

HASA, SPEEDO™ and Pure Blue – a great combination!

HASA is excited to announce that we have signed a four-year contract with Speedo™! HASA continues to team up with Pure Blue Swim Shop to offer quality swim products. Through our relationships with Pure Blue and Speedo additional discounts on equipment, bags and team warm-ups are available for just a few weeks at the beginning of the Fall session.

By becoming a Speedo™ team, HASA has made the commitment that the majority of suits, warm-ups, bags and equipment purchased and used by HASA will be Speedo products.

What does this mean for you?

HASA has chosen a plain black Speedo Endurance girls suit in 2 styles and 2 styles of Speedo boys suits as our team suit choice. Suits will be available on-site at each practice or at our regularly discounted price from Pure Blue throughout the season. Details for ordering suits will be available through a Pure Blue link on the HASA website, at registration or by contacting Laura Blinkman, HASA's equipment coordinator. Swimmers who have the previous team suit may still wear it; however when the need for a new suit is necessary swimmers are encouraged to purchase the new Speedo team suit.

Samples sizes of the new suits and warm-ups will be available at registration and throughout the season.

Grab bag suits of various styles and colors will be available only until the current supply runs out. Grab bag suits are still available for purchase from Pure Blue at home swim meets or through the Pure Blue link on the HASA website. Laura Blinkman will have *only* the Speedo Endurance team suits available for purchase on-site during the season. The Speedo Endurance suits are exceptional quality and are built to last. These suits may be used as practice suits as well. Swim caps and goggles will also be available for sale on-site.

HASA continues to team up with Pure Blue Swim Shop to offer quality swim products. While not mandatory, we offer these items to build team unity and create HASA visibility at meets. Team suits can be ordered at anytime, however an additional discount is offered on some equipment and warm-ups for a limited time. A bulk order of warm-ups needs to be placed in order for HASA to receive the additional team discount. A deadline of **September 22nd** has been set to ensure that orders are received prior to our October home swim meet.

In addition to these items, we will offer HASA "spirit wear" such as T-shirts, sweatshirts and other apparel.

Information on sizing and pricing of the various items can be found during registration or the Pure Blue link on the HASA website in the near future.

Please take a few minutes to review the information below regarding equipment and apparel for your swimmer.

Note on Swim Suits: Non-technical suits are generally made of two types of fibers: Lycra or Polyester

- LYCRA suits are generally more comfortable, fit better, and are considered a "faster" suit.
- POLYESTER suits have less stretch but keep their color and shape much longer with high use and exposure to chlorine. Poly suits make excellent practice suits. Our new Speedo team suits are made of polyester.

A correctly sized swim suit will last much longer than one that is too large. We encourage you to talk to the Pure Blue Swim staff on the appropriate size of suit to purchase.

Please contact Laura Blinkman, Coach Ryan or any HASA Board Member for questions or information about equipment and apparel.