MEMPHIS TIGER SWIMMING (MTS)

2025-2026 Registration Guide & Fee Schedule

HOW TO REGISTER FOR MTS: To register click <u>"2025-2026 Registration" button</u> on our TeamUnify site home page and follow the instructions. Total fees due to MTS at the time of registration include Annual Registration Fee, Team Support Fee and full first month dues. *Registration must be completed ONLINE and payment made with a CREDIT CARD.*

USA SWIMMING REGISTRATION: MTS swimmers are required to register with USA Swimming in order to participate in team activities, practices and meets. RETURNING MEMBERS: Your USA-S renewal will be handled by MTS and billed to your account. **NEW MEMBERS:** A link with instructions will be sent to you—it is your responsibility to register ASAP.

REGISTRATION COMPLETION: New swimmers may not start until your registration has been completed and approved. Swimmers may be withheld from participation for any incomplete or missing forms, signatures and/or payments.

UNIVERSITY OF MEMPHIS ADMITTANCE: All members, parents and guardians are required to check-in at the front desk of the aquatic center and must be listed as ACTIVE on the team roster for admittance.

TRYOUTS – NEW SWIMMERS: Please contact Tiaa Ferguson at <u>tiaa.fergusonMTS@yahoo.com</u> to schedule a time to be evaluated by a coach and informed of your group placement. After the tryout, you may register for the team.

TRANSFERS: Swimmers who wish to transfer to Memphis Tiger Swimming from another USA Swimming club should contact Tiaa at tiaa.fergusonMTS@yahoo.com regarding transfer procedures and group availability.

UNIVERSITY PARKING PASS: If you would like to park on campus, you will need to purchase a university parking pass. Please contact Tiaa at tiaa.fergusonMTS@yahoo.com for more information.

REC CENTER MEMBERSHIP: Rec Center membership is available to MTS members at significantly discounted rates under University Community Partners program. Contact Tiaa at tiaa.fergusonMTS@yahoo.com for more information.

PRACTICE SCHEDULES: Please visit our website for our current practice schedules, by clicking HERE.

TRAINING GROUPS: Please visit our website for an overview of our training groups, by clicking HERE.

TEAM STORE: For team caps, apparel and training equipment information, visit our <u>TEAM STORE</u>.

SCHOLARSHIPS: MTS offers limited scholarships for eligible members with financial hardships, please contact Tiaa at tiaa.fergusonMTS@yahoo.com for more information.

TEAMUNIFY ACCOUNT: MTS TeamUnify website serves as our primary communication and information platform. New members will create an account when first registering. Accounts remain the same for returning members.

MONTHLY BILLING: Monthly dues and other fees are charged to your account on the first of each month.

MULTIPLE CHILD DISCOUNT: MTS offers a \$10 per additional swimmer discount off monthly dues for families with multiple active swimmers on the team. The highest priced swimmer pays regular monthly dues with each sibling receiving a \$10 discount off their monthly dues.

WITHDRAW: Should a swimmer need to withdraw from participation, notice of such withdrawal and return date must be made in writing to Tiaa at tiaa.fergusonMTS@yahoo.com by the 15th of the month prior. Failure to send notice by the 15th will result in being billed for the next month. Swimmers who withdraw for any reason are not guaranteed spots upon their return and they may have to be put on a wait list if their group fills up while gone.

MTS REGISTRATION FEE SCHEDULE & OVERVIEW

REGISTRATION FEE: Annual Registration Fee billed PER SWIMMER.

TEAM SUPPORT FEE: Annual Team Support Fee billed PER FAMILY. Team Support fee remains due if a swimmer withdraws prior to paying in full. Members may also be asked to participate in fundraising campaigns, such as Swim-A-Thon, and are expected to volunteer at team hosted meet and events. MTS may establish minimum commitment levels for fundraising events and assess members that opt not to participate or to volunteer for team activities.

MONTHLY DUES: Monthly are based on assigned training group and charged on the first of each month. Monthly dues reserve a participation spot in your assigned training group and are not a guarantee of minimum practice offerings. Lack of participation and/or training options during maintenance and other unanticipated pool closures will not result in a credit of monthly dues. Swimmers are charged for the first full month when registering. If joining after the 15th of the month the second month will be pro-rated accordingly.

MEET FEES: Swim meet fees are in addition to the monthly dues and vary per meet. Fees due for meets are calculated as follows per participant: MTS meet fee of \$15 plus all entry fees designated by the meet host and/or LSC. Meet fees are non-refundable after MTS sign-up deadline regardless of participation and are billed prior to meet start date. For all swim meets, MTS coaches decide what events a swimmer will swim and how many. See About Meets for more info.

	USA Swimming Registration*	Annual Registration	Team Support	Monthly Dues	Total Reg Fees Due to MTS
Training Group	(Per Swimmer)	(Per Swimmer)	(Per Family)	(Per Swimmer)	(Per Swimmer)
NATIONAL	\$82	\$95	\$150	\$160	\$405
SR PERFORMANCE	\$82	\$95	\$150	\$160	\$405
SENIOR 1&2	\$82	\$95	\$150	\$150	\$395
JR PERFORMANCE	\$82	\$95	\$150	\$140	\$385
JUNIOR	\$82	\$95	\$150	\$130	\$375
BLUE	\$82	\$95	\$150	\$120	\$365
ORANGE	\$82	\$95	\$150	\$100	\$345
TIGER CUB	\$82	\$95	\$150	\$90	\$335

*NEW MEMBERS: USA Swimming registration will be paid by you directly to USA Swimming.

**RETURNING MEMBERS: USA Swimming registration will be paid by MTS and billed to your account.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF PARTICIPATION: All fees are <u>non-refundable</u>. Non-payment of any fees may result in non-participation of club activities. Accounts with balances outstanding past 60 days will be considered inactive and members will not be able to participate further. All outstanding fees are considered an obligation to MTS and due upon termination of participation should a swimmer move, transfer, be suspended, removed, or drop out for any reason.

TAX-DEDUCTABLE CONTRIBUTIONS: As a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization, your generous support enables us to provide reduced fees and scholarships. Many companies offer matching gift programs for donations and volunteer service hours. If you are interested in making a tax-deductible donation or wish to add a tax-deductible \$5/\$10/\$25/other contribution to your monthly draft, please contact Tiaa Ferguson at tiaa.fergusonMTS@yahoo.com.

Thank you for supporting Memphis Tiger Swimming – and welcome to the TEAM!