

FCA Swim Team Schedule: Fall/Winter 2025-2026

| DATE | MEET | Location | Commit Deadline |
|-------------|---|--|-----------------|
| Aug. 25-29 | FCA Pre-Season Clinic | FCA Pool | |
| Aug. 26 | Parents Meeting-5:30-7:00PM | FCC Lecture Hall MANDATORY | |
| Sept. 2 | Fall / Winter Season Begins | FCA | |
| Sept. 9 | Parents Meeting-5:30-7:00PM | FCC Lecture Hall MANDATORY | |
| Oct. 1 | Introduction to Meets-Meeting @5pm | Virtual-Zoom | |
| Oct. 5 | Blue & Grey Classic 1-5PM | FCA Pool | |
| Oct. 12 | FCA Pentathlon | FCA Pool | 9/15/2025 |
| Oct. 17 | Movie Night! 4:30PM-7:30PM | FCA Pool | |
| Nov. 2 | FCA Fall 10 & Under Meet | FCA Pool | 10/6/2025 |
| Nov. 4 | Parents Meeting-Recap the 10 & Under meet | FCC Lecture Hall | |
| Nov. 15-16 | PDR Invite | Kroc Center Philadelphia, PA | 10/1/2025 |
| Dec. 6 | Team Picture Day! | FCA Pool | |
| Dec. 7 | Swim-A-Thon | FCA Pool | |
| Dec. 12-14 | FCA Holiday A/BB/C | FCA Pool | 11/3/2025 |
| Jan. 10-11 | EAAC January Jam | Episcopal Academy Newtown Square, PA | 10/15/2025 |
| Jan. 11 | MSA Mini Meet | Malvern Prep Malvern, PA | 11/3/2025 |
| Jan. 17-18 | FCA Distance Challenge Meet | FCA Pool | 11/24/2025 |
| Feb. 1 | FCA Winter 10 & Under Meet | FCA Pool | 1/12/2026 |
| Feb. 14-15 | UDAC Closed Invite | Upper Dublin High School Ft. Washington, PA | 1/5/2026 |
| Feb. 28 | Pre-Champs Breakfast! | FCA | |
| March 7-8 | 10 & Under Championships** | TBA | |
| March 12-15 | Junior Championships ** | TBA | |
| March 20 | Fall / Winter Season Ends | FCA | |
| March 19-22 | Middle Atlantic Senior Champs** | TBA | |
| March 27-29 | Silver Champs ** | TBA | |
| April 11 | FCA Banquet 3-8 PM | FCS Dining Hall/Meeting Room | |

** swimmers entering need qualification standard times (8 & under do not cut times to enter the 10 & Under Championships)

Swim Meet Policy: Meets are mandatory for all swimmers. Entries are submitted weeks in advance, and everyone is entered. We understand, however, that sometimes conflicts do occur. You must email the lead coach and head coach in a timely manner. Once entries are sent in at the deadline of that respective meet, entries are locked in and families are responsible for the meet fees.

Starting this season, you must submit the commit checkbox by the deadline marked on the meets/events page if your swimmer can attend the meet. These dates are subject to change between now and opening of registration.

You have to commit your athlete to the meet by signing into Commit Swimming and checking off what days of the meet they will attend. This will ensure more accurate entries this season. It is critical to complete the commit checkbox by the deadline so we have all entries completed in a timely manner.

If you have notified the coaching staff that your child will not attend the meet after the deadline, you will be billed for meet entries. Please send all communication regarding meets to fcaquatics@friendscentral.org.

Development-Meets are for 10 & Under Age Groups only. Eligibility to compete in a particular age group is determined by the swimmer's age on the first day of the meet.

Events: These events are marked in red. These are events that are happening in and around the pool throughout the season! If our schedule allows it, we will add more. At this time, this is the tentative schedule for events. Please note, the Blue-Grey meet is a social/team building event for all of our athletes and attendance is expected.

ABBC Meets: These meets are marked in blue. These types of meets are for 9 & overs. We typically have one of these meets once a month.

Continuing this Fall/Winter Season:

All mini's, novice's, and Junior I's who are 10 & under will participate in the Fall & Winter 10 & Under meets.

Junior I's that are 9 & Over:

Will participate in the *PDR Invite, Holiday Meet, EAAC January Jam*, and the *UDAC Closed Invite*.

Novices's that are 9 & Over:

Will participate in the *FCA Fall 10 & Under Meet, Holiday Meet, EAAC January Jam*, and the *UDAC Closed Invite*.

They will compete in the Fall 10 & Under meet in addition to the PDR Invite.

Payments are to be completed through Commit Swimming. Your outstanding balance will be seen on your invoice from Commit. If you have any questions about your payment, please contact wgallagher@friendscentral.org.

