

# POOL PRESS

July 2008

## Project Update

Below is a list of a few projects that we've been working on:

- As an added safety feature, an epoxy product with more anti-slip material was added to the first ten feet of the zero-depth entry as well as the top two stairs of the outdoor pool late May.
- Painting of the shower areas and replacing of the toilet paper holders is scheduled in mid/late July.
- Toilet flushing has been repaired.
- New blue chairs in the gazebos were added in June for a little extra comfort.
- For a little extra shade, new umbrellas in the concession area have been ordered
- We appreciate your patience with the new ID system. We have had a few issues with it and continue to solve each one. In the event the check in system is not available, we manually record names on a tracking sheet.
- We also appreciate your patience with the shower water temperature. We have had a plumber work on the issues and we will continue to monitor it.

## Training



Mock emergency scenario's were practiced with lifeguards and the fire department on July 7 & 8 to keep us "fresh" and on our "toes".

## Free Memberships



For membership appreciation, on June 20 FIVE FREE memberships for 2009 were given away at the Luau and Dive-In Movie event. The recipients were Colleen and Brian Carboni, Carie Benne,

Kathy Nuckols, Jenn McConnell and Staci and James Bradley. Kids had fun playing games during the luau. Join us on Aug. 15 for another Luau & Dive in Movie (Bee Movie). See back side for more details.

## Makos on the Move



The Montgomery Makos swim team is 120 strong under the coaching direction of Christy White. Coach Christy said that the swimmers are learning a lot, working hard and having fun. The Makos Team has had 5 great swim meets. In fact, they placed 1st at the Rolling Hills Invitational. The team's last home meet is scheduled on Thursday, July 17 and championships are at the end of July at Miami University. Good luck Makos!

## Learn to Swim

So far this summer, 114 kids have learned the life skill of swimming during swim lessons at Montgomery Pool. Upcoming sessions are: **July 21—31** & on **Aug 4—14**. For more information, visit [www.montgomeryohio.org](http://www.montgomeryohio.org).

# What do you think?

Watch for the 2008 pool survey. We want to know what you think of the pool and services this summer so we can make improvements for next season.



Pool Heating has been the number one request on past surveys so we are asking for your thoughts with this survey.

## Special Events

Mark your calendars now for the events below to make your summer a fun and memorable one!

**Splash-tacular Friday, July 18, 1-3 p.m.** Join us for pool games and prizes! Who has the biggest cannonball splash? How “low can you go” with the limbo contest?



**Beach Party and Dive-in Movie (Bee Movie) on Friday, Aug 15.** Don't miss the Beach Party! A live DJ and free sno-cones will start at 5:30, pool games at 6:30 p.m. and the movie will begin at dusk. Curl up together on the lounge chairs and join us for Bee Movie. The concession area will be open and don't forget to bring towels/blankets to keep warm during the movie.



**Doggie Swim, Monday, Sept 1, 5-8 p.m.**

Join us for a ‘K-9 Kerplunk’ at the pool! Dogs of all breeds and sizes are invited to go for an end of the summer dip at the Pool before the pool is closed for the summer. Dogs must be people friendly and non-aggressive towards other dogs and—of course—a swimmer of some sort. Pets of members swim for free (\$3 for non-members). Remember to always be courteous of others and clean up after your pets. So, bring your pooch to cool off, have fun and let's get those paws wet.



## Tuesday Kids Hour



Every Tuesday from 3-4 p.m. through August 19, the City Recreation Department will be coordinating games for kids for a little extra fun for your family this summer.

From sponge relays to animal origami, the kids have had a fun time during this hour.

## Contact Us

Your pool managers are **Kelsey Hartzell** and **Michelle Veite**. You may ask for them at the pool front desk or call the pool desk staff at 985-1640.

**Julie Machon**, the Assistant Recreation Director for the City of Montgomery is interested in your thoughts as the valued patrons of the pool and you may contact her at 792-8316 or at [jmachon@ci.montgomery.oh.us](mailto:jmachon@ci.montgomery.oh.us).

Don't hesitate to contact us for any reason. We want you to have an enjoyable and safe summer!