

OV TIGERSHARK BITES

Orangevale Tigersharks - Swimmin' at the top of the food chain since 1999!

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REGISTRATION IS NOW!

As of January, TigerSharks registration has been open with a cool new option! You can reserve your spot for 20 bucks and pay the balance due *before* the first day of practice: May 2nd.

With a limit of 25 swimmers per age/sex for ages 7-8 and up and a limit of 15 swimmers per age/sex for 6&Under, there is almost always a waiting list by May for certain age groups. Please take advantage of this option of reserving your spot now so you can be swimming in the tank without worry!

This year's fees are as follows:

1st Swimmer: \$120 (non-resident \$125)
2nd Swimmer: \$115 (non-resident \$120)
3rd or more Swimmer: \$110 (non-resident \$115)

Any 15-18 swimmer: \$45 (\$50 non-resident) *All 15-18 swimmers must volunteer to assist coaches during practices.*

SPRING CLINIC: April 18-29

Feeling a little rusty? The TigerSharks will be running a two-week clinic to get you swimmers ready for the season. Space is limited and this clinic does sell out so register early! Head over to ORPD for fee and registration information.

PARENT MEETING!

Mark your calendars for **Wednesday, May 4th - 5pm** for the TigerSharks Parent information meeting. This meeting will cover topics such as volunteering, vacancies, meets including championships, special events and more. Apparel and team suits will likely be available for order as well. Please make sure a representative from your family attends.

TEAM SUIT 2011

This season the TigerSharks will be sporting a new suit style! Keeping things simple and streamlined, the team will be going with the black Speedo with our beloved shark screened into the suit!

The team is also going with a new vendor this year, **West Coast Swim Shop** of Folsom. Their website is www.theswimgarage.com. Locate the "Team Portal" and mouse over to find the TigerSharks page to see suit prices as well as a few other items that can be purchased. If you know what you need, you can call them at 916-983-1060 and place your order. However, they will be on the pool deck to take orders during the first week of practice.

If you need practice suits or would like to check out their store front, you can find West Coast Swim Shop at 817 Wales Drive in Folsom. Make sure to mention that you are a member of the TigerSharks and you will receive 10% off your additional purchases.

The women's suit is depicted below, however, the final product may look a little different.



MEET SCHEDULE

As we say farewell to the Granite Bay Gators, we are excited to announce that we will now be competing against teams in the league twice this season! Please review the meet schedule below. Special team events and meetings will be added and the team will be notified as this occurs.

PARENT BOARD VACANCY

The parent board is in need of a **Social Director** for the **2011 season**. This can be chaired by more than one parent, so if you are an expert in planning events and building team spirit, please get in touch with anyone on the parent board asap! You can find the parent board contact information on the team website.

BE MY FRIEND

If you have a Facebook account, become a friend of the Orangevale Tigersharks! Information about the team is often posted there, in addition to the website so that you are always informed of any last minute changes, new photos or team events that are planned. It's also a great way to boost team spirit before a meet!



2011 SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

May 2nd	Practice Begins	ORPD Pool Deck
May 4th	Parent Information Meeting	ORPD
May 21st	Orange vs. Black Meet (Time Trials)	Shark Tank
June 2	Team Pictures	Pool Deck
June 4	FIRST HOME MEET VS. CORDOVA!	Shark Tank
June 11	HOME MEET VS. AUBURN	Shark Tank
June 13	AM Practice Begins	
June 18	Away Meet vs. Placerville	Placerville Aquatic Center
June 25	HOME MEET VS. PLACERVILLE	Shark Tank
July 2	BYE	
July 9	Away Meet vs. Cordova	Cordova Pool
July 16	VFCAL Champs	Rusch Park Pool
July 30	Meet of Champions Invitational	TBD