

TOWN OF EAST HAMPTON

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Training, Evaluating & Testing Program

2022 Summer Junior Lifeguard Program

*Please be aware that all TOEH Recreation Programs are 1) Subject to COVID-19, NY State guidelines, and 2) that they can be cancelled at any time by THE TOWN OF EAST HAMPTON or the YMCA due to health concerns.

New Junior Lifeguards Trainees Must Take this Training Returning Junior Lifeguards MUST Pass the Pool Swim Test

Age 9 through Age 15 (as of 7/1/22) at the

YMCA E. H. RECenter Pool

<u>Two Sunday Training Sessions – 1:00 to 1:45 & 1:45 to 2:30 p. m.</u>

Trainees will attend only 1 session each Saturday

SUNDAYS - March 6th through June 19th

Register online - Go to ehamptonny.gov Please bring you own Mask, Cap & Goggles

A. <u>Pre-Test</u>. All Trainees will be asked to:

- * Swim 50 yards (2 lengths of the pool) freestyle stroke not timed but form is very important
- * Tread water in the deep end of the pool for at least 5 minutes.
- * Swim underwater 10 15 yards in the deep end of the pool.
- B. Stroke Evaluation. Each Trainee will have an Evaluation Card
 - * We look at and will grade each aspect of three basic strokes Freestyle Stroke, Side Stroke, and Breast Stroke on a grading scale of 0 (poor), 1 (fair), 2(good), and 3 (excellent).
 - * If all aspects of a stroke have a successful rating of 2 or higher, we ask that the stroke be practiced for at least four laps. This builds up the trainees swim conditioning.
 - * Some Trainees whose strokes are poor might need additional instruction which is available at the YMCA.

C. <u>Swim Test</u>. When Trainees have improved their strokes and conditioning, they take the following Test: Ages 9, 10, 11, or 12 Timed Swim - 2 minutes and 15 seconds or less

* 4 lap (100 yards) freestyle - no stopping or resting at the walls - good form. Combination Paced Swim - Not timed but good form must be maintained * 8 lap (200 yards) combination swim using freestyle, sidestroke, & breaststroke

Ages 13, 14, or 15 Timed Swim - 3 minutes and 10 seconds or less * 6 lap (150 yards) freestyle - no stopping or resting at the walls - good form. Combination Paced Swim - Not timed but good form must be maintained * 12 lap (300 yards) combination swim using freestyle, sidestroke, & breaststroke

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