

## 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 2022 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.

### Common Trainings:

PSP often invites other youth water polo clubs to come train with us at CHS, as well as at other pools. These are TBD and will simply take the place of one of our practices already scheduled if the club decides to include these type of trainings this spring.



**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

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## Youth Water Polo

(Curtis HS)



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

2022 Spring Session #1

## ▶ 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 2022

Sunday, March 6th	4:30p—6:00p
Sunday, March 13th	4:30p-6:00p
Sunday, March 20th	4:30p-6:00p
Sunday, March 27th	4:30p-6:00p
Sunday, April 10th	4:30p-6:00p
Saturday, April 16th	4:30p -6:00p
Sunday, April 24th	4:30p-6:00p
Sunday, May 1st	4:30p-6:00p
Sunday, May 15th	4:30p-6:00p
Sunday, May 22nd	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:

#### **Alex Hacker:**

Alex was a team water polo captain at Curtis during his junior and senior years of high school. Alex graduated from Curtis in 2008 and furthered his education at Cal Lutheran University where he also swam and played polo competitively at the college level. Alex is currently teaching 2nd grade at Chambers Primary.

Alex has coached with Puget Sound Polo since 2011 and has also coached several high school programs, both boys and girls, including, Curtis, Mt. Tahoma, and currently, Lakes.

#### **Julia Vasilyev**

Julia Vasilyev attended Curtis Senior High School and graduated in 2019. Julia played water polo and swam 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.

#### **Cost:**

\$95.00 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)