

Team Suits and Clothing

WHY DO WE HAVE TEAM CLOTHING?

- ❑ We swim on an awesome team called MEYO! Team clothing is not required, but when our swimmers wear the MEYO colors we show team spirit and we show the world that we are proud to be a part of the MEYO family. Also, when our swimmers wear Meyo clothing the coaches can find them quickly and easily at meets that, many times, include hundreds of swimmers. You will see the coaches looking sharp in MEYO clothing too.

TEAM SUITS

- ❑ Each year we offer team suits. It is wise to buy a team suit because we order a large quantity and thus qualify for a reduced price. We like to keep a certain style of suit for a year and then switch to a new style for a change of pace. To make your team suit last, you could wear it only for meets and also purchase a practice suit for everyday or just buy two team suits and take advantage of the quantity discount.

TEAM CAPS

- ❑ Each swimmer will receive one (LATEX) MEYO swim cap when they register for the team. This cap is to be worn by both boys and girls at each meet so coaches can quickly spot swimmers in the water. If swimmers are without a cap the coaches will give them one and the cost will be subtracted from their family account. The team will have, on hand, extra latex caps which can be purchased from Robin Berg in the Aquatics office. Girls should remember that they will need some extra caps (of any kind) for practice. Drying the cap and sprinkling it with powder after each use will make all caps last longer. We have a supply of MEYO (SILICONE) caps (without names). You also have the option of ordering caps with names printed on them.

TEAM CLOTHING AND EQUIPMENT

- ❑ Each year we like to find something new and fun for team clothing. This might include warmup suits, sweats, parent shirts, parkas, shirts, shorts, swim bags, backpacks, and the like. We try to offer something different each year to keep it interesting. You will need many of these things anyway, so why not look sharp outfitted in MEYO clothing. Why not have your name embroidered on it too?
- ❑ Swim bags get a lot of use throughout the season so we offer several styles that work well for all of that wet and dry swim gear and all of the necessary items that swimmers take to the meets.

FIT NIGHT (FOR TEAM SUITS, CLOTHING, AND EQUIPMENT)

- ❑ We like to have our swimmers outfitted as close to the beginning of the season as we can, so we have a FIT NIGHT each year. Susie, at Simply Swimming, virtually brings her store to the YMCA. FIT NIGHT usually occurs at the end of August. It is always the same night as Registration. (The YMCA sends out a swim team reminder brochure in August.) This is the best time to purchase MEYO clothing because you can see, feel, and try on the clothing, test out the swim bags and have your suit and goggles fit by the experts. We only offer clothing once at the beginning of the season to keep the cost down and to avoid extra setup charges on printing. Team suits are available throughout the season, but clothing is only offered once.
- ❑ Sometimes we do offer a fun item before the Holidays so watch your mailboxes.
- ❑ A MEYO YMCA STATE t-shirt will be offered for purchase right after sectionals in March. This order has to go through in only one week so watch your mailboxes. The Clothing Person is in charge of STATE shirts each year. No STATE shirts will be made or distributed unless the swimmer has paid in advance.

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- ❑ Simply Swimming is located at 6108 Mineral Point Road in Stitcher's Crossing, across the street from Oakwood Village. We have chosen Simply Swimming as our vendor because they are competitively priced and they have the same commitment to excellence that our team has. They truly go the extra mile for us as a swim team.
- ❑ Simply Swimming will be at the YMCA at Intrasquad and also be the VENDOR at our home meet, The Octopi Splash in January.