

MEMORIAL WATER POLO CLUB

“The Adventure Begins”

Memorial Swimming and Diving Team is embarking on some exciting times as we start playing water polo season this spring. We have experienced some great success in our aquatic programs. Now we want to expand our program to include water polo to only strengthen our current swimming and diving programs. This is a great sport that will help develop your son or daughter skills as they build teamwork and have fun.

However, unlike swimming and diving, the sport of water polo is not sanctioned by the UIL. The water polo programs in Texas high schools are sanctioned through TISCA. Since our water polo is not a UIL sport, our program must be self-financed.

Water Polo is the spring semester off season condition program for the swim team. We strongly encourage everyone to participate and learn from playing in games and practice.

****Expectations**

- We expect each person to be respectful to every player, coach, and adult.
- We also expect each person to attend practices, fund raising activities, and games on a regular basis.
- All players must have completed school physicals on file in order to participate.
- All players will follow all school / game rules and play cleanly during all activities.

****Player Fees**

---\$180 Entry Fee per person

*** Checks made out to “Mustang Water Polo Club”

- player fee’s includes a team shirt & suit if ordered from the start
- Reason: We will have to pay for tournaments entry fees, officials, equipment, etc.

****Schedule of Games**

- We will have a district game either Monday during the season.
- The season will run from Feb. mid until May 1st weekend in May.

****Tournaments**

- We will play in a tournament each weekend which usually run on either Th or Fri & Saturday.
- We will have V & JV tournaments in order insure playing time for everyone.

****Transportation**

- We will have bus transportation for week day games and practices, but weekends are questionable.
- We will need to have parents help drive on our weekend games.

****Practices (mainly Tuesday, Wednesday, & either Th or F)**

- Start of 8th period till --5:15 which will include swimming & polo

****Insurance**

- The SBISD athletic Insurance will be valid during the water polo season.

****Benefits of Water Polo**

--- Water polo offers the benefits of swimming with the social aspect of, say basketball or soccer. So you have the cardiovascular benefits of swimming but then you get the technical, tactical and social aspects of a team sport, which makes it extremely unique.

*****Parent Meeting: Feb 11 (Cover Dish / Parent Meeting) 6:30 @ MHS Cafeteria**

****Questions**

- If you have any additional questions please feel free to contact us at:
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Thanks,
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