Greetings,

We are excited to host your team this weekend at our meet. It is our goal to provide the highest quality event for your team with top notch competition. Please review that following information carefully to help our event run as smoothly as possible.

You may or may not be informed that we are currently updating our outdoor facility with new locker rooms and a temporary bubble enclosure for the winter. Be warned that construction is actively underway and there will be some restrictions to what is normally available at our swim meets.

BATHROOMS AND CHANGING FACILITIES

We will have changing facilities and bathroom trailers available at the outdoor facility. There are outdoor showers available at the outdoor facility. Swimmers will have access to the main facility for changing or showering purposes.

PARKING AND DROP OFF

There are 2 maps attached with this email. #1 Parking map of the YMCA with parking areas clearly marked. #2 Outdoor pool guide for swimmers and spectators. I do recommend carpooling if possible to our facility. Please only park in designated lots at the YMCA. NO PARKING ON THE SIDE OF HUCKLEBERRY HILL ROAD. CARS WILL BE TOWED BY THE TOWN.

Friday – All YMCA parking areas available. NO PARKING in back field.

Saturday AM – Only YELLOW parking zone available and ONE row of cars in the field. Overflow parking will be in back field.

Saturday PM – All YMCA parking areas available. Overflow parking will be in back field.

Sunday – All YMCA parking areas available. Overflow parking will be in back field.

SPECTATOR SEATING

Spectators are prohibited from bringing their own tent shelters. I would recommend that spectators bring umbrellas with them for shade. The bay building adjacent to the pool is available if spectators need to get out of the sun.

New grass was just laid inside the pool fence area. **PLEASE TRY TO KEEP OFF THE NEW GRASS. THIS MEANS NO CHAIRS!**

TEAM SEATING

All team seating will be across the bridge in the lower grass area. There will be no team seating on the deck of the pool. Swimmers in current or following event are allowed on the pool deck. There is ample space for teams to setup their team tents. All swimmers should bring chairs with them to sit on in their team area.

WALKWAYS

All patrons must stay on paved, concrete, or gravel walkways. Please stay off of all dirt areas as there may be construction materials below. ALL swimmers will need proper footwear to walk from the team seating area to the pool deck. Wearing appropriate clothing to the starting blocks is recommended. PLEASE STAY OFF THE NEW GRASS INSIDE THE POOL FENCE!

CONCESSIONS AND HOSPITALITY

We will have concessions available. Coaches and Officials will have hospitality available as normal.

ADA ACCESS

We do have some handicap parking available at the outdoor pool. Please contact us in advance so that we can open the gate.

WEATHER EMERGENCIES

In the event that the weather prevents us from running any part of the meet we will alert the coaches via email, post a notice on our team website (www.makoswim.org), and our facebook page (MAKO SWIM CLUB). If a weather emergency occurs during the meet (ie. thunder, lightning, torrential rain, etc.) we will move all patrons into the bay building directly across from the pool and hold an immediate coaches meeting to determine if the meet will be postponed or canceled.

Thank you for taking a moment to review this information. If you require any assistance leading up to the meet, or ADA assistance, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Warmest regards,

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