

POWER NEWS

Oct 27, 2023

IMPORTANT DATES:

October 30 – Special Halloween Practice for Shark School & PFL

October 31 – All practices end by 6 PM. Lightning may practice from 5 PM to 6 PM if desired.

November 2, 7, 9, 14 – NO PRACTICE due to Taylor Aquatics home meets on those dates. Please make every effort to attend practice on M/W/F of those weeks.

November 11 & 12 – November Open at LSST; 10700 Fry Road; Cypress, TX 77433

Week of Nov 13th – T30 planned. Details TBD

Thanksgiving Week – practice on Monday & Tuesday **afternoons** only. No Shark School.

A FEW NOTES ABOUT PAYMENTS

- Coaches have been reminded to put out the cash box every day. Please put your checks into the cash box
- Please remember, we do NOT accept cash payments
- Payments are due on the first of every month, but no later than 7 days after invoices go out
- From Lisa: Please note that dropping off a paper CHECK and paying by ACH via the invoice is NOT the same thing. There are service fees associated with ACH payments. Having your bank mail a check to Sharon is okay, but she is still out of the country so we have no way to get it right now.
- Also from Lisa: Most invoices are sent out with PayPal and credit card fees included. If you are sending in a paper check your account balance will be adjusted to remove those fees.

HALLOWEEN PRACTICE

Our annual Halloween practice will be **Monday, October 30th** during regular practice times. The competitive team will endure the Wheel of Torture. Shark School can look forward to pumpkin races and other surprises. Everyone will get cookies and candy as they leave the pool. No costume parade this year.

All practices will end by 6 PM on October 31st so our swimmers can participate in neighborhood Halloween activities. Lightning swimmers who wish to practice can attend from 5 PM to 6 PM. Have fun and be safe!

DECEMBER CHAMPIONSHIPS:

Southern Seniors Nov 30 -- Dec 3 (QTs); Gulf Age Group Dec 1 – Dec 3 (QTs); Gulf Senior Champs Dec 8 -- Dec 10; Gulf Fall Champs Dec 15 – Dec 17

WEATHER POLICE – it's going to be cold next week. ALL SWIMMERS must wear shoes, sweats, jackets and hat or hoodie to leave the pool. No exceptions. Hypothermia is a real risk, especially to younger children.