
Hunters Creek Swim and Racquet Club Information March 2018

Located in Herndon, Virginia

Hello. We are so pleased that you are interested in our Club. There is some information below, about our pool. Cost information is at the top.

Rates 2018

There are two parts to this for new members:

Part 1. A membership is purchased, either from the Pool Board, for \$200. Note: we DO have memberships for sale.

or

purchased from a current member who is giving up their membership (either for sale, or for free). Members sometimes advertise in the Reston Patch, Herndon Patch, or Craigslist, online. Arrangements for purchase/transfer are made directly with the member, subject to approval from the Board (current members must be current with their fees/dues, and must turn in their pool documents/items). (I don't know of any sellers at this point.)

Part 2. There are yearly dues of \$445. However, as of July 15 each year, the dues part is 1/2 for new members, because the season is 1/2 over.

Member status

Membership status is extended to all family members who reside full time at the residence of the member who purchased the membership. In other words, the cost is the same if you are 1 person, or a family.

Swim Team

The Swim Team is a 'developmental' swim team. That means that the team focuses strongly on stroke improvement and experience, as opposed to focusing on only the best swimmers.

That being said, Hunters Creek has consistently had many of the best swimmers in the area. They are a strong presence at all levels of meets, and are a large team (100-135) of diversely skilled swimmers. The one requirement is that each swimmer must be able to swim one length of the pool, unaided.... Any stroke, any way they can. Swimmers are sometimes as young as 4 years old. Swimmers can be part of the team, until they age up at 19 (details escape me right now... my children were swimmers from 1988-2007).

I heard there will be a new group of beginning swimmers this year... I think it is to help those who cannot yet swim a length of the pool. The parents and swimmers are wonderful. My own children were on the swim team from 1987 - 2007, and it was just the best way for them to improve their swimming, get great exercise, and make lots of friends. If you are interested, please contact the Team Manager at: [hunterscreekstingrays\(at\)gmail.com](mailto:hunterscreekstingrays@gmail.com)

Oh yes, parental support is a big part of being on the team. They help at every meet. It is a LOT of fun. Meets are Sat am and Wed pm.

Practice is in the evenings during June (school in session), and moves to mornings when school ends. Meets start in June on Sat am, and go through the 3rd week of July. There is an end of season picnic, swim team social events, and region wide meets, too.

Other Events:

To be announced, there are usually events for families and some for adults, including crab events, family-club picnics, etc. Some have a ticket price, some are sponsored by the pool, and members bring side dishes.

Spring/Summer Event Calendar 2018

Spring Open House & Saturday, April 21

Stingray Welcome Event 10AM-2PM

Pool Opens Saturday, May 26, 11AM

Family Picnic Saturday, May 26, 12-4PM

Adult Crab Fest Saturday, July TBA, 6-11PM

Family Barbecue Saturday, August 25, 12-4PM

Pool Closes Monday, September 3, 6PM

Details for these and other events will be announced as the dates approach. Look for info on adult-only nights, movies in the pool, and more fun activities this summer!

Location:

The pool is in a private setting, adjoining Runnymede Park, in Herndon. It is a safe, quiet place, where children bike to the pool, walk on trails, play tennis, but mostly play at the pool with friends and family. The members at the pool are very relaxed, kind, and friendly. It is almost like going back in time. If you would like to visit the pool, you can search online maps for Hunters Creek pool, and click on the map. This link should work:

<http://www.hunterscreekpool.com/>

Let us know if you are interested. We are gladly welcoming new members.

Thank you,