



NORTHWEST SWIM CLUB OF BETHLEHEM  
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January 15, 2019

Dear Northwest Members,

2019 IS OUR 58<sup>th</sup> YEAR OF GREAT SUMMER FAMILY FUN!!!!!!

Welcome to the 2019 Swim Club Season!

I hope that this letter finds you in good spirits and looking forward to another great season at Northwest, relaxing in the sun and enjoying ourselves all summer long!

**2019 Hours of Operation: Memorial Day Weekend 5/27/19 – Labor Day 9/2/19**

- Monday through Wednesday 12PM to 8PM
- Thursday & Friday 12PM to 9PM
- Saturday and Sunday 1PM to 9PM

**Annual Membership Dues and Classes**

The NWSC Board has chosen to hold the dues at the same (rate) as 2018 and we will continue to operate the club as efficiently as possible in 2019. There are several membership options available.

- **Family Membership** is the same as previous years, all the same benefits and fees.
- **Charter Membership** is the same as previous years, **limited to founding members of the club**. The original purchaser or spouse must hold the bond. Prior Board Approval Required.
- **Twilight Membership** allows entry **after 5PM, 7 days a week**.
- **Single Membership** is the same as previous years--all the same benefits and fees.
- **Junior Membership** is limited to single children ages 12-17. This is a non-voting class of membership. Juniors must be able to swim unattended. There are NO guest privileges with this membership.

\*\*\*There is a \$25 Work Volunteer fee that is due with your membership payment for Family and Twilight memberships. The \$25 fee will be refunded to the member upon completion of 1 volunteer shift during the 2019 year (more information on that is contained within this packet).

NWSC offers a one-year trial period. After the first summer, returning trial members must pay a **\$300 initiation fee** to become club members.

Membership and Swim Team Dues must be paid IN FULL on or before May 6th to avoid late fees. **Late Payment Fees will be enforced**. The club is 100% member owned and every dollar is required to keep us in business. It should also be noted that if your membership is not paid in full and up to date, you will not be allowed to enter the premises.

**Resignation letters** must be mailed to the Club PO Box and must be postmarked on or before May 1, 2019. Resignations received after May 1, 2019 will not be accepted.

**Payment Options**

- Check or Money Order payable to Northwest Swim Club.
- PayPal and Credit card payments – For the Paypal option it is not necessary to have a PAYPAL membership, but you must have email access. You may use PayPal or credit card for full payment or installments. Paypal and Credit card options charge a fee for use. These fees will be passed through to the member.

### **Open House – May 4<sup>th</sup> 9:00am – 12:00 noon**

The open house helps attract new members to the club. Invite your friends or just come out and show prospective members how much fun Northwest is. You can make payments in person at the open house.

### **Swim Team Sign-Ups – May 4<sup>th</sup> 10:00 – 12:00 noon**

***All swim team members must sign up in person on May 4th even if you already sent in your swim team payment.*** D&J Sporting Goods will be on site with team suits and accessories for purchase.

\*\*\*\* We do not have the Swim team schedule yet. Swim team schedule will be posted to the NWSC website once we have it, as well as available at “Swim Team Signups” on May 4<sup>th</sup>. **(We anticipate the schedule will run from Tuesday June 18 through Thursday July 18. Championships will be approximately the weekends of July 20<sup>th</sup> and 27th)**

### **Lifeguard Applications**

Available on the NWSC website ([www.NorthwestSwimClub.com](http://www.NorthwestSwimClub.com)). All applications MUST be returned no later than April 15th (Mailed to the club PO Box or emailed to [NWSCBethlehem@gmail.com](mailto:NWSCBethlehem@gmail.com)). All applications MUST include a photocopy of your Lifeguard/CPR Certification.

### **Ways You Can Help Your Club**

- We need volunteers to help prepare the pool and grounds for the season. We ask every member family to share in these tasks so that all can enjoy a beautiful place to relax with friends and family. Work parties will be held on Saturdays during April and May (See Volunteer Opportunities sheet). We'll send out email reminders, as well.
- The club is asking for donations to help with improvements this year. See the enclosed Donation/Volunteer form for more detail or contact Seth Cornish 610-417-0401 or John Gluchowski 610-866-6666.
- Membership Drive - The board will continue this initiative. We are asking members to try to recruit one new member for 2019. Brochures are available upon request for your use in this effort. We have about 160 members now, but our By-Laws allow up to 250 members. Financially, 180+ members is ideal. Please help the club and reach out to your friends and neighbors. For additional brochures contact Board Members.

Please feel free to contact me with any questions you may have.

Regards,  
Seth Cornish  
President of the Board of Directors, Northwest Swim Club

# 2019 Northwest Swim Club Membership Registration

Member # \_\_\_\_\_

Primary Cardholder Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Secondary Cardholder/Spouse: \_\_\_\_\_

**CHANGES  
and NEW  
members  
ONLY  
in this  
section**

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Email(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Children/DOB: \_\_\_\_\_

Membership Type:     Family     Single     Charter     Twilight     Junior

Method of Payment:     Check Full     PayPal/Credit Full     4 Payment Check     4 Payment Paypal/Credit

Circle Payment Amount Below

MEMBER TYPE	ANNUAL PAY IN FULL CHECK/MONEY ORDER	ANNUAL PAY IN FULL PAYPAL/CREDIT CARD (+3% FEE) **** (SEE NOTE BELOW)	4-PAYMENT PLAN CHECK/MONEY ORDER	4-PAYMENT PLAN PAYPAL/CREDIT CARD (+3% FEE) ****(SEE NOTE BELOW)
FAMILY	\$580.00+\$25 = \$605 PAYMENT DUE MAY 4 AFTER MAY , \$640.00	\$624 PAYMENT DUE MAY 4 AFTER MAY 4, \$659	\$152.00 DUE FEB 4 \$152.00 DUE MAR 4 \$152.00 DUE APRIL 4 \$152.00 DUE MAY 4	\$156.00 DUE FEB 4 \$156.00 DUE MAR 4 \$156.00 DUE APRIL 4 \$156.00 DUE MAY 4
SINGLE	\$460.00 PAYMENT DUE MAY 4 AFTER MAY 5, \$495.00	\$473 PAYMENT DUE MAY 4 AFTER MAY 4, \$508.00	\$115.00 DUE FEB \$115.00 DUE MAR 4 \$115.00 DUE APRIL 4 \$115.00 DUE MAY 4	\$119.00 DUE FEB 4 \$119.00 DUE MAR 4 \$119.00 DUE APRIL 4 \$119.00 DUE MAY 4
CHARTER	\$290.00 PAYMENT DUE MAY 5 AFTER MAY 5. \$325.00	\$299 PAYMENT DUE MAY 4 AFTER MAY 4, \$334.00	NA	NA
TWILIGHT	\$290.00+\$25= \$315 PAYMENT DUE MAY 5 AFTER MAY 5, \$350.00	\$325.00 PAYMENT DUE MAY 4 AFTER MAY 4, \$360.00	NA	NA
JUNIOR	\$290.00 PAYMENT DUE MAY 5 AFTER MAY 5, \$325.00	\$299.00 PAYMENT DUE MAY 4 AFTER MAY 4, \$334.00	NA	NA
LATE FEE	PER LATE PAYMENT	\$35.00		

\*\*\*\* If PAYPAL is selected you will need to provide your email address (found in the registration info noted above).

\*\*\*\* If credit card payment is selected, you will need to pay "in person" at one of the "work parties" or Open House. Other arrangements for credit card payment can be made by emailing [NWSCBethlehem@gmail.com](mailto:NWSCBethlehem@gmail.com).

If others make payments on your behalf, please provide names below so we can apply the payments to the proper account.

PLEASE RETURN THIS FORM WITH APPLICABLE PAYMENT to: NWSC, PO BOX 4304, BETHLEHEM, PA 18018

## 2019 NWSC Donation Opportunities

Northwest Swim Club is Member Owned. The Club relies on members' dues, donations and volunteerism for its continuing operations. All Volunteers and Board Members pay their full dues as well as giving to the success of the club. In 2019, we are planning to continue club improvements and maintenance projects.

We ask all members donate funds or volunteer their time. Every little bit helps! And thank you to all of the members who donated their time and resources to make many significant improvements to the club in 2019. We couldn't do it without you!

If you would like to donate for any of the above improvements, please make checks payable to the Northwest Swim Club and send them with your membership application form, or any time, or give to Seth Cornish, or John Gluchowski. We thank you for your generosity.

**Northwest Swim Club  
PO Box 4304  
Bethlehem PA 18018**

Please contact John Gluchowski with any questions or comments you may have.  
John Gluchowski, 908-546-8768, gluman11@hotmail.com

I would like to donate \_\_\_\_\_ dollars, towards the following club improvements

**Circle One:**

NWSC Donation Opportunities		
Improvement	Total Dollar Est. Amount Needed	Notes
Repair and Seal "all purpose court"	\$7,500	It's no secret that the All Purpose Court has become quite run down over the last several years. We are anticipating the need to repair/fill cracks and holes and seal the area in the near future.
Other general repairs	\$5,000	Repair of the circumference fence. Patching worn areas of the parking lot. Safety Lighting near the Playground.

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Check number \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**Comments / Feedback**

# 2019 NWSC Volunteer Opportunities

## **2019 Work Party days - for club opening, cleaning and set up**

### **Saturdays**

- Saturday April 6<sup>th</sup> : 9:00 AM to 12PM
- Saturday April 13<sup>th</sup> : 9:00 AM to 12PM
- Saturday April 20<sup>th</sup> : 9AM to 12PM
- Saturday April 27<sup>th</sup>: 9 AM to 12PM - (Pool cover removal)
- Saturday May 4<sup>th</sup> : 9AM to 12PM

\*\*\*\*May 4th is also Open House/Swim Team sign up

\*\*\*\*There will be other volunteer opportunities during the year, please keep an eye on your email for notification.

Work Party days are a very easy way to volunteer at the club. There are many jobs—big and small—and every little bit helps. Please consider donating an hour or two of your time to get the club ready for the season.

\*\*\*\* By working at 1 of these work parties, you will be reimbursed your \$25 volunteer fee. PLEASE be sure to see a board member during your attendance at one of these work parties so that records may be updated, indicating that you have fulfilled your 1 volunteer shift.

**Swim Team Volunteers** are coordinated by the Swim Team and do not count toward your \$25 Volunteer fee reimbursement. Please see the Swim Team Registration form.