

# Photo-2-Ohhh

Congratulations! Your family is going to have an aquatic photography session. This is an occasion not EVERY family has. Being so unique, there are some aspects of this event that we need to make you aware of so that it can go as smoothly and be as productive as possible. If you have any other questions, please feel free to come by or call The Swim School.

## TIPS FOR EVERYONE

Photos look better <b>WITHOUT</b> goggles & <b>WITH</b> open eyes.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• While goggles are very useful if you want to SEE in the water, this about BEING SEEN and we've learned that the no-goggle look makes a better picture</li> <li>• Our pool is a salt water pool with salinity near your natural tears – there is no easier environment in which to open your eyes</li> </ul>
Swim pants	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• In our pro shop we have the kind to be worn under your own swim suit and the kind that is built into its own suit for both male and female</li> <li>• Any child who has not reached his/her 4<sup>th</sup> birthday will need to wear reusable swim pants</li> </ul>
Parents are <u>required</u> to get in the water.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• What a GREAT family photo!</li> <li>• Younger kids, especially, may be more comfortable with mom and/or dad to lend moral support (they may not know the photographer)</li> <li>• You are ultimately responsible for your child's safety and conduct. Our photographer is there to take pictures only and he/she will be unable to keep an eye on everyone in the pool</li> </ul>
What looks good in underwater pictures	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• BRIGHT BRIGHT BRIGHT colored swim suits or costumes</li> <li>• Long hair worn loose</li> <li>• Open eyes (no contact lenses)</li> <li>• No running makeup (waterproof mascara, etc.)</li> <li>• Try not to blow bubbles while underwater</li> </ul>
Be on time	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• We recommend you show up at least 15 minutes early so that you are ready to enter the water right on time</li> </ul>

## TIPS FOR LITTLE ONES

Limiting submersions	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• This photo session will have approximately six to ten submersions</li> <li>• If you know your child has trouble going under water you may want to consider enrolling them in swim lessons at TSS</li> </ul>
Swim pants	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• In our pro shop we have the kind to worn under your own swim suit AND the kind that is built into its own suit for both male and female</li> <li>• Any child who has not reached his/her 4<sup>th</sup> birthday will need to wear reusable swim pants</li> </ul>
Parents are <u>required</u> to get in the water.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• We will have a photographer ONLY in the water</li> <li>• Mom, Dad, grandparent, SOMEBODY needs to come prepared to get in the water with the children too small to stand independently in the water</li> </ul>