



LAKE SHEWOOD CLUB NEWSLETTER 2011-2012

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The Board of Directors of Lake Sherwood Swim Club is in the process of finalizing the details for this summer's exciting and fun time around the club and pool. Please review the Newsletter and complete the membership form.

Our Club has and continues to undergo some remarkable changes to make your family's summer more fun than ever. Recently the following improvements have been made. Last year we installed **new pool lights**, added **new pool furniture**, **new tennis court lighting**, **lovely new landscaping and a sprinkler system**. The **pool resurfacing and retiling** 2 years ago. That's more than \$45,000 of improvements. How's a new PA and audio/visual system sound, a new roof as well as improvements to the interior of the club house, computerized swim team scoring, more deck with shading? These items may be in the plans in the near future. We want to make this the best facility in Baton Rouge.

We are also trying to increase the social aspect of the Swim Club for both the children and adults. We need your help in volunteering to chair one or more of these social activities. We would like to continue and/or organize such activities as dance lessons, wine tastings, Halloween get-together, margarita parties, football parties, pizza and movie nights and much, much more. Get with a friend or two and make one of these activities your own fun project. You may even have an idea of your own.

Volunteering is a great way to meet other members and a way to accomplish improvements that you would like see happen at the club and pool. It certainly takes a village to make this a great place for your family to play all summer long. The only paid employees are the summer pool staff (Swim Coach, Club Manager and Lifeguards) and contractors for larger projects needed around the Pool/Club house. For the most part, we depend on volunteers for everything else. Volunteers serve on your Board of Directors and at regular committee meetings make decisions of how to sustain and continue to improve the club for all to enjoy. We are constantly looking for members to serve on the Board and bring fresh ideas to the table. If you are interested in giving a little time please contact one of the Board members listed in this Newsletter. **We want you to be involved.**

Read on and get your group together as soon as you can.

We are looking forward to a great summer of “**fun in the sun**”. Please come join us for all of the pool activities and programs. Along with the swim team activities, we are making plans for swimming lessons, and club parties for children and adults alike. Watch your email, the bulletin boards at the entrances to the subdivision and postings at the pool for times and dates. You can even have a birthday or club party around the pool by reserving the gazebo for 2 hours (**free of charge**). It's all here just waiting for you! See the website for specifics: www.lakesherwoodacres.com



**POOL PARTY-June 4th
2-4**

A great time to meet the new folks around the pool!!



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If you are not a resident of Lake Sherwood Subdivision and want to be a pool/club member, please complete the attached membership registration form. You may choose an **ANNUAL FAMILY** membership of \$350, or \$325 prior to April 15th, (**least expensive price in town**) or the **SPECIAL SWIM TEAM ONLY MEMBERSHIP** of \$75 per child (for each child participating on the swim team only). No club membership privileges accompany the Swim Team membership. A separate Swim Team fee also applies to both types of memberships.

The **ANNUAL FAMILY** membership entitles you to unlimited use of the pool (seasonal) with guest privileges, year round clubhouse rentals, grounds rentals, invites to social activities and use of the tennis courts.

GUEST FEES are \$3.00 per guest (other than members' grandchildren, out of town guests, and full-time babysitters). These fees are payable at the pool gate to the lifeguard on duty. Guests' identification will also be required at the pool gate.

**Tell your family, friends and neighbors about our great facilities.
Please take copies of this application or email the entire newsletter to them.**



POOL HOURS THE POOL WILL BE OPEN FULL TIME May 28th thru September 5th

May and June:	Mon. thru Sat. 11-8:30	Sun. 1-8
July thru Aug.7:	Mon. thru Sat. 11-7:30	Sun. 1-7:30
Aug 13- Sept. 5:	Sat. 11-7:30	Sun 1-6
Sept. 5 Labor day	11:00 -6:00	(LAST DAY)

The pool will only be open on weekends after August 13th thru September 5th due to our lifeguards being back in school. July 4th is also a shortened day due to families heading off before dark to see the fireworks.

CLUB HOUSE RENTALS – Take advantage of the great club house facilities all year round. Use the club house, pool and/or the grounds for swimming parties, weddings, graduation parties, birthday parties, meetings, office parties, crawfish boils, family reunions, etc.

Please contact **Greg Charlton at 335-9101 or greg.charlton@cox.net** for information and rental fees. If you would like to have a private party in the pool area during the regular season, a Certified Lifeguard must be provided at \$10- \$12 per hour.



GAZEBO AND POOL PARTIES – The gazebo can be reserved for 2 hour poolside parties. There is no charge, only a \$3.00 guest fee for any guests that are not Club members. However, there is a limit to the number of guests you can include.

Please call the **Greg Charlton at 335-9101** for reservations and see the website for details.

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“LAKERS” SWIM TEAM – Keep those kids in shape this summer!!! -- Open to ages 4 thru High School. You’ll enjoy the competition as well as meeting new friends. Practice starts TBA after school with the exact time still to be determined. There are 3 to 5 swim meets per summer in addition to the City Meet at LSU which is in mid July. The meet schedule will be announced later. Meets are Thursday afternoons or Saturday mornings. Sign up early so you won’t miss the chance to be part of the excitement. You can email **Elaine Meroney** at emeroney@cjbrown.com or call her at **292-0904**. Go to the website for swim team applications. Swim team fees are \$75 for the first child and discounted for additional children. The fee includes a team t-shirt. After May 31st, a late fee of \$7.50 per swimmer will apply. **This is great fun and exercise for the kids.**

SWIM TEAM VOLUNTEERS – Here’s a quick and easy way to get involved with your pool and your children’s swim team activities. There are several opportunities to help at the swim meets. We need timers, place judges, scorers, clerks of course and concessionaires. See **Elaine Meroney** and they will be happy to give you the particulars of each job and their availability. It’s a lot more fun when you get involved plus the bonus is that you get the best views of all of the races!!!!!!!!!!!!

SWIMMING LESSONS

(Also known as the junior swimteam)

**Call Erica Allen at 328-3514 or 31020@sjamail.net
(she is a student so please do not call during the day while school is still in session)**



Yes, Swimming Lessons are open to families that are not members. Tell your friends!

IDEAS, IDEAS, IDEAS - If you have any ideas about how to make your Clubhouse, Pool or Tennis facilities and activities better and more fun we would love to hear from you! We are always looking for fresh and new ideas. Again, you are always welcomed to offer suggestions to any Board Member to be brought up at meetings. You are also welcomed to volunteer your time and talents in coordinating any of the improvements and/or activities.

**HAVE A GREAT AND SAFE SUMMER - SEE YOU AT THE POOL!!!
Call us anytime with questions, ideas or suggestions!!!**

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