

Subject Line:

 **Help Support Grant Water Polo!** 

Body Text:

Hi there!

I need your help! My team, Grant Water Polo, is hosting a **Swim-A-Thon on October 25th** to raise crucial funds, and your donation can make a real difference for us!

 How You Can Help:

You can support us by pledging an amount per lap or donating a flat amount. I'm hoping to swim **XX** laps in one hour—every donation, big or small, helps!

 To Donate:

- **For a flat amount:** givebutter.com/2024Swim or venmo.com/u/GHSwaterpolo2024
- **Per lap amount:** I'll update you on my lap count afterward and send you a link to donate, but let me know you're in.
- **For check donations,** email ghswaterpolo15@gmail.com for instructions.

 Why We Need Your Support:

We're a passionate team of almost 40 high school athletes, and as a club team, we depend on fundraising for:

- Coaches, referees, and pool time
- Scholarships for players
- Keeping fees affordable (it costs over \$1,000 per player, but we only charge \$450.)

We're a no-cut team that welcomes players of all skill levels—even teaching some kids how to swim! Despite not having our own pool or receiving any funds from Portland Public Schools, we've been competing strongly since 2015. Last year, our girls team placed **third** and the boys **fourth** in the Oregon State Championships.

 Let's Make This Happen!

Your donation, no matter the size, will go directly toward making sure all of us can keep playing the sport we love... It's easy to give, and every bit counts. **Will you help us reach our goal?** Thank you so much for considering—we truly appreciate your support.

 **[Player's Name]**

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