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Attention swimmers: The snack bar window is open. It's open from 5:30 to until the end of practice. Go and give it a try!

This Saturday, June 8th, please wear your finest camoflaugue and be ready to do battle against Memorial Northwest. Also, Don't forget to bring your field rations to share with fellow Killer Whale warriors at the SHARE TABLE.

## COACHES CORNER

Another victory under our belt! What a close and exciting meet! A special thanks to the "team players" who swam events that they didn't particularly want to: Kyle Sparrow, Shane Kent, Megan Jordan. There were probably others who weren't quite as vocal about it and I thank you too! I am more proud of those who try new events and get disqualified than of those who play it safe all year and never try anything new. It's not the end of the world to get disqualified. Just let me know what happened and we will work on it before the next meet!

Thanks also for Laura Holan for welcoming our new team member and helping Megan with her swimming! Thank you Alex and Taylor for always helping me with the younger kids, and coming to practice so willing to work and learn! I will have a special something for these five during practice this week. I'm no fool though! This is the first and last time I will offer treats for this reason! So don't come complain thinking you'll swim the event and get a treat for it! I'll have a different criteria next week!

Please note that we have only two dual meets remaining. This means that if you haven't swam each event at least once (not including time trials), now is the time to sign up for that event. We like to have an official time for everyone on each event. Just ask Megan Jordan who didn't want to swim back stroke. She dropped 17 seconds from her seed time!!! Great job on this meet. Next week is another tough one. I will need every swimmer at the meet doing their best!  
Coach Sherri.

## IMPORTANT DATES

- Saturday, June 8: Home Meet vs. Memorial NW  
"Whales at War"
- Saturday, June 15: Away Meet vs. Windsong  
"Gettin' Groovy with the Killer Whales"
- Saturday, June 22: Divisionals at Klein Forest High
- Saturday, June 29: Invitational Meets:  
All Stars and Ponderosa

## SUMMER PRACTICE SCHEDULE

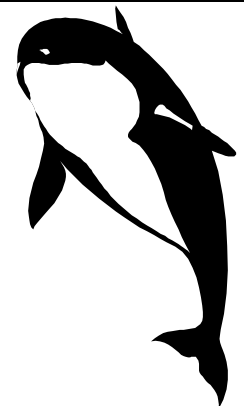
JUNE 3rd - JUNE 20th  
MONDAY - THURSDAY

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7-10	6:00 TO	7:00

## Whales At War

Atten-n-n-n-tion! Calling all Killer Whales for active duty. We are going to war at Thursday night practice. Bring your own ammunition... water guns and water balloons, on Thursday for fun and games after practice. SIGN UP for a spaghetti dinner on the same night, catered by the Garden Tea Room, \$7.50 for adults, \$5.50 for kids 10 and under. Rations will be served at 6:30 and Battle exercises begin at 7:00. Don't miss it!

Thanks to all of the dads that helped with the tents last Saturday. We could use help this Friday afternoon/evening setting up for the meet on Saturday.



## GIAMMALVA KILLER WHALES VS. MEMORIAL NW

**When:** Saturday, June 8th  
**Where:** Giammalva Racquet Club  
**Check in:** 7:00 am sharp  
**Warm up:** 7:15 to 7:45 am

**Please be on time and check in with the clerk of course.**

We need to know if you will not be at the meet or if you will be late. Call Gayla Boss at **281-320-8882** if you have a last minute schedule change or illness.

### TIPS FROM COACH SHERRI

**PLEASE, do everything you can to be in town for the divisionals meet!**  
This is the most important meet of the season where we swim all the other teams at one time. The swimmers receive medals for their individual events and the team receives a trophy! I would like to see the KILLER WHALES get first place in divisionals. There is no reason why we can't if we have all of our swimmers!

Remember: Practice what you swim, swim what you practice!

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