

# HIGH TIDE

Americus Blue Tide Swim Team Newsletter

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## Calendar of Events

<u>Date</u>	<u>Event</u>	<u>Location</u>
April 10	ABT vs FRR dual	GSW pool
May 15	Aqua Dart Inv	Darton
May 22	SMAC Long Course	Macon
June 12	SCAT Long Course	Jonesboro
June 19	Kirty Myers Classic	GSW pool
June 25-27	Auburn Long Course	Auburn, AL
July 10	GRPA District meet	Tifton
July 15-18	GA 14&U State Champs	Atlanta
July 15-18	Sectional Champs	Athens
July 23-24	GRPA State meet	Tifton
July 23-25	GA Senior State Champs	Atlanta

## Summer Swimming Lessons

The ABT coaching staff is teaching a full schedule of swimming lessons this summer for children and adults. Morning and afternoon times are available. Let us know how we can help: call Tim DeMott at 924-3863 or Harriett Peak at 924-9738. Tell your friends.

## Team Suits and Practice

### Suits:

Girls suit: Clubswim piped splice (navy/orange)  
[www.swimoutlet.com/product\\_p/8057.htm](http://www.swimoutlet.com/product_p/8057.htm), (800) 691-4064.

Boys suit: TYR Alliance Splice Jammer (navy/orange), (800) 691-4064,  
[www.swimoutlet.com/product\\_p/3303.htm](http://www.swimoutlet.com/product_p/3303.htm), or  
[www.allamericanswim.com](http://www.allamericanswim.com), (800) 552-7946.

For practice suits, look for chlorine resistant fabric (Speedo Endurance, TYR Durafast, etc).

For inexpensive lycra suits, try [aquamatix.com](http://aquamatix.com).

## Kirt Myers Classic, June 19

Our annual summer invitational swim meet—the Kirt Myers Classic—is scheduled for June 19. It will be held at the GSW Univ. Deriso Pool. The competition begins at 10:00 a.m. Psych sheet, meet records and results will be posted on the ABT web page (see address above).

Please put these dates on your calendar. Swim meets are our team's biggest fund raiser, and we are counting on your participation. Even if your child is too young to compete, plan to be at the meet to help, watch some exciting competition and support the Blue Tide!

## Swim-a-thon

Blue Tide members swam a combined total of over 51,000 yards (over 29 miles) at our annual swim-a-thon, March 29! Taylor Carnes set a new team swim-a-thon record by covering 4,500 yards in one hour. Participants who solicited pledges are asked to turn in the money they collect by April 15.



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