CCST 2024 Swim-A-Thon Fundraiser Sat., November 16, 2024 Swim-a-Thon – 10:00-12:00



Team Goal: \$2,000 100% Team Participation on Swim-A-Thon Day

Raise \$3000 – Team pizza party Raise \$5000 – Cancel practice & have "Dive In" Movie

Swim-A-Thon FAQ's

What is Swim-A-Thon?

• Swim-A-Thon is our single largest fundraiser for the year. The funds raised will help to support the team's financial plan and goals of operating our team. A 5% portion of our collection will be donated to USA Swimming Foundation to help with all the programs out of our national headquarters.

• Funds raised by your swimmer will go toward your annual fundraising obligation. Plus, it's a fun team event and highlight each year!

• Swimmers will be able to earn money for the team by swimming lengths of the pool. They will have two (2) hours to swim a maximum of 200 laps. (That's 2.84 miles in case you were wondering!)

• Swimmers can collect pledges per lap <u>or</u> flat donations from family, friends, neighbors, prior to swimming.

When and where is the Swim-A-Thon?

• Swim-A-Thon will be held **Saturday, November 16, 2024.**. **What will we do at Swim-A-Thon?**

• Athletes will swim and eat! We will have snacks for all to enjoy after they swim their laps.

• Parents will cheer and volunteer! We will need lap counters, food donations, set-up crews, clean-up crews, etc. Be sure to watch Facebook as we approach the event date.

How do we raise money for Swim-A-Thon?

• **Pledge Form Letters** – Email or post letters to everyone you know! Relatives and friends are great for sending pledge letters. A sample of the pledge form letter can be found on at the end of this information.

How can my Swimmer earn Prizes?

• Each swimmer will have the opportunity to seek donations individually to earn prizes. Individual prizes will be awarded at different levels.

What is the Deadline for turning in Donations?

• The deadline for turning in ALL donations is November 22, 2024.

When and where can I turn in my Donation Envelope?

• At the pool anytime during the Fundraiser or at practice by Nov. 22.

When will the Swim-A-Thon Winners be Announced?

• Swim-A-Thon Top Achiever Awards will be announced the week of Nov. 24, 2024.

What if I have Questions? Please email all questions to ccswimmers@gmail.com

Swim-A-Thon Prizes

Individual Awards - Individual Awards will be announced soon!

Top 3 fundraisers – Most laps – Other -Bag tag from USA Swimming for 200 or 100 lengths.

How to Fill Out Pledge Form Letters

• Make copies of the pledge letter, or go to ccsteagles.com and click on **'Swim-a-thon'** in the top bar. Then click on **'2024 Swim-A-Thon'** pledge letter and print all the copies you need.

• Enter the donor's name at the top of the letter, sign your name at the bottom and add a personal note.

• Post or email to your family and friends.

Note:

All pledge form donations will be returned to YOU. You are responsible for submitting all cash/check donations in your collection envelope to the pool.

All donations must be turned in by Friday, Nov. 22, 2024.



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Dear____

I am helping my USA swim club, Colonel Crawford Swim Team, build a stronger team and I am asking for your support.

Swimming has made a huge difference in my life. Through swimming, I have learned the power of discipline, teamwork and setting goals. I especially enjoy the fun that comes with this sport when all three of these traits are encouraged by our coaches.

That is why I am participating in our team Swim-A-Thon on November 16, 2024. In 2 hours, I will strive to swim 200 lengths (which is 5000 yards or 50 football fields)! That is a lot of swimming, but it's all for a great cause. A donation made through our Swim-A-Thon fundraiser will help support my team's financial plan.

Your pledge will help me meet my goal of \$_____ and help CCST raise \$2,000 towards a stronger future.

If you would like to sponsor me, you can give a fixed amount check or make a pledge based on the number of laps I swim. Simply use the form below and mail it back to me. Whichever way you choose to donate, please know you are giving to an organization that has made a huge difference in my life.

Thank you for helping me to reach my goal!

(Cut on line and return form below)

Pledge Form due by November 15th.

Dear YES! I will donate:				(swimmer's name),	
TES! I will donate.					
\$.10/length	\$.20/leng	th\$.50	/length _	\$1.00/length \$	_/length
or I have enclosed a check for a fixed donation in the amount of:					
\$25	_\$50	_\$75	\$100	Other Amount: \$	_ Check#
Sponsor Name					