

# The Coconut Connection

Week of October 2nd, 2023

[Online Master Calendar](#)

## ANNOUNCEMENTS & UPDATES

### Hands-On Competition Hair Tutorial

- Monday October 2nd after all ages Jump & Flex at 6pm
- This is a guided hands-on practice for parents & athletes in doing our [competition hair look](#) for all athletes. This event is to be attended by both an adult and athlete unless the athlete is capable of doing their own hair (typically MS student and older).
- All participants must bring a hair elastic tie, aerosol hairspray, and a teasing comb. Please come with completely dry hair. Unwashed is not only ok, but preferred as it will "hold" better than freshly washed hair.
- We will also distribute our all new competition bow to those in attendance. Bows will be distributed at practice to those that are unable to attend the hair tutorial. Our bow vendor was unable to secure the correct pink ribbon base for our existing bow so we have purchased new bows for all athletes that previously had the pink tail-less bows or mini space bun bows and new athletes that would have needed these bows. Each Senior, Junior, Youth, Mini, and Tiny athlete will receive one new competition bow at no additional cost. Replacement and extra bows are \$12.50 each and can be ordered via our [Bow Order Form](#).
- Please note - athletes are required to arrive at competitions fully prepared from head to toe. If you need assistance with your athlete's hair, you must make arrangements with another family and have it done before our specified meet time!

## OAPA OCTOBER EVENTS

### 'Ohana Family Bonding Event - Schuett Farms

- Please join OAPA for an ALL GYM bonding event on Saturday, October 7th. There will be pumpkins, hayrides, a corn maze, & more.
- RSVP: ['Ohana Family Bonding Event RSVP](#) **Over 30 of the 'Ohana will be there - we hope to see you too!**
- Location: Schuett Farms, W299 S6370 WI-83, Mukwonago, WI 53149
- Time: 1:30pm - ?

- Cost: General Admission to the farm is free
  - Additional Cost (optional):
  - Pumpkins (varies based on size)
  - Corn Maze: \$8/person (2 & younger free)
  - Hayrides: \$6/person (2 & younger free)

#### Shark Bait (Mini) Team Bonding Event - Taco Dinner

- [Mini Team Bonding Sign Up](#)
- Date: October 16, 2023
- Time: 5:30pm - 7pm
- Location: Brandsma's House
  - 15230 Carpenter Rd. Brookfield, WI 53005

### Reminders from Last Week

#### Reminder - Orlando Travel Dates

- Required Florida Dates are March 8 & 9 instead of March 9 & 10!
- Hotel check in is March 7th as we could perform early on March 8th!
- We will discuss FL travel at November monthly meeting! Email [aloha@ohana262.com](mailto:aloha@ohana262.com) with questions in the meantime.

#### Looking ahead - Schedule Updates

- Shark Bait
  - Wednesday December 13th practice rescheduled to Thursday December 14th from 5:30 - 7pm due to Tonawanda school event.
- Hang Ten
  - Thursday December 14th practice rescheduled to Tuesday December 12th from 7 - 8:30pm due to Tonawanda school event.
- Surfer Gurlz
  - Tuesday October 24th practice rescheduled to Thursday October 26th from 7 - 9pm due to Coach conflict.
  - Tuesday December 12th practice rescheduled to Thursday December 14th from 7 - 9pm due to Tonawanda school event.
- SPF
  - Wednesday December 13th practice rescheduled to Thursday December 14th ETF Open Gym due to to Tonawanda school event.

## EVERGREEN UPDATES

### Attendance Reporting

- Please remember to report all athlete absences via our Attendance Reporting form. We had numerous absences last week that were not entered into the attendance reporting form.
- It is [linked here](#) for your quick reference.

### Online Master Calendar

- Several families have contacted us recently regarding access to our online master calendar. The link is in our Parent Portal and is also show here:  
<https://calendar.google.com/calendar/u/1?cid=YWxvaGFAb2hhbmEyNjluY29t>
- [Click here](#) for information on how to subscribe to our master online calendar so it merges seamlessly into your personal Google calendars.

### Online Pro Shop

- Order your 'Ohana gear from our [Online Pro Shop!](#)
- If you have any items you'd like to see added to our Pro Shop, please email [aloha@ohana262.com](mailto:aloha@ohana262.com)

### Family Directory Reminder

- You must add at least one email in order to receive updates/info from parent association and team reps
- Complete this [Google form](#) to be included in the directory.