

Ragin Cajun Water Ski Team

The Ragin' Cajuns Water Ski team was founded in 1988 and has won 7 National Championship titles over the past 30 years. Our most recent title coming October 2019. The Team is currently ran by Head Coach Ryan Gonzales and Captained by Harry Spavin. The Ragin Cajun waterski team has alumni which branch out into the local community as well as onto the Pro Waterski tour.

Currently the team is made up of water skiers from over 8 different countries, who train and compete together as a team.

The team trains in Lafayette at a private lake 10 minutes off campus, equipped with a brand-new slalom course, a jump and jump course, and a new boat each year. The lake is accessible 7 days a week, from sunrise to sunset. The team has its own boat house for storage of equipment. The site is run and maintained by the ski team to have the best training conditions possible.

The team competes within the South Central Region for Collegiate waterskiing where they travel to over 6 tournaments each year in Texas, Arkansas and Louisiana. Of those 6 tournaments we compete in the Regional Championships and then onto the National Championships each October which can be anywhere within the United States. We even host our own tournament each spring in Lafayette. All travel expenses to and from the tournaments as well as accommodation, entry fee, and food money is provided by the team.

There are no costs to being a member of the Ragin' Cajun Water Ski Team. The team will provide for you; team uniform including a team bib to wear when competing, a new boat each year as well as gas and maintance, expenses to and from tournaments with a food stipend.

If you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact Head Coach: Ryan Gonzales, Ryan@louisiana.edu Team Captain: Harry Spavin, Harry spav@hotmail.com