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USMS High Performance Camp Announces Early Admissions Process!

Early Admissions Process is an HPC first and avoids the January 1, 2018 price increase.

The U.S. Masters Swimming High Performance Camp is a camp open to any Masters swimmer interested in improving their skills. Hosted by the Triangle Sports Commission (TSC) at the Greensboro Aquatic Center, the camp emphasizes testing, feedback, and education. In the camp, you'll learn the most up-to-date Masters training and competitive theories and techniques and be able to correlate them to your personal swimming program and goals. **Next year's camp will mark the eighth edition of the program and will take place from Saturday, August 25, to Thursday, August 30, 2018.**



Anyone interested in participating in the 2018 HPC who would like to know their admission status early, can apply to the camp by no later than **Wednesday, December 20, 2017**. By Friday, December 22, we will notify applicants as to whether they are accepted. For a camp application, [click here](#) or visit our website here <http://www.trianglesportscommission.com>.

For those accepted who would like to guarantee their slot, they will need to pay the first half of their fee (\$1,000), which can be paid by check or credit card, no later than December 31, 2017. For those who send in an application by December 20, who do not want to take advantage of the early admission process, your application will be considered with those of other applicants received during the Spring of 2018 and you will be notified in May 2018.

For those applicants who are not accepted in the early admission process, this does not mean you will not be able to participate in the camp. Instead, we will advise you on aspects that could enhance your application, which you can work on during Spring 2018. You'll be able to update your application and be considered in the final applicant pool that gets notified in May 2018.

If you have already sent in your application for 2018, you do not need to reapply, but if you would like to be considered for the early application process, you need to send us an email notifying us of that (by no later than December 20, 2017).



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Similar to college applicants, if you are accepted into the USMS HPC Early Admission Process, you will be committed to attend the camp. (If, however, there is a documented significant injury or family crisis that arises later that prevents participation in the 2018 HPC, we will hold a slot for you in the 2019 HPC or you can apply for a refund.)

Avoid the price increase! An additional advantage of the USMS HPC Early Application Process is that the fee for the camp will be going up some in 2018, from \$2,000 (current pricing) to \$2,200. (This is the first time in 6 years the camp fee has been increased.) If you are accepted for early admission and you pay \$1,000 by the end of this year, you will receive the \$2,000 pricing for the camp and will avoid the price increase.) The remaining \$1,000 of your 2018 camp fee will be due in June 2018.

International swimmers welcome. The camp is not limited to U.S. athletes, as we have had previous Masters participants from Brazil, Italy, and the Virgin Islands, among other locations.

Don't Delay! Early Admission is proving to be a popular option - with more than 20% of our 2018 HPC slots already filled. Don't miss out! You are encouraged to take advantage of this opportunity as soon as possible.

If you have any questions about the 2018 U.S. Masters Swimming High Performance Camp, please contact Hill Carrow at hcarrow@trianglesportscommission.com or (919) 678-1651.

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