



Pleasant Ridge Swim Team
Parent Information
2024

Pleasant Ridge Piranhas Contacts

www.pleasantridgepiranhas.com

PRSWIM@cityofpleasantridge.org

Team snap for information. Group chat is one way communication. You can direct message coach.

Emails from Coach Emmele will come from Pleasant Ridge Swim Team

Pleasant Ridge Piranhas

Coaches

- Emmele Herrold
- Erin Grigoriou
- Anna Emmi
- Molly Hamilton
- Brynne Scully

Pleasant Ridge Piranhas

NSSL

- **North Suburban Swim League**
- **12 swim teams within Oakland County**

Pleasant Ridge Piranhas Equipment

- Practice Suit
- Towels
- Water Bottle
- Goggles
- Swim Cap
 - *Girls – Required*
 - *Boys – Optional*
- Fins
- Kickboard
- Team Suit
- Team Swim Cap*

*PUT SWIMMER'S
NAME ON
EVERYTHING!*

Swim Meet 101

- 6 regular season dual meets
 - 3 home, 3 away
- Dual Meets
 - PR versus 1 Club
 - Swimmer may swim in 2 Individual events & may swim in 1 Relay (chosen by coaches)
- Meet Age Groups (age as of May 31, 2023)
 - 8 and Under; 9-10; 11-12; 13-14; 15-18

Swim Meet 101

- FR = Freestyle
- BK = Backstroke
- BR = Breaststroke
- FLY = Butterfly
- IM = Individual Medley
- MED REL = Medley Relay
- FR REL = Free Relay
- 25m = 1 length
 - (8 & under)
- 50m = 2 lengths
 - (9 & above)

Swim Meet 101

Competition vs. Exhibition

- Swimming for points

vs.

- Swimming for a personal best
- Ribbons

Swim Meet 101

8 & Under Girls – events end with 7

- Events 7, 17, 27, 37

8 & Under Boys – events end with 8

- Events 8, 18, 28, 38

9-10 Girls – events end with 9

- Events 9, 19, 29, 39

9-10 Boys – events end with 0

- Events 10, 20, 30, 40

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Instagram- @Pleasantridgeswim

Fb- PR Piranhas Swim Club

****Team Snap communication

Pleasant Ridge Piranhas Practice

Practice May 15-June 16

@Pleasant Ridge Pool unless otherwise noted. Monday-Friday

- **Pre-Team** : 4:00 - 4:30pm
- **8 & Under**: 4:00 - 4:30pm
- **9/10 & 11/12**: 4:30-5:30pm
- **13 & Up**: 5:30-7:00pm

Pleasant Ridge Piranhas Practice

Practice June 19 - July 28

@ Pleasant Ridge Monday-Friday

- **13 & Up: 7:30-9:00am**
- **11/12 & 9/10: 9:00-10:00am**
- **8 & Under: 10:00-10:30am**
- **Pre-Team : 10:30-11:00am**

Pleasant Ridge Piranhas Food

- * Bagels on home meet days
- * Concession stand open during home meets
- * Pancake breakfast
- * Other food events may follow

Pleasant Ridge Piranhas Merchandise (Kim M.)

- Team t-shirts
- Swimmers get t-shirt and 2 personalized caps included with registration
- Other PR merchandise can be ordered online – the link will be posted on the website and will be emailed out. Orders are due May 15th at midnight.
- Finals t-shirt

Pleasant Ridge Piranhas Team Picture

- Date TBD
- Order forms will be distributed at practice prior to picture day
- Swimmers wear their PR team t-shirts

Pleasant Ridge Piranhas Volunteers (Angela B.)

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Click on “Volunteer” tab

- Timers
- Photographer(s)
- Announcer(s)
- Runners
- Ribbons
- Merchandise
- Marshalling
- Clean Up

Marshalling (Jessica S.)

- * Marshalling is when we line up the 10 and under swimmers and take them to their event
- * We marshall under the pavilion at home meets and under a canopy at away meets
- * Anyone can volunteer to marshall – no experience needed
- * We will use Team Snap to send out marshalling updates during meets

Home Meets

- * Swimmers will set up as a team, in the space directly next to the pavilion.
- * Families can set up their seating area in the rest of the green space.
- * It is important to us that the team sits together as a unit, but they will be close to you if you need to communicate.

Pleasant Ridge Piranhas Meets

Blue vs. Yellow Meet (“Time Trials”)

SATURDAY JUNE 8TH AT P.R. POOL

Tentatively 8:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

- * A chance for swimmers and parents to get a feel for a what a swim meet is like!
- * Swimmers should arrive by 7:00am

Pleasant Ridge Piranhas Meets

Mini – Meets

- These are fundraisers that other pools in our league host as a fun, extra meet for each age group.
- There are events swimmers don't get to swim at a dual meet.
- These are an extra cost and are optional.
More info to come.

Pleasant Ridge Piranhas Meets

2023 PR Dual meets

- Thursday June 20nd – AWAY @ Woodbrooke Hills
- Monday June 24th – HOME vs Huntington Woods
- Thursday June 27th – AWAY @ Cranbrook
- Monday July 1st – HOME vs. Woodside
- Monday July 8th – Away @ Beechview
- Thursday July 11th – HOME vs Heart of the Hills

Meet Attendance

You have the ability to RSVP for all meets on team snap. It is very straightforward. Please RSVP at least 48 hours before the meet. If I do not have an RSVP, I will assume your child is NOT coming, and they will not be on the line up. Please contact me directly if you run in to last minute conflicts.

Pleasant Ridge Piranhas Meets

Championship Meets

B Finals (includes all NSSL teams)

- *Saturday July 20th*
- Championship meet for all swimmers that do not qualify for A Finals
- At SURF Club Bloomfield Hills
 - each swimmer is limited to 2 individual events

Pleasant Ridge Piranhas Meets

Championship Meets

A Finals (includes all NSSL teams)

- *Saturday July 27th and Sunday July 28th*
- Championship meet for top 2 times in each event for each age group (boys and girls)
- At Beachwood Swim Club
 - each swimmer is limited to 2 individual events and 1 relay**

Pleasant Ridge Piranhas (Mary F.)

Happy Ads for A & B Finals

- Your personal message to your swimmer/team/coaches/etc. printed in the championship meet program
- In the past - \$5 / ad (more for larger ads)

Finals Attendance

PLEASE LET COACH KNOW IF YOUR CHILD WILL NOT BE ABLE TO ATTEND EITHER OF THE CHAMPIONSHIP MEETS. TEAM SNAP IS ALSO THE BEST PLACE TO DO THIS.

Pleasant Ridge Piranhas Posters

- Every swimmer who is **participating** in either A or B Finals will get a poster made for them
- Posters are passed out to swimmers 11 & up throughout the season for decoration
- Posters will be distributed to finals swimmers the weeks of finals

Pleasant Ridge Piranhas Banquet

End of Season Banquet is
***SUNDAY, JULY 28th after the
second day of A Finals
ON THE POOL DECK.***

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QUESTIONS?