

Cascade Community Pool News

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Stay Afloat?

Due to the economy we have had to make some decisions as to how to keep our bills paid and yet offer the most reasonable prices possible for our clientele.

During the past year our bingo sessions ended up costing us more money than they earned. Gambling was one of the areas to first feel the effects of the economic downturn. And we have had to borrow money to pay off the debts we incurred with Bingo.

We must have enough income to cover our expenses which in the past 10 years have increased immeasurably. Constance Travesi said, "Joy can no longer bail us out, we, as a business have to stand on our own."

In order to do that we must expect all our programs to bring in revenue for the pool.

At the April 16th Board meeting the following prices were increased to take effect on **June 1st**.

Single Membership - \$25
Couple Membership - \$38
Youth Membership - \$14
Member Class - \$3.75

3 Day Fitness Class - \$20
2 Day Fitness Class - \$15
Non-member Lap - \$3.75
Non-Member Class - \$6.00

CLARITY DEPENDS ON SHOWERING!

We have been using phosphate remover in our pool and it has clarified our water.

Phosphates come from perfumes and underarm deodorant. A shower is mandated by the state before you enter the pool. If you are using deodorant/perfume a shower with soap is necessary to keep our water clear.

We were informed of our high phosphate level when TMI asked for a water sample to test our salt content. We now have a phosphate testing kit and will be monitoring our levels.

SUMMER DAILY SWIM LESSONS

We will have swim lessons 5 days a week for 4 sessions. In alignment with our making programs pay we will not have daily lessons during the rest of August. Lessons will run from : **12 to 1 P.M.**

June 15 - June 26
June 29 - July 10
July 13 - July 24
July 27 - August 7

Cost: \$35 - 1/2 Hour
\$50 - 1 Hour

\$\$\$FINANCES\$\$

Income \$24,291.71
Expenses \$33,034.93
Loss \$ 8,743.23

Pacific Power (\$955.65)
Avista (\$1,900.87)

ATTENDANCE
March, 2008 - 4,404
March, 2009 -

NEEDED!

Float Decorators
May 25th A.M.

SUMMER SCHEDULE

WILL START ON
June 1st - Monthly Lessons - evening session begins at 6:30 P.M.

June 3 - Wednesday Night Open Swim begins at 7:30 - 8:30

June 11 - Daily Open Swim 1 - 2 P.M.

June 15 - Daily Swim Lessons will begin

Noon Laps will end
June 16 - 7:30 - 8:30 Open Swim will begin on Tuesdays & Thursdays Note:

This is a change from our previous years. We will have swim lessons from 5:30 - 7:30 with open swim after lessons.

August 10 - Noon lap swim resumes

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WANTED!

E-mail addresses for sending Newsletter!

MEMORIAL DAY

PARADE
1:00 P.M.
May 25th

Pool will be closed on Memorial Day Monday, May 25th

UPCOMING EVENTS

-  May swim lessons begin on May 5th
- May 25th Memorial Day Parade in White City
- June 3rd - open swim begins on Wednesdays 7:30 - 8:30
- June 11th Open swim from 1 - 2 P.M. daily throughout the summer
- June 15th - Daily Swim Lessons begin
- June 16th - Open swim begins on Tues. & Thurs 7:30 - 8:30

Member News

Two of our pool family have passed away since our last Newsletter. **Mark Parara** from Butte Falls had been swimming laps in our pool off and on since 2001.

Edna Brandt passed away in April as the result of a brain tumor. It wasn't long ago that she was attending the back wellness class with her daughter, **Barbara Schmaltz**.

John Linder recently had surgery on his back. It was an out-patient procedure and he should have less pain and numbness once the swelling goes down..

Virginia Cohoon developed a serious back pain. An MRI identified her problem as two compression fractures. She had out-patient back surgery. **Virginia** had no idea that she had osteoporosis until they did a bone density scan after her pain became so severe.

Vella Munn had her other hip replaced within a couple of months time of the first hip. She has recuperated faster than the norm for hip replacement recovery. She was back at the pool last week.

Three of our employees will graduate from Eagle Point High School in June. **Tom Robinson**, a lifeguard and swim lesson teacher, goes to Marine Boot Camp the last week in June. **Alison Dodenhoff**, evening office clerk, will go to OTI in September aiming for a nursing degree. **Anthony Jose**, a swim lesson teacher, will be attending Rogue Community College and working full time with his father.



KUDOS TO OUR DONATORS

We sent out a bulk mailing in February asking for donations to help us pay the difference between our expenses and our income. We want to thank all of our donators for being so generous. We collected **\$6,309**.

Listed below are the donators we wish to thank!

Kenneth Alston & Ann Kalafut, Doug Van Gordon, Shirley Owen, Randall Hale, Charles & Margaret Howe, Christine George, Patti Ekdahl, Lorraine Horn, Edward & Mimi Kluk, Talley Dunn, Debbie Kenton, Donna Cox, Thomas & Bev Jensen, Kendall Harrison, John Linder, Shirley Reger, Cari Domis, Merle Wilson, Grange Co-op, Kathie Bray, Georgia Dover, Betty & Bert Bovee, Suzi Collins, Joy Reich, Mary Hoag, Jonathan Williams, Knife River, Judi Loveless, Sue Campanelli, Jeanette Bakke, Cari Hinesley, Robert Baehr, Mary Arias, Karen Christensen, Jonah & Noel Parsons, Roberta McKenzie

MEMORIAL DAY PARADE

We plan to have a float in the parade. If you have a flatbed-truck or trailer we can use please call us. We would need it on May 24th & 25th.

LOST & FOUND

Found: heart necklace turned in after Open Swim on Wednesday, April 15th. Call the pool and identify it.

USE THE INTERNET TO MAKE MONEY FOR THE POOL

If you use GoodSearch through Yahoo as your search engine and designate the Cascade Community Pool we will earn 1 cent every time you use the search engine.

If you plan to purchase something on line go to GoodShop.com, list Cascade Community Pool as your favorite charity and a percentage of your purchase will be given to the pool. Some of the stores listed are Wal-Mart, Target, Sears, Amazon, etc. You can also check and see how much money the pool has earned through this venture.

SWIM TEAM NEWS

Eight swimmers competed in the Wolf Spring Splash & Dash Meet held in the OTI Pool in Klamath Falls on April 18th.

Competing were: Kaylee Boutwell, Nick, Brown, Caitlyn Camden, Melissa Camden, Stephen Camden, Aaron Hreha, Brittany Hreha, and Charlotte Hreha.

Results of the meet were published in the *Upper Rogue Independent* on Tuesday, April 28th. For a copy of the article see Joy or Rae.

STROKE IMPROVEMENT?

Carol will offer a class to improve your swimming stroke if we have enough students to fill the class for eight lessons.

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