

## Idaho State 2015 Water Polo Season

**Season Start:** The Idaho Water Polo season will begin concurrently with the various schools' swimming seasons. Teams and clubs can run practices as best fits their program and facilities.

**Practices:** As stated above, teams and clubs can hold practices as fits their program and facilities throughout the swimming season. Water polo practices can then continue after the Idaho State Swimming Championships through December 4th.

**Early Season Tournament:** An early season tournament will be held in Boise on **September 19th** at the Treasure Valley YMCA in Boise. All teams and clubs are encouraged to attend. This will give teams an opportunity to play a number of other teams and encourage players who are interested in the sport.

**Other Games:** Teams are also encouraged to schedule scrimmages during the season with other teams throughout the state, either in conjunction with swim meets or separately.

**State Swim Meet Games:** Following the conclusion of the Idaho State Swim Meet on November 7th, a limited number of games may be held as scheduled by individual teams and with the support of the YMCA. This will not be a full tournament as in years past.

**Season End:** The Idaho Water Polo season will end with a final Idaho State Championship tournament in Boise at the Treasure Valley YMCA on **December 5th**. All Idaho based teams and clubs are encouraged to attend the championship games. A schedule for the games and further details will be provided by the YMCA organization.

**Rules:** Games throughout the season will be played under USWP rules, with exceptions allowed as agreed by participating teams in order to help facilitate and encourage water polo in Idaho. All teams and players must be insured for both play and travel by their associated schools or other sponsoring organizations.