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Welcome to the 2017 swim season! As we have expressed in previous correspondence, this will be a season of transition as we complete construction of a new facility that will serve the Swim Club and the Innis Arden neighborhood for the next 50+ years. We appreciate your support and flexibility this year.

The primary goal of the volunteer Swim Club Board is to ensure that our members have a safe and enjoyable swimming experience. The construction will create additional challenges this year. To help address those challenges and minimize the disruption to the members, the Board has hired additional staff at the managerial level for the 2017 season. We are pleased to announce that **Will Lowell** and **Scott Lutz** will manage the pool this summer. We are confident that they will anticipate and address all your needs this summer.

We are targeting an opening date of Saturday, May 20, 2017. There are several elements of the construction that must come together to hit that date, but we are confident it will happen. We will keep you advised by email as the season approaches. The pool is scheduled to close on Sunday, September 10, 2017 (dates may be adjusted if weather permits).

2017 Membership Renewal Information – PLEASE READ!

Membership renewal will be online through our website. The site is designed to replace all of the paper forms previously required.

How will it work? Once online registration is open, you will receive an email with detailed instructions. Follow the instructions in that email to access the membership renewal pages on the website. Through the website, you will provide all of the required information that was previously submitted on the paper forms, including the names of family members on your membership, emergency contact information for your children and grandchildren and required team forms. You will then mail in a check for your payment.

2017 Dues and Fees

Annual Membership Dues for 2017 will remain at the same level as 2016. The Capital Improvement Fee for 2017 will be \$250. This fee is paid by all members to fund the debt service on the loan taken for the remodel. The Capital Improvement Fee was introduced in 2016 and will continue until the debt is retired. The one-time Initiation Fee will be increased each year in an amount that is at least as much as the previous year’s Capital Improvement Fee. This will ensure that new members joining will pay their fair share of the debt service.

Summary of 2017 Dues and Fees

Category	New Member Initiation	Annual Dues	Activity	Fee
Resident	\$1,600	\$760	Children Swim Team per child	\$137
Limited Use Resident	N/A	\$420	Adult Swim Team per adult	\$39
Legacy	N/A	\$890	Water Polo per child (member)	\$93
Annual Use Permit Holder	\$2,100	\$1,050	Water Polo per child (Non-Member)	\$110
Capital Improvement Fee (all membership categories)		\$250	Water Aerobics (10 sessions)	\$45

Swim lessons rates and registration details will be available in the office and on the website after the pool opens.

We have space available for new resident members. If you know of anyone interested in joining the swim club, please let them know about the opportunity. Visit the membership page of the website or email Laurra McGregor at: Laurram@hotmail.com to obtain information about memberships.

Required Volunteer Hours

Last year we logged approximately **1,500 volunteer hours!** There were several members that were not able to fulfill their required hours in 2016 and did not pay the buy-out. These members will be receiving an invoice for the unfulfilled hours.

We have made just a few changes for 2017 based on your feedback and based on what we learned last year. The volunteer Board has adopted the following Volunteer Hour Requirements, effective for the 2017 season:

- Families that have children participating in Swim Team or Water Polo: 12 hours per season
- Families that do not have children participating in Swim Team or Water Polo: 2 hours per season
- Limited Use Members: No required hours

Members can choose to “buy out” their required volunteer hours at the following amounts:

- Families that have children participating in Swim Team or Water Polo: \$300
- Families that do not have children participating in Swim Team or Water Polo: \$50

Please note the volunteer hour requirement is per membership. To facilitate this program, we will again be using web-based software called iVolunteer. This program will allow us to use an online sign up process, send email reminders, track hours, etc. We will advise the membership by email when the iVolunteer site is live.

Notice of Annual Membership Meeting

The Annual Membership Meeting will be held on Tuesday, June 6, 2017 at 7:00 p.m. in the Innis Arden Clubhouse. We would like to encourage all members to attend. At this meeting, the membership will nominate and vote for volunteer Board of Directors positions. The two-year board terms of Anne Alonzi-Aw, Alecia Craft, Jeri Jacobsen and Chuck Meyer end this year. We expect that there will be at least one opening on the Board. If you are interested in this opportunity, please contact Lance Blair (president@innisardenswimclub.com) or any other Board member.

We are hiring lifeguards!

Please see the following link for more information: [Lifeguard Job Posting](#).

Reminder – watch for your renewal email!

Please be sure to watch for your renewal email that will be coming in the next few days. It will come from Membership Chair Laurra McGregor. If you have not received a renewal email by April 10, please contact Laurra at Laurram@hotmail.com.

For questions or more information about anything in this letter, please contact Lance Blair at 206-719-7781 or lanceblair@comcast.net. See you at the pool!