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# **Aquajets Swim Team Acquired by Newjets, Inc.**

**Newjets set to continue offering a USA Swim Team for families in the southwest metro.**

**Eden Prairie, MN** -- Newjets, Inc. (Newjets), a Minnesota non-profit corporation announces that it has acquired the Aquajets Swim Team (Aquajets) from an affiliate of the Foss Swim School organization. Newjets is a member-owned organization, governed by an elected board of directors. The Team will continue to be called the Aquajets Swim Team and will be a member of Minnesota Swimming and USA Swimming. “Jon and Susan Foss have provided the Aquajets with a great foundation, both financially and structurally, and we will continue to provide a high quality competitive swim program,” stated Steve Foster, a Newjets director. The Aquajets serve over 330 active swimmers, primarily from the southwest metro area, with practice locations in Eden Prairie, Plymouth and Chanhassen. The Team’s main practice location is the Aquajets Aquatic Center (AAC), a “state of the art” swimming facility in Eden Prairie located at 6545 Flying Cloud Drive. The AAC was completed in August 2006 and includes a team lounge, team offices, locker rooms and 2 competition swimming pools – an 8-lane pool with starting blocks and timing systems and a 5-lane warm water pool for younger swimmers. “We are very fortunate to have a dedicated pool and practice facility like the AAC,” said head coach Kate Lundsten, a 19 year veteran coach of Minnesota swimmers, “It allows us to really offer a special type of competitive swim program that meets the needs of every family and do it on our own terms.” The Aquajets are one of the few member teams of Minnesota Swimming that have their own swimming facility. In addition, the Aquajets work directly with The Edge Sports Training Centers ([www.edgesportstraining.com](http://www.edgesportstraining.com)) located within the AAC to offer flexibility and conditioning training programs to support the overall development of each swimmer. “The Aquajets recognized that it is very important to incorporate core flexibility training and conditioning into their regular practice regimen,” said Edge Manager Brian Wiersma, “the repetitive nature of competitive swimming requires a balanced approach to training, to achieve optimal results and reduce injuries.” The Edge operates a 10,000 square foot training center within the AAC.

For more information on the Aquajets Swim Team, please contact Georgia Eck, Team Administrator at (952) 351-9928 or email her at [geck@aquajets.com](mailto:geck@aquajets.com). The Team’s website is located at [www.Aquajets.com](http://www.Aquajets.com)