

Waters Landing Thunder Assistant Head Coach Application Summer 2025

COMPLETED APPLICATION IS DUE BY MONDAY, MARCH 3, 2025.

Send to Team Reps at wtlswimteam@gmail.com

Name: _____

Birthdate: _____

Address: _____

Home Phone: _____ Cell: _____

Email: _____

- Assistant Head Coach must be 18 years of age, a graduate of High School and does not participate in swim meets.

Have you previously served as an Assistant Coach, Junior Coach, Assistant Pre-team Coach or Pre-team Coach? If yes, for what team and season(s)?

The following is a partial list of coaching responsibilities:

- Participate in pre-season planning with team representatives.
- Incorporate character building values into coaching, including individual responsibility, sportsmanship, self-confidence, compassion, and competitive spirit.
- Incorporate safe swimming and training techniques into coaching and take reasonable steps to ensure the safety of all swimmers.
- Maintain knowledge of Montgomery County Swim League's (MCSL) rules and procedures.
- In conjunction with the Head Coach, lead practices in a coordinated and efficient manner with the assistance of the Junior Coaches (practices should be designed to meet the needs of all skill levels on the team).
- At the direction of the Head Coach, develop meet line ups according to MCSL rules and guidelines.
- Supports the Head Coach and Junior coaches in leading game day and other team-building activities in a coordinated and efficient manner.
- Supports the Head Coach during swim meets including, pre-meet warm-up practice; swimmer line-up; and general oversight during the meet.
- Provides timely feedback to swimmers during and/or after practices, as well as during and/or after swim meets to help the swimmers improve their skills.
- In the absence of the Head Coach, the Assistant Head Coach will act as the Head Coach.

The 2025 swim season runs from May 27 - July 26. The Assistant Head Coach is required to attend practices twice a day, for approximately five hours a day and swim meets every Saturday and Wednesday evening, A &

B Relays, Divisionals and All Stars. Time is also required to develop and submit meet lineups and practice plans on time. There are also additional work dates and time required during the summer (i.e., weekly meetings, Friday game days, end of season banquet, etc.). We will share more details as they become available.

***Additional practices TBD the week of July 21st for “All Star Meets,” as applicable. There may also be an additional practice on Fridays before the A Meets.**

Please indicate below any dates you are unavailable during the 2025 summer swim season, as applicable.

Please answer the following questions. *(Please attach additional papers as necessary.)*

1. List all competitive swimming experiences with dates. Please include league and/or team names.
2. Describe your previous swimming instruction and/or coaching experience(s). Please include your ability to coach with different age levels and abilities.
3. How would you go about creating and maintaining excellent team spirit?
4. Describe a time when you worked with a group to accomplish a goal.
5. How do you identify and correct technical errors in a swimmer's stroke?
6. What skills do you think are important when maintaining a good working relationship with your head coach and junior coaches?
7. What leadership experience (other than swimming) have you had relevant to this coaching position?
8. What makes you a good fit for this position?