

# OTTERGRAM

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June 16th, 2010

**Final Score: Otters 407 – Waves 249**

## OTTERS HEAD TO DIVISIONALS

**Saturday, June 19TH, at 7:00am at Kingwood Park High School**

**Please arrive at 6:45am to circle in. ALL SWIMMERS MUST CHECK-IN UPON ARRIVAL AT THE POOL.** There will be a table with a list of all the swimmers. Please circle your name to indicate that you are at the meet. If you do not circle in your child/children, they will be considered absent and will be scratched from all scheduled events.

After you check-in, find the team parent for your age group and get your heat assignments. It is not the responsibility of the team parent to keep up with your child during the meet. Their responsibility is getting the children to the ready bench at the appropriate time.

**Kingwood Park High School Natatorium  
4015 Woodland Hills Drive**

### Coaches' Corner

**Village Otters, You guys made the coaches *sooo* proud last weekend! Great job to everyone! We have to get ready for our final meet, so this week we really need to make sure and rest our muscles! This season has been an “Otter-iffic” one, so let’s end it with a bang at Divisionals!! I know you guys will make us proud again this weekend! SWIM FAST!! GOOOO OTTERS!**

**The Coaches!!**

**P.S. It is extremely important to be at KPHS ON TIME AND CIRCLED IN This weekend!!! Those of you who arrive late will NOT be able to be added in to the meet!!!! Please arrive by 6:45am Saturday**

### **OTTERS PLEASE NOTE!!!**

Let’s remember our “OTTERTASTIC” MANNERS! We are guests at The Kingwood Park High School Natatorium.

Please remember to pick up any trash you see and dispose of it properly. Please be courteous and respectful at all times.

If the bathrooms are littered with paper please dispose of it as well.

Let’s have a great meet.

### ALL VOLUNTEERS

Please look for Kristen Reep at the meets to make sure to **SIGN IN** with her so we know you are there!! This way we can make announcements for the positions that need to be filled. **WE ARE IN NEED OF MANY VOLUNTEER POSITIONS FOR SATURDAY. PLEASE HELP US MAKE THE MEET RUN SMOOTHLY AND VOLUNTEER YOUR TIME.** If you have not chosen a volunteer position for Saturday please take a look at the unfilled positions on the schedule and contact Kristen Reep to volunteer your time.

***VOLUNTEER CARDS ARE DUE  
BY THE BANQUET.***

***Please turn in your completed  
volunteer cards to any board  
member. Please indicate on the top  
of the card if you would like your  
check back or if we can shred it.***

**Coaches Book  
PLEASE, PLEASE USE THE  
COACHES BOOK TO SIGN  
OUT FOR DIVISIONALS.**

**SWIM TEAM HOTLINE 281-319-1300  
Webmaster:webmaster@villageotters.com**

**ALL STARS AND PONDEROSA**

If you have qualified for an All-Star or Ponderosa time please see Jennifer Knouse at this Saturday at the Divisional Meet. You can still qualify at the Divisional Meet on June 19<sup>th</sup>. **HOWEVER, you must pay Jennifer Knouse by 3pm that day or you will not be able to participate in these invitational meets.** All meet entries are due the next day to their meet directors. All Stars \$4.00 per event and Ponderosa is \$4.50 per event.

**ALL STAR & PONDEROSA  
PRACTICE SCHEDULE  
Monday, June 21<sup>st</sup> –Friday June 25<sup>th</sup>  
Elm Grove Pool  
8am-9am ages 10 & under  
9am-10am ages 11 & up**

**Meet Schedule**

June 19<sup>th</sup> .....Divisionals @ KPHS  
June 26<sup>th</sup> All Stars @ Klein Oak High  
School  
June 27<sup>th</sup> Ponderosa @ Klein Collins  
High School

**\*\*\*MEET RESULTS \*\*\***

To view the results from any meet go to the Village Otters home page and click on the “meet schedule and results” link.  
E-mail for more info

**BIRTHDAYS**

|                   |                       |            |
|-------------------|-----------------------|------------|
| Kris Abby         | June 18 <sup>th</sup> | 19 yrs old |
| Jacob Knouse      | June 22 <sup>nd</sup> | 9 yrs old  |
| Andre Cristinelis | June 23 <sup>rd</sup> | 18 yrs old |
| Eric Halliday     | June 25 <sup>th</sup> | 7 yrs old  |
| Bianca Quiroga    | June 26 <sup>th</sup> | 12 yrs old |
| Hannah Marucci    | June 28 <sup>th</sup> | 14 yrs old |

