

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

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(Membership)
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POOL DIRECTORS

Position Open

Vicki Schuster
(Pool Reservations)
805-494-9098

TREASURER

Jim Welter
805-496-4742

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Eric Vigna
805-494-3998

Update From John Hollister

Happy New Year! Unbelievable, it's 2009. With the beginning of a new year, a couple of changes are occurring around the Club. First, Jim Welter, our Treasurer, has offered to take over the vacant Pool Director position. While this is a big help, it leaves an open position on the board. We need a Treasurer. Jim has modernized our finance system by putting all of our accounting onto a QuickBooks software program. This is a huge help for billing, record keeping, and bill payment. If someone in our membership is interested in this position, please give me a call (805-495-8869). It would be great to find another person with some background in finance. The perfect person would be familiar with QuickBooks. Having said this, neither a finance background nor familiarity with the software is required.

The second change will involve a re-keying of the Club. We looked into putting in electronic keys and an automatic gate and found that it was more than we could justify. In the next couple of weeks, each of you will be receiving a new key. Shortly after all keys have been sent out, we will switch the locks out. Those of you who have purchased a second key and are interested in getting a replacement will need to send us your two keys. We will send you the replacement at no cost. This will be explained in the mailing. It has been nearly ten years since the last re-keying process. Over time, a number of keys get lost or are unaccounted for. Also, with the QuickBooks, we will have a better mechanism to link key numbers and Members.

Lastly, we've had a few evenings lately where some presumably young people have been using the Club for drinking beers. Please monitor your keys. While it's possible that the kids are jumping the fence, it's also possible that it's one of our own. Thanks and may 2009 bring health and happiness to you all.

John Hollister

The Club Has a Website!

Check out our new website at www.conejofamilycountryclub.com. You can book a party, get a copy of the pool rules and get information about upcoming events. Check it out and let us know if you have any suggestions or photