



TOPS YMCA Swim Team · 255 S Marion Street · Oak Park, IL 60302

2009 TOP\$wim Fundraiser

Dear

I swim competitively for the TOPS YMCA swim team. We are a YMCA and USA-Swimming team for the West Cook YMCA. Every year our team raises money for youth swimming activities by participating in a Swim-a-Thon. This year, our Swim-a-Thon will be held December 16, 2009.

There are many reasons to be proud of our team, and many reasons to raise money for team events for the coming season. My reason for wanting to swim in the Swim-a-Thon and help raise money for the team is because I love to swim and I am proud of our team. I want our team to be the best it can be and offer the best program that it can this year! If we do well on this fundraiser, our team will be able to buy extra training equipment, send our coaches to clinics and ensure we provide the best experiences possible for all our team members. Our YMCA swim team does not turn away members for inability to pay. Every year the West Cook YMCA offers scholarship assistance to hundreds of kids and families.

Here's how the TOP\$wim Swim-a-Thon works:

- 1) You make a flat pledge, just complete the form, place it in the return envelope along with your check (payable to: **TOPS/YMCA**), attach postage, and return it as soon as possible.
- 2) If you prefer, you may pledge a certain amount of money for each length of the pool that I swim within 2 hours, up to a maximum of 200 lengths. If you choose the per length amount, just complete the form below, place it in the return envelope, attach postage and return it as soon as possible. After I swim, our team will let you know how many lengths I completed and the total amount due for your donation. You may pledge any amount you like; both are **fully tax-deductible** contributions to the West Cook YMCA. If you would send the form back to TOPS before January 31, 2010, I would really appreciate it.

Thank you for supporting me!

Donor's Name:	
Address:	
Phone:	Email:
Swimmer's Name:	
YES! I have enclosed my check for a fixed donation in the amount of:	
<input type="checkbox"/> \$100.00 <input type="checkbox"/> \$75.00 <input type="checkbox"/> \$50.00 <input type="checkbox"/> \$25.00 <input type="checkbox"/> Other \$ _____	