



BROWARD CHAPTER “Every Child a Swimmer”

The Board of Directors and Members of The Florida Swimming Pool Association Broward Chapter has established a charter to support The International Swimming Hall of Fame’s “Every Child a Swimmer” program. The goal is to have every child become a swimmer. To meet this goal, the Broward Chapter will be coordinating swimming lessons with local facilities and instructors throughout Broward County. Financial assistance will also be available as needed on a first come, first served basis until all funds are allocated. This scholarship is made possible and is provided by the FSPA Broward Chapter and the Bill Kent Family Foundation.

Applicants will be notified of their status via e-mail within 14 days after their application is received. All swimmers will meet with the swim school staff in order to complete their registration, and receive final instructions for their class times. Please complete all required waivers and schedule lessons with the swim school. Lesson start dates will depend on schedule availability. **Swim Lessons vary from school to school.** Parents/ Guardians / Caregivers must be able to commit to this requirement.

Accepting entry to the program would require the recipients to make the swim lessons a priority. It is important to complete all scheduled lessons to ensure your child receives the maximum benefit that these lessons can provide.

- Ages 3 months and up who are not able to swim on their own
- Swimmers must fall into beginner levels.
- Students are eligible for 1 scholarship period per year
- This program is designed to help families dealing with financial hardship

_____ I UNDERSTAND THAT INFORMATION ON MY CHILDS SWIMMING SKILLS MAY BE EXCHANGED BETWEEN THE FSPA BROWARD CHAPTER AND THE SWIM LESSON FACILITY.

_____ I UNDERSTAND THAT IF I AM AWARDED FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE, THIS PROGRAM WILL BECOME A PRIORITY AND I COMMIT TO SWIM LESSONS DURING THE SPECIFIED TIME PERIOD.

_____ I UNDERSTAND THAT SKILL INFORMATION AND PICTURES MAY BE USED WITH CURRENT AND POTENTIAL DONORS.

_____ I UNDERSTAND THAT PICTURES OF MY CHILD DURING SWIM LESSONS MAY BE USED FOR PROMOTIONAL MATERIAL.

_____ I AM REQUESTING FINANCIAL SUPPORT FOR THE FOLLOWING REASONS:

Print Parent/Caregiver Name

Date

Return completed application to FSPABroward@FloridaPoolPro.com or mail to FSPA – Attn Jasmine Knight, 2555 Porter Lake Dr., Sarasota, FL 34240

Water Safety Education will be provided to parents to promote keeping families safer around the water.

Swim Lesson Registration Application

Parent/Caregiver Name: _____

Email: _____ Cell Number: _____

Home Address: _____

Name of Swimmer: _____ DOB: _____ Age: _____

Has swimmer taken lessons before? ___ Yes ___ No Do you have a backyard pool? ___ Yes ___ No
A Community Pool? ___ Yes ___ No

Does the swimmer have any special needs/accommodations that we need to be aware of? ___ No ___ Yes _____

Is the swimmer comfortable in the water? ___ Yes! I think my swimmer is part fish. ___ My swimmer is comfortable in areas where he can touch. ___ No. My swimmer is a bit tentative about water.

Is the swimmer comfortable floating on their back? ___ Yes, the swimmer is comfortable floating on their back. ___ The swimmer cannot float in the pool, but is comfortable laying on their back in the tub. ___ No, the swimmer cannot float on their back and doesn't like having water in their ears.

Can the swimmer submerge under water? ___ The swimmer can submerge for a quick dunk. ___ The swimmer can go underwater for a few seconds. ___ The Swimmer cannot go underwater or doesn't like getting their face wet.

Can the swimmer move through the water independently? ___ No ___ Yes, the swimmer can move about 3 feet through the water. ___ Yes, the swimmer can move 5-10ft. through the water. ___ Yes, the swimmer can move more than 10ft. independently through the water.

Where did you hear of this opportunity? _____

Is there any additional information you would like to share with us regarding the swimmer's swim skills? _____

