

## VESIRALLI

**By enrolling, you agree to the terms and service description listed below.**

All questions and notices related to Vesiralli to [uimakoulut@uimaseura-aquila.fi](mailto:uimakoulut@uimaseura-aquila.fi). This way we can ensure you a quick response.

**NB! Aquila's courses are Finnish-speaking.**

### 1. Ability groups

**Please note that we may transfer your child to a different ability group if their current swimming ability better aligns with the requirements of another group.**

Vesiralli has four ability groups:

#### **PIKKU-VESIRALLI: "Little Vesiralli"**

Pikku-Vesiralli (ENG. "Little Vesiralli") is suitable for **children aged 5 to 10** who are able to swim **10 meters continuously**. This group trains **mainly in the shallow learning and therapy pools**. In addition, the child must be able to participate independently without the presence of a guardian. Pikku-Vesiralli focuses on building confidence and movement in the water – through play-based activities.

#### **VESIRALLI #1**

Vesiralli #1 is suitable for **children aged 5 to 12** who have the ability to swim **25 meters continuously** both on their back and front. This group trains **mainly in the deep pool**. In addition, the child must be able to participate independently without the presence of a guardian. Vesiralli #1 focuses on developing confidence in water and body control through a variety of exercises. The main swimming styles practiced are freestyle and backstroke, with an introduction to breaststroke and butterfly as well.

#### **VESIRALLI #2**

Vesiralli #2 is suitable for **children aged 5 to 12** who have the ability to swim **50 meters continuously** both on their back and front. This group trains **in the deep pool**. In addition, the child must be able to participate independently without the presence of a guardian. Vesiralli #2 focuses on strengthening previously learned skills and building a strong foundation in all swimming strokes, not forgetting glides, turns, and starts.

### VESIRALLI #3

Vesiralli #3 is suitable for **children aged 7 to 12 who already have some experience in swimming as a hobby**. This experience may come from Vesiralli, the previous “Tekniikkaralli”, Kilpauintikoulu or a recreational swim group. In addition, the child must be able to participate independently without the presence of a guardian. In Vesiralli #3, swimmers can cover **hundreds of meters** during each one-hour session. Swimmers are expected to have **basic skills in all four swimming strokes**. From this group, it is possible to transition to a competitive swim group, if the hobby becomes more goal-oriented.

## 2. Why choose Vesiralli?

Vesiralli is a comprehensive swimming course designed for children. Vesiralli introduces the fundamentals of all swimming strokes and basic competitive swimming skills in a fun, yet challenging way. At its core, Vesiralli aims to build a strong and versatile foundation in swimming. Vesiralli focuses on improving confidence and body control in the water and overall swimming ability.

As body control is one of the main targets in Vesiralli, it fits excellently to all children – not just those who aim to swim competitively. The skills learned in Vesiralli support physical abilities needed in many other sports as well.

## 3. Enrollment

Enrollment for Vesiralli groups via Uimaseura Aquila’s MyClub-platform, at: <https://uimaseura-aquila.myclub.fi/flow/events/public>

You can register in the system in advance before the enrollment begins by selecting “REKISTERÖITYMINEN”. We recommend doing this ahead of time so that the enrollment process itself is quick and smooth. Please fill in all information accurately.

On MyClub, every child is enrolled individually with **their own personal account**. If you’re enrolling more than one child for swim schools, make every child their own personal account.

It is possible to join the queue for already ongoing sessions through the MyClub service.

Remember: **the groups’ requirements are absolute.**

During registration, please provide any additional information about factors that may affect the child’s learning, as well as any health-related matters that the swimming instructor or assistant should be aware of.

Make sure to add the parent’s own phone number in the “*mobile phone*” field. This ensures we can communicate quickly in urgent situations, such as illness or class cancellations.

As part of registration, we ask for permission for the child to move independently to and from the swimming hall. If the child does not have permission to do so, or if the field is left empty, the

instructor will wait with the child in the swimming hall lobby for the parent. If the instructor needs to attend to other tasks, the swimming hall's front desk staff will assist to ensure the child's safety.

Although the group practices some independent activity in the swimming hall environment, our instructors are always available to support and assist the children. The child should still be able to participate without the parent being present to ensure smooth participation in the group.

**By enrolling, you accept the course terms and agree to comply with them.**

## 4. Billing and payments

### Monthly-fee-based Vesiralli

The monthly payment for Vesiralli is sent once a month **as a bill** to the email provided in enrollment. The billing cycle for Vesiralli is one (1) calendar month. The terms of the bill are detailed in the email that contains the bill.

