

Rose Tree Woods Swim Club 2007 News Briefs

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What's New in '07?

As we strive to continue to make RTW the best choice for our members, we have undertaken two significant projects this off season.

First, we have totally renovated the kiddie pool into a larger full-functioned wading pool. This pool will have zero-entry access (walk straight in on non-skid tiles), pop jets and an 8' high Dew Drop (mushroom) feature the kids will really enjoy!

In addition, we are replacing all the cement decking between the new pool and the T-pool as well as upgrading the drainage to provide sufficient storm water management.

Please check out the www.RoseTreeWoods.org News page for pictures of the progress being made.

Pool Cleanup Volunteers wanted.

Watch www.RoseTreeWoods.org for weekend schedules in May. Everyone is invited to help!

Invoice changes

This year, we are asking each family to clearly print the names, birth dates, relationships (son, daughter, spouse, etc.), and email addresses (optional) for each family member. We are investigating having an external company prepare our invoices and membership cards, and an up-to-date membership database is required. You may be asked to verify that people (adults and children) on your membership have the same permanent address.

Babysitter / Nanny Membership

A babysitter/nanny membership is available. This membership card is issued to one person, and that person can only be at the pool with the child/children he/she is babysitting. The babysitter membership is only \$100 for the entire season.

Waiting List

At this time, we have a waiting list. Please encourage your friends and neighbors to place their names on the waiting list by submitting an on-line application on www.RoseTreeWoods.org.

Swim & Dive Team

Swim Team tryouts will be held **Sunday, May 20th at Suburban Swim Club from 5:30-6:30 PM**. Everyone interested in joining the team should attend. Swimmers must be able to swim at least 1 lap of free style and 1 lap of backstroke to make the Varsity team. All current team members are invited to swim and hang out.

In 2007, RTW will have a pre-team primarily for 5-10 year olds interested in swimming, but not yet proficient in backstroke and freestyle. Goals of the pre-team are to have fun, learn to swim, take part in mini-meets, and eventually to join the Varsity team. All pre- team members are entitled to join the team at all events including the team banquet at the end of the season. To join the pre-team, each swimmer must be able to safely and confidently swim 2 laps continuously and tread water for 1 minute. The Swim coaches have the final decision for all swim team members.

Swim Lessons

Swim lessons will be available again this year. Lessons consist of 4 - ½ hour sessions. The cost is \$70 for private lessons and \$35 for group lessons. All lessons are taught by the Swim Team Coaches and senior swim team members.

Basketball League – RTW Hoops

RTW Hoops will return in 2007! If you are interested, look for a registration form when the pool opens!

Opening Day is Saturday, May 26th.