

2014 SEASON Swim Team Coaches



Meredith Bell - Head Coach

We are excited to announce Meredith Bell as the Liberty Lightning Head Coach! Meredith is a rising junior at the University of Michigan Ross School of Business. Prior to attending college, Meredith grew up swimming in the WISC summer league, the same one Liberty competes in, and she loved it from the start. As a member of Skyline High School's first graduating class, she was fortunate to be a swim team captain for three seasons and compete at the state championships all four years. Meredith's involvement in swimming since entering college has been through coaching and triathlons, which she finds are incredibly fulfilling. She is looking forward to a fun summer of fast swimming at Liberty!



Ryan Rees - Assistant Swim Coach

We are happy to have Ryan Rees as part of the Liberty Lightning Coaching Staff this season. Ryan a sports enthusiast has been coaching everything from soccer, track, diving, basketball to swimming for the past nine years. He brings eight years of competitive and diving experience, and has been a swim instructor and lifeguard at Liberty since 2012. Ryan a Political Science graduate from the University of Michigan is pursuing his masters in teaching this fall. He is excited to be part of the Liberty Lightning Coaching Staff!



Mary Cummings - Assistant Swim Coach

We welcome Mary Cummings to the Liberty Lightning team this season. Mary received her Bachelors of Science in Nutrition from Eastern Michigan University and will be pursuing her Masters in Dietetics and Exercise Physiology at Washington State University in the fall. In high school, she was a varsity letterman four years, won three consecutive state titles, set five school records, and two state records. She qualified for junior nationals after her senior season. Mary has been teaching for four years now and is extremely excited to help coach the Liberty Lightening Team!