### Summer-Vesiralli

In Summer-Vesiralli, the payments are paid directly upon enrolling via an online bank service. If the payment isn't made within one (1) hour of enrolling, **the place is not reserved and is freed to the next enroller.**

## 5. Terms of cancelation and amendment

### Monthly-fee-based Vesiralli

Vesiralli's monthly payment will be billed (see 4. Billing and payments), if the Vesiralli has not been canceled.

You can cancel Vesiralli at any time.

**The cancellation will become effective at the end of the current billing cycle (1 calendar month)**

The current calendar month will be billed, so you can still participate in Vesiralli until the end of the calendar month. The next calendar month will no longer be billed. If lessons are canceled for the duration of a billing cycle (1 calendar month) or for longer, or the Vesiralli completely canceled due to sickness or injury, the unused lessons can be reimbursed – a medical certificate is required.

**Uimaseura Aquila ry only reimburses the lessons that are covered by the duration of the medical certificate.**

A canceled swim school cannot be rescheduled.

**Cancelations only via email [uimakoulut@uimaseura-aquila.fi](mailto:uimakoulut@uimaseura-aquila.fi).**

**Cancelations made through other means are not valid.**

If an enrollee or participant does not comply with the terms, or causes disturbances or safety risks through their behavior, the Vesiralli can be terminated immediately without any obligation to reimburse the payment.

### **Summer-Vesiralli**

A Summer-Vesiralli can be canceled or exchanged seven (7) days prior to the beginning of the first or only lesson.

**In cancelations, the payment will be returned minus a 5 euro service fee.**

The Summer-Vesiralli can only be exchanged if another Summer-Vesiralli has room for exchange.

A Summer-Vesiralli cannot be canceled or exchanged less than seven (7) days prior to the beginning of the first lesson. An uncanceled Summer-Vesiralli will be charged full.

If a lesson needs to be skipped or the Summer-Vesiralli needs to be completely canceled due to sickness or injury, the unused lessons can be reimbursed – a medical certificate is required.

**Uimaseura Aquila only reimburses the lessons that are covered by the duration of the medical certificate.**

A canceled Summer-Vesiralli cannot be rescheduled.

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Cancelations made through other means are not valid.**

If an enrollee or participant does not comply with the terms, or causes disturbances or safety risks through their behavior, the Summer-Vesiralli can be terminated immediately without any obligation to reimburse the payment.

### **5.1 CANCELLATION OF VESIRALLI**

If a lesson or the course must be canceled due to reasons beyond the control of Uimaseura Aquila, such as a pool malfunction or hygiene incident, Uimaseura Aquila is not obliged to refund the payment for the lesson or course.

If Uimaseura Aquila has to cancel the swim course, the full course fee or monthly payment will be refunded. If Uimaseura Aquila has to cancel the swim course after it has begun, the course fee will be refunded for the remaining lessons.

In the case of monthly fees, if Uimaseura Aquila has to cancel lessons for the duration of a billing cycle (1 calendar month), the monthly payment will be refunded. For shorter cancelations, we will notify the enrollee of the compensation policy as soon as possible.

Enrollees will be informed of any cancelations as soon as possible via email.

## 6. Group insurance

Participants are covered by Uimaseura Aquila ry's group accident insurance.

## 7. Guidelines for Vesiralli

The swimming hall is closed to the public during the lessons. Our personnel wait by the front doors until Vesiralli begins. After this, the doors are closed.

Vesiralli begins with taking attendance outside and ends when children are returned to the same place. **A guardian has to be present during returns.** If a guardian is late, our personnel will stay and wait with the child for their guardian to arrive.

If the child can **independently** come and go from the lessons, fill in "kyllä" (yes) for "lupa itsenäiseen liikkumiseen" when enrolling. If you haven't filled in "kyllä", the child will wait for their guardian after the lesson to ensure safety.

**Guardians are not allowed inside the swimming hall during the lessons.** For any possible "presentation lessons" guardians are informed via email.

A participant will need **a swimsuit, swim goggles, towel, a small sauna towel and personal hygiene products.** A **swimming cap** is optional. We recommend tying longer hair up.

Fill in "permission to photograph" carefully when enrolling: you can follow the progress of the course on our Instagram page [@uimaseura\\_aquila](https://www.instagram.com/uimaseura_aquila).

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**Uimaseura Aquila ry reserves the right to make changes.**