

**Venetian Aquatic Club
Scholarship Information 2026**

**Scholarships are made possible through the generous support of
the Coral Gables Woman's Club and the City of Coral Gables.**

Thank you for your interest in applying for a scholarship to participate in the Venetian Aquatic Club's Red Cross *Learn to Swim Program* at the historic Venetian Pool located at 2701 De Soto Blvd, Coral Gables. In Florida, the ability to swim safely is essential for every adult and child. Since 1959, members of the Venetian Aquatic Club, who are Red Cross certified volunteers, have been teaching Learn to Swim lessons at the historic Venetian Pool. It is the mission of our organization to make our community safer by teaching how to be safe in and around water to adults and children.

A scholarship is for **one** 10-lesson session. Sessions are 2 consecutive weeks held at 8:30, 9:10 or 9:50 am, Monday through Friday.

This application will allow the VAC Scholarship Committee to review your request for a scholarship. Please fully complete the application on the next page in order to be considered.

Scholarship Information

To be considered for this scholarship a child must:

- be at least 5 years old on the date at the start of the session (must present a birth certificate)
- swim at a beginning level (LTS Levels 1-3, see below)
- commit to a full two-week, 10-lesson session
- provide own transportation, and
- provide proof of financial need and

Documentation of financial need consists of at least one of the following:

1. Participation in free/reduced school lunch program or
2. Letter or card from an official social service agency, SNAP or Medicaid

Some scholarships for adults are also available.

Selection Process

Scholarships will be awarded on the basis of financial need, on a first-come, first-serve basis. The VAC Scholarship Committee must approve all applications. Incomplete applications will not be considered. Scholarship recipients will receive an award notification by e-mail. Such notification is valid for one scholarship only.

Please e-mail supporting documents to directly to yacscholarships@gmail.com

For more information, please visit the Venetian Aquatic Club's website
www.venetianaquaticclub.org/scholarships

Do NOT submit this application to the Venetian Pool

2026 SUMMER SCHEDULE—CHILDREN 5 YEARS AND OLDER

CLASSES ARE HELD MONDAY THROUGH FRIDAY AT 8:30 AM, 9:10 AM AND 9:50 AM.

Session 1: June 8 - 19

Session 2: June 22 - July 3

Session 3: July 6 - 17

Session 4: July 20 - July 31

Each session consists of 10 lessons, Monday through Friday, for 2 consecutive weeks.

2026 FEES--CHILDREN

Residents: \$65 per session (10 lessons)

Non-residents: \$79 per session (10 lessons)

2026 SUMMER SCHEDULE—ADULTS 18 YEARS AND OLDER

We offer THREE three-week sessions on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday evenings between 5:30 and 6:30 pm.

Session 1 June 9, 10, 11, 16, 17, 18, 23, 24, 25

Session 2 June 30, July 1, 2, 7, 8, 9, 14, 15, 16

Session 3 July 21, 22, 23, 28, 29, 30, August 4, 5, 6

Choose one session or take all 3 sessions to really perfect your skills!

2026 FEES--ADULTS

Residents: \$75 per session (9 lessons)

Non-residents: \$89 per session (9 lessons)

LTS SWIMMING LEVELS

Level I: Introduction to water skills – offered all sessions, all times

Level II: Fundamental Aquatic Skills – offered all sessions, all times

Level III: Stroke Development - offered all sessions, all times

Level IV: Stroke Improvement - offered all sessions, all times

Level V: Stroke Refinement – offered all sessions – 8:30 a.m. & 9:10 a.m. ONLY

Level VI: Stroke Proficiency – offered all sessions – 9:50 a.m. ONLY

Scholarship Application Form

Parent’s full name: _____

Phone: (Cell /Home): _____

Address: _____

Email address: _____ Coral Gables resident?: YES: ___ NO: ___

Child’s Name: _____ Age: ___ yrs Swimming Level: _____ Session: _____

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I certify that my child, the applicant, receives free/reduced lunch at his/her school: YES: ___ NO: ___

Number of people living in the household is _____.

Optional: Please feel free to include a description of any other circumstances that might affect your family’s ability to afford swim lessons this summer.

Parent’s/Guardian’s Signature: _____ Date: _____

Please email your scanned and signed form with supporting documentation to vacscholarships@gmail.com

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