



# 10th Annual Polar Bear Swim

Monday, Jan. 1st 2007  
3:00 pm



*This year's swim is brought to you by the number TEN*

#### ABOUT:

The Lanier Canoe & Kayak Polar Bear swim started as a spoof of Northern Polar Bear swims in 1998. Undeniably the silliest thing we do, it somehow brings in national level exposure for our facility and community. We normally have 100 to 160 people jumping depending on the weather and as many as 800 to 1,000 spectators. The Polar Bear Swim will be held in conjunction with the first annual LCKC Winter Carnival. The Winter Carnival will feature "Southern Winter Games" such as 'ice blocking', 'cross country skiing', 'snow ball fights' and a snow palace maze. Plenty of fun for the entire family!

#### Location:

The Lake Lanier Olympic Venue on the Olympic Course and Finish Tower side.

#### FEES:

Single jump entries are \$20 if received and/or postmarked by Dec. 20<sup>th</sup>. Entries received after Dec. 20<sup>th</sup> \$25. Family jump entries are \$50. Spectating is entertaining and FREE.

#### JUMP FEATURES:

- \*2007 Polar Bear jump t-shirt
- \*Hot chili
- \*Coffee and pastries
- \*Hot steaming canoe tub for rapid re-warming
- \*Hot showers in the boathouse
- \*Special prizes for Best Costume and Best Jump

#### QUESTIONS?

Contact LCKC at 770-287-7888 or visit [www.lckc.org](http://www.lckc.org)

Proceeds benefit programs at the Lanier Canoe & Kayak Club.

## TEN reasons to join LCKC for the 10th Annual Polar Bear Swim

- (1) It will be a TENSE day of tens!
- (2) OsTENSibly the BEST Polar Bear Swim in the Southeast
- (3) It's a TENDER way to celebrate the New Year with your family and friends!
- (4) Each jumper gets LOTS of atTENTION from the crowds!
- (5) People TEND to get it over pretty quickly!
- (6) The water is above TEN degrees!
- (7) Softub is BACK. Your TENDons will stretch back out once you get in the Softub!
- (8) We have some INSPIRING and TENacious participants with exTENSive experience!
- (9) Some people look forward to and actually inTEND to jump each year!
- (10) There will be lots of TENSION as the judges TENDER their decisions on the exTENSive display of costumes and jumps!





# Polar Bear Swim

## OFFICIAL REGISTRATION FORM



Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Gender: Male Female

Adult T-Shirt Size: S M L XL

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Single Jumper: \$25 \_\_\_\_\_ Early Registration \$20 \_\_\_\_\_ by Dec. 20

Family Jump: \$50 \_\_\_\_\_

I cannot participate, but would like to support Lanier Canoe & Kayak

In the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ THANK YOU SO MUCH!

### RELEASE AND WAIVOR OF LIABILITY, ASSUMPTION OF RISK AND IMDEMNITY

In consideration of being permitted to participate in any way in the Lanier Canoe and Kayak Club Polar Bear Swim I, for myself, my personal representatives, assigns, heirs, and next of kin:

1. Acknowledge, agree, and represent that I understand the nature of this event and that I am qualified, in good health, and in proper physical condition to participate in such activity. I further acknowledge that the activity will be conducted in winter conditions on and in Lake Lanier, Gainesville, GA. I further agree and warrant that if at any time I believe conditions to be unsafe, I will immediately discontinue further participation in the activity.

2. Hereby release, discharge, and covenant not to sue the club, USACK, their respective administrators, directors, agents, officers, members, volunteers, and employees, other participants, any sponsors, advertisers, and, if applicable, owners and lessors, of premises on which the activity takes place, (each considered one of the "Releasees" herein) from all liability, claims, demands, losses, or damages on my account caused or alleged to be caused in whole or in part by the negligence of the "releasees" or otherwise, including negligent rescue operations; and I further agree that if, despite this release and waiver of liability, assumption of risk, and indemnity agreement I, or anyone on my behalf, makes a claim against any of the releasees, I will indemnify, save, and hold harmless each of the releasees from any litigation expenses, attorney fees, loss, liability, damage, or cost which any may incur as the result of such claim.

Participant's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ I Have Read This Release \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Signature (if under 18) I Have Read This Release \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

### How did you hear about this event?

Newspaper  Online  Radio  Outdoor Shop  Club

Friend  Other: \_\_\_\_\_

**LCKC athletes will receive \$125 in LCKC bucks for every \$300 they raise at the Polar Bear Swim to use for fees, travel expenses or equipment purchases. A minimum of \$300 is required. Only \$25 single jumps count for athlete sponsorships. If you are sponsoring an athlete, please put their name here.**

**Thank you for your support of the Lanier Canoe & Kayak Club Polar Bear Swim!**