

January 2020

Dear Green Woods Swim Club Members,

Happy New Year and welcome to the 2020 season! We are excited to start the new year with three new board members with new perspective, but our vision of offering a fantastic summer swim club has not changed. Our current board information <u>can be found here</u>. In order to properly begin this year, I must say thanks to the people who made 2019 a successful summer.

First, thanks are due to YOU, the members, who trusted our board to make big changes. Although the season came with a few hiccups, concerns and a lot of faith, we were able to pull off a major renovation much faster than our anticipated timeline with a stunning result. I'm sure you'll agree that the main pool renovation and addition of the stairs were wonderful and needed changes.

Second, thank you to the board who all contributed countless hours meeting with vendors, contractors, reviewing financials, making phone calls, meeting with members and doing a vast amount of research needed to help our pool be the best that it can be today! To our outgoing president, Keith Crecco, we are grateful for your many years of service and dedication. Our other outgoing board members have spent many hours dedicated to our pool, and for that, we appreciate your service. Many thanks to Amy Calhoun and Connie Logan for your service.

Finally, thank you to Bruce Schealer, our pool manager, and the entire guard staff for your assistance in making sure our pool was safe, well-staffed and clean and going out of your way to make sure that each and every member was enjoying his/her stay.

This year, we will be completing the pool renovations with the overhaul of the baby pool. The baby pool will include a larger shallow entry area for young babies/children, small fountains and new tile and coping. We hope this will appeal to many of our families with small children. Please remember that swimming in the baby pool is at your own risk and members are responsible for watching their children to ensure their safety.

In order to pay for these great renovations, we are in the second year of our two-year special assessment. As a board, we agreed that we did not want to raise dues in order to pay for the pool renovation. In 2019, members paid \$200 toward the renovations, and the second installment of \$200 must be paid with your dues payment by March 1. If you are in a financial position to contribute any additional amounts to the pool, we have several other projects that have recently been put on hold in order to cover the cost of the baby pool renovation. If you have any other questions or would like to speak to one of the board members about this information, please reach out to us at info@greenwoodspool.com. We are happy to meet and discuss these projects with you.

Prior to the start of the 2020 swim season, please remember to look over and review the pool rules, especially with young swimmers. The rules have been created to ensure the safety of every swimmer at our club. As always, if you have an issue with the rules, or anything at the Green Woods Swim Club, please speak first with the manager on duty. If your issue is not handled to your satisfaction, you may contact a board member to discuss further. Our pool management company is working to make sure that our staff is ready to keep us safe.

In order to best communicate with the membership this year, we will continue to use Mail Chimp to send email blasts, as well as the Green Woods Club Facebook Page. If you have not been receiving emails and you would like to, please email info@greenwoodspool.com with your first and last name as well as your preferred email address(es).

We appreciate your support and continued dedication to Green Woods Swim Club. We are ready for a fantastic season ahead and we hope you are as well! We look forward to seeing you soon! If you have any ideas or you are interested in helping us with any projects, we would love to hear from you.

Membership dues will be accepted on February 1 and must be paid by Sunday, March 1, 2020. It is each member's responsibility to pay dues on time via E-Soft Membership Payment System (which can be found on our website, or by clicking this link) and to read all the emails that are sent from the Communications chair.

2020 Membership Dues (dues structure is the same as 2019)	
Number of Members	Dues Cost
1	\$320
2	\$395
3	\$460
4	\$525
5	\$590
6	\$645
7	\$690
8	\$735
9	\$780
10	\$825
Caretaker	\$100
Plus additional \$200 special assessment	

The pool will open for the 2020 season on Saturday, May 23 at 12:00 noon. We hope to see you there! Sincerely,

Kelly Figueroa President Green Woods Swim Club