**We want to wish everyone a Happy  
Birthdav!**

***VGO NEEDS YOU!!!!!***

Village Otters is proud to have great parents that help out and volunteer their time. We could not be a successful team without our parents. We have board positions available please contact Jennifer Knouse at 832-233-1644 or jjek@kingwoodcable.net or Jenny Valcarce at 832-748-7870 or jenny\_valcarce@yahoo.com  
**We are also in need of officials for the meets.** Anyone interested should contact Jeff Smith at SNORK63@earthlink.net for more information.

***LOST AND FOUND***

***Please check the lost and found boxes at  
both pools this week or next during  
practices for missing items. We have  
many items that need to be reunited with  
their owners!! ANY ITEMS LEFT  
AFTER THE BANQUET WILL BE  
DONATED TO A LOCAL CHARITY.***

### FRIDAY PRACTICES

All Friday Practices will be at Elm Grove Pool.  
Please come at your regular practice time.  
This allows all of the children to practice their starts and dives.

### IMPORTANT WEATHER INFORMATION

If you are unsure if we will be holding practices due to weather, please call the hotline. The only time practice will be cancelled is due to lightning and/or thunder.  
Also, please plan on attending all meets as scheduled regardless of the weather. There is a possibility that the weather will clear and the meet will be held.

### SUMMER SCHEDULE JUNE 16<sup>th</sup> – JUNE 18<sup>th</sup>

#### Elm Grove Pool

11 & 12                      7:30-9:00  
13 & up                        9:00-10:30

#### Hunters Ridge Pool

6 & under                    7:30-8:15  
7 & 8                            8:15-9:15  
9 & 10                         9:15-10:30

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El Rancho Mexican Restaurant

## Otter Banquet

THURSDAY, JUNE 24<sup>TH</sup>

6-9pm

ELM GROVE POOL

Come join us for swimming, dinner, awards, and lots of fun.

This year we are having Chili's.

Children's meal is Chicken Crispers with Mandarin oranges or pineapple slices.

Adult's meal is Beef or Chicken Fajitas with trimmings, beans and rice.

All meals include lemonade or water and "Otterlicious" cake!

Tickets are on sale at Divisionals.

Tickets are \$8.00 per person - \$40 for a family of 5 or more

Look for Jennifer Knouse to purchase tickets.

## Volunteer Schedule-June 21st, Divisionals

### Timers

#### Shift 1

|   |                  |   |  |
|---|------------------|---|--|
| 1 | Lynnette Bennett | 1 |  |
| 2 | Denise Townsebd  |   |  |
| 3 |                  |   |  |
| 4 |                  | 1 |  |

#### Shift 2

|   |                |   |  |
|---|----------------|---|--|
| 1 | Craig Townsend | 1 |  |
| 2 | Mitch Moss     |   |  |
| 3 | _____          |   |  |
| 4 | _____          |   |  |

#### Shift 3

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| 1 | _____ |  |  |
| 2 | _____ |  |  |
| 3 | _____ |  |  |
| 4 | _____ |  |  |

### Scribes

#### Shift 1

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| 1 | _____ |
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#### Shift 2

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| 1 | _____ |
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#### Shift 3

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| 1 | _____ |
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### Runners

#### Shift 1

|   |               |
|---|---------------|
| 1 | Betty Vasquez |
| 2 | Donny Rollo   |

#### Shift 2

|   |                |
|---|----------------|
| 1 | JoAnne Loving  |
| 2 | Lora Dickerson |

#### Shift 3

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|---|-------|
| 1 | _____ |
| 2 | _____ |

### Equipment

#### Set up (6:30am)

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| 1 | _____ |
| 2 | _____ |
| 3 | _____ |
| 4 | _____ |

#### Take Down(After meet)

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| 1 | _____ |
| 2 | _____ |
| 3 | _____ |
| 4 | _____ |

**We have a lot of positions that need to be filled!!**

All Divisional positions are considered gold. Remember, you can replace blues with golds.

Please contact Kristen Reep @ 713-806-3289 or [ottervolunteer@yahoo.com](mailto:ottervolunteer@yahoo.com)