

Family Contribution Guidelines

Effective January 1, 2026

LVSC is a volunteer-run organization. We rely on family participation to create the optimal environment for our swimmers to reach their personal and athletic goals. This not only is fundamental and necessary for our team to function, but it also creates an environment of cooperation, unity, and trust.

Each LVSC family is required to complete a minimum of 10 contribution hours per six (6) month time period (January-June & July-December). These hours are recorded on the team website. Families must sign up for slots when posted by the Volunteer Coordinator in order to get credit for the contribution hours worked.

How can contribution hours be earned?

- Timing, Admin Support, or Setting up/breaking down LVSC items at meets and events
- Organization and communication for your swimmer's group as a Group Parent
- Organization and communication for the team as a Board Member
- Safety marshalling during a meet (USA Swim Online Training Required)
- Officiating during a meet (USA Swim Online and In person Training Required)

What if a family doesn't fulfill their obligation?

- If a family does not wish to, or is not able to participate in contribution hours, they may opt out by paying a fee of \$300 at the beginning of the six month period.
- If a family does not fulfill any or all contribution hours, they will be charged \$35/hour at the end of the six month time period.
- If a volunteer signs up and does not volunteer at their specified time slot without removing their name off the sheet or notifying the volunteer coordinator (prior to the start of a meet) will be charged \$35 at the end of the meet.

****NOTE:** Each family with a swimmer participating in our hosted Memorial Day meet, **MUST** sign up for at least one volunteer slot regardless of completed contribution hours. If a swimmer's family fails to contribute, a one time fee of \$35 will apply to the account at the close of the meet.

What if a family joins during the 6 month time period?

- New families will have a 6 week "grace period" after joining the team in which no hours will accrue.
- A prorated number of hours will be required for the remainder of the time period based on month joined

Month Joined	Hours Owed
Jan/Jul	6.5
Feb/Aug	5
Mar/Sep	3.5
Apr/Oct	1.5
May/Nov	0
Jun/Dec	0

What if a family volunteers more than the required hours?

- 20 contribution hours receives a one time \$25 account credit toward monthly dues
- 30 contribution hours receives a one time \$50 account credit toward monthly dues
- 40 contribution hours receives a one time \$100 account credit toward monthly dues
- 50 contribution hours receives a one time \$300 account credit toward monthly dues