

# BURNABY WATER POLO CLUB



*Welcome to new season of water polo fun!*

September 2026 to April 2027

The Burnaby Water Polo Club has been a part of the community for over 40 years now. Established in 1977, it has had a proud tradition of helping develop some of the finest water polo players in the country. A number of our players who started with Burnaby have gone onto the Canadian National Teams and won scholarships, and one has even gone to the Olympics in Beijing. In addition to athletic excellence, the Burnaby Water Polo Club promotes healthy living and long-lasting friendships.

## Programs

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| <b>Development</b><br>(Born 2017 – 2020)                   | Boys and girls will practice in the shallow end of the pool. Our coach-to-player ratio is low to help youngsters prepare for the main pool. The ability to swim across the shallow end is helpful. They will learn ball handling, swimming with and without the ball, and game basics.                                                                                                |
| <b>12U</b> (Born 2015-2016)<br><b>14U</b> (Born 2013-2014) | Boys and girls will practice in the main pool. They will work in the shallow and the deep ends. The ability to swim a length of the pool is important. They will learn ball handling, eggbeater, shooting, swimming with and without the ball, and game basics. At this age, the athletes need additional coaching and practice on their swimming skills.                             |
| <b>16U</b> (Born 2011-2012)<br><b>18U</b> (Born 2009-2010) | Boys and girls will practice in the main pool. They will work primarily in the deep end of the pool. The ability to swim and tread water for extended lengths of time is required. They will learn ball handling, eggbeater, shooting, swimming with and without the ball, and advanced game strategy. After more experience, players will be ready to learn refereeing and coaching. |
| <b>Master</b><br>(2008 & older)                            | Men and women will practice in the main pool. The Open-Age category is designed for all water polo athletes who graduated from high school and who are looking for opportunities to stay active as players, coaches, and referees.                                                                                                                                                    |

## Practice Schedule

### Development Program – Bonsor Recreation Complex 6550 Bonsor Ave., Burnaby

| Program     | Saturdays     | Sundays        |
|-------------|---------------|----------------|
| Development | 4:45pm-6:00pm | 8:45am-10:00am |

### 12U/14U - Bonsor Recreation Complex 6550 Bonsor Ave., Burnaby - Kensington pool 700 Hammariskjold Dr. Burnaby

| Program | Tuesday (Kensington) | Saturdays (Bonsor) | Sundays (Bonsor) |
|---------|----------------------|--------------------|------------------|
| 12U/14U | 6:45pm-8:30pm        | 4:45pm-7:00pm      | 7:45am-10:00am   |

### 16U/18U – New Westminster-TACC 65 Sixth Ave E, New Westminster - Kensington pool 700 Hammariskjold Dr. Burnaby

| Program | Monday (TACC)  | Tuesday (Kensington) | Wednesday (TACC) |
|---------|----------------|----------------------|------------------|
| 16U/18U | 7:45pm-10:00pm | 6:45pm-8:30pm        | 7:45pm-10:00pm   |

## Practice Fees

| Group       | 1 season | 2 seasons with discount | Fundraising fee (Raffle tickets) | 1 season total with raffle | 2 seasons total with raffle |
|-------------|----------|-------------------------|----------------------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Development | \$320.00 | \$580.00                | \$50.00                          | \$370.00                   | \$630.00                    |
| 12U         | \$610.00 | \$1,110.00              | \$50.00                          | \$660.00                   | \$1,160.00                  |
| 14U         | \$610.00 | \$1,110.00              | \$50.00                          | \$660.00                   | \$1,160.00                  |
| 16U         | \$610.00 | \$1,110.00              | \$50.00                          | \$660.00                   | \$1,160.00                  |
| 18U         | \$610.00 | \$1,110.00              | \$50.00                          | \$660.00                   | \$1,160.00                  |
| Master      |          | \$200.00                |                                  |                            | \$200.00                    |

- Please e-transfer the practice fees to [registration@burnabywaterpolo.com](mailto:registration@burnabywaterpolo.com).
- Players will use the Water Polo Canada RAMP system to register. Registrars will pay membership and insurance fee to Water Polo Canada/Water Polo West directly through the RAMP.

## Volunteering Policy

BWPC is run by volunteer parents. The contribution from each parent is necessary and very much valued. There will be many opportunities for parents to volunteer including but not limited to, board members, team managers, health & safety officers, etc. Volunteer tasks will be posted in TeamSnap, please check regularly and sign up for opportunities that fit your schedule.

## Registration Process

1. Go to [BurnabyHWPC.rampregistrations.com](http://BurnabyHWPC.rampregistrations.com).
2. Create a new account or log in to your existing account.
3. Choose "Participant."
4. Select your division:
  - "Introduction Athlete" for Development
  - "Community Athlete" for 12U, 14U, 16U, 18U, and Masters
5. Follow the steps to complete your registration.

**Email:** [president@burnabywaterpolo.com](mailto:president@burnabywaterpolo.com)