracudas.org
- Emails
- Facebook: like us!
- Instagram: follow us at broadstone.barracudas

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