

## Puget Sound Polo Buccaneers

No water polo experience is necessary to play Puget Sound Polo! PSP is an excellent opportunity for strong swimmers to try water polo for the first time.

The 2023 Spring Session will offer a few opportunities:

### Spring Tournaments and Scrimmages

Spring Tournaments and scrimmages that come available will be emailed out. All tournaments and scrimmages will require additional fees.

Rose Cup -Tualatin Hills, Oregon  
April 21st-23rd

Youth Festival—Newberg , Oregon  
May 6th

Sum Kick Off—Newberg, Oregon  
June 3rd-4th

Contact Coach Pic right away if you would like to participate in one of those tournaments listed above: dpiccolotto4@gmail.com



## If you like the water, you will love water polo!

The Spring Practice Session has three goals:

- 1.) Introduce the sport of water polo to new athletes.
- 2.) Build upon skills previously learned for more experienced athletes.
- 3.) Schedule scrimmages and tournaments for those athletes looking for game experiences

For more information contact  
Coach Pic or visit our website  
[www.pugetsoundpolo.com](http://www.pugetsoundpolo.com)

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## Youth Water Polo (Curtis HS)



For Boys and Girls:  
14U, 12U, 10U

2023 Spring Session

## ▶ Puget Sound Polo!

Puget Sound Polo is a youth water polo program designed to introduce the sport of water polo to new athletes, as well as continue the development of athletes with experience. On most occasions, athletes will be divided into two groups based on their experience, swimming ability and their desired commitment to youth water polo. Each practice will focus on the following polo skills:

- Swimming
- Treading
- Passing / Ball Handling
- Shooting
- Defensive Positioning
- Offensive/Defensive schemes



### Practice Dates and Times:

Puget Sound Polo Youth Spring Session Practices are on Sunday Nights

Curtis HS Pool Address: 8425 40th St. West  
University Place, WA 98466

#### Spring Session 2023

Sunday, March 5th	4:30p—6:00p
Sunday, March 12th	4:30p-6:00p
Sunday, March 19th	4:30p-6:00p
Sunday, March 26th	4:30p-6:00p
Sunday, April 2nd	4:30p-6:00p
Sunday, April 23rd	4:30p-6:00p
Sunday, April 30th	4:30p-6:00p
Sunday, May 7th	4:30p-6:00p
Sunday, May 14th	4:30p-6:00p
Sunday, May 21st	4:30p-6:00p

#### USA Water Polo Membership

All athletes need to be USA Water Polo Registered to participate in Puget Sound Polo

#### **To register go to:**

[www.usawaterpolo.org](http://www.usawaterpolo.org)

We are club #64 Puget Sound Polo Athletes can register at the lowest level: Bronze



### About the Coaches:

#### **John Orlando**

John has been a member of the PSP Coaching Family since 2014. John graduated from Wilson High School in 2006. After high school, John attended Western Washington University where he played and coached water polo. John also coached high school water polo at both Wilson & Stadium, and is one of the top officials in WA.

#### **Stella Patterson**

Stella attended Curtis Senior High School and graduated in 2022 Stella played water polo for Curtis High School in addition to participating on the Lady Pirates Junior Olympic Water Polo Team.

#### **Josh Newman**

Coach Josh lead Wilson High School Water Polo for more than a decade. He is one of the founders of PSP and currently assisting at Curtis High School. Josh will be leading the 12U program this winter.

#### **Abhi Larson**

Abhi played water polo and swam for Curtis High School, graduating in 2018. Abhi is a former PSP Pirate and participated on several USA Water Polo Junior Olympics Teams.

#### **Cost:**

\$110.00 dollars for the entire 10 Practice Session  
OR 15 dollars drop in fee per practice

Register Online

**[Pugetsoundpolo.com/join-now](https://www.pugetsoundpolo.com/join-now)**

Note: If played fall and/or winter, you do not need to complete registration, just submit payment for this session.

Payment: <https://www.pugetsoundpolo.com/make-a-payment> (or cash and check accepted)