



Southern Maryland Aquatics, LLC

2025-2026 Season Cost Summary

Registration and Start-up Costs:

Registration Fee \$200- This is paid to SMDA and includes the administrative fee, your swimmer's Maryland Swim registration fee (\$29/athlete paid by SMDA to MD Swimming), a team tee shirt, and two caps to wear in practice and meets.

USA Swimming Registration fee approx. \$88 - This is paid directly to USA Swimming after September 1st and is a requirement to participate in SMDA (or any USA affiliated club team) at all practice levels.

September 2025 – May 2026 Practice Costs:

Bronze Group \$1,215 - This is broken into automatic monthly payments of \$135 each, paid on the first of the month from September-May.

Silver Group \$1,350 - This is broken into automatic monthly payments of \$150 each, paid on the first of the month from September-May.

Gold Group \$1,620 - This is broken into automatic monthly payments of \$180 each, paid on the first of the month from September-May.

Elite Group \$1,800 - This is broken into automatic monthly payments of \$200 each, paid on the first of the month from September-May.

Multi-Athlete and Official's Discount (does not apply to registration or meet fees):

Multi-Athlete- SMDA will discount the practice fees for families with two or more swimmers as follows- 2 Athletes receive a 10% discount on total practice cost, 3 or more Athletes receive a 15% discount on total practice cost.

USA Official- SMDA will discount the practice fees for Athletes who have a parent who is a USA Swimming active and registered official committed to working meets throughout the season. This discount is 10% off the total practice cost.

Meet Costs:

Host Team Fees- Regular entry into USA sanctioned swim meets is expected of our Silver, Gold, and Elite swimmers. Our team typically attends about one meet per month. There are fees for entry that are paid to the host team by SMDA. You will declare your swimmer for a meet and choose their entries. Once the registration closes, you will be charged for your swimmers and SMDA will send payment to the host team to cover our entire team.

SMDA Surcharge- The team will charge \$10/swimmer per meet to offset the cost of coaches' time on deck and travel.

Team Suit and Apparel:

All Athletes participating in swim meets should have a team suit to wear. SMDA has an online storefront at SwimOutlet.com where you will be able to order team suits. Additional team apparel (other than the provided team tee) and gear will also be available to purchase for athletes and family members.