

Hello Coaches,

Attached to this email you will find the Warm-Up Assignments, Team Meet Work Assignments, a note for you to send out to your parents and the Warm up Schedule. Additionally I have highlighted some important notes that will assist us as we run the 2014 GSSA Championships. Please read this carefully and let Greg or myself know if you have any questions or see any issues.

- Please send all scratches to Greg Gowers MSTRapids@comcast.net by 6:00 pm on Thursday July 31st.
- Teams are asked to pick up their scratch sheets prior to the start of the first warm up session
- Teams are required to turn in their scratches at the meet by the conclusion of the first warm up. Failure to do so will result in the whole team being scratched. We ask that if you have athletes who have not arrived by that time that you scratch them and if they arrive we will work them into the meet.
- We ask that coaches be very aware of relay scratches as well, and submit these as early as possible.
- Relay names are due 2 hours prior to the relay event. Changes must be placed with the Meet Manager at the table.
- Park in designated areas as directed by the attendants. DO NOT park on the street as you will be ticketed and/or towed.
- As RACO Pool has the ability to use 10 lanes, we reserve the right, after scratches, to reseed and, if needed to accommodate the timeline, to close the warm-up lanes and run events using all 10 lanes.
- The parking areas at RACO will not open on Saturday and Sunday prior to 7:00 am. Please do not arrive early.
- The Raco Pool is a public facility and is in use prior to our event on Friday. We ask that no teams arrive prior to 2:00 pm. Early arrival may jeopardize the future ability to host GSSA Championships.
- Due to space constraints, and to be fair to all teams, we will not be allowing tents to be set up on the pool deck. We will provide space in the fields for tents.
- ONLY Swimmers, Coaches, Officials and parents who are working the meet are allowed to be on deck. Individuals who violate this may risk their swimmer being disqualified.
- Every team is responsible for the behavior of their parents, workers and swimmers. Any damage to the facility or disruptive behavior will not be tolerated and is grounds for expulsion from the park and disqualification from the meet.

- Please do your best to police your area and clean up throughout the day. We will provide trash bags for all teams to help assist you with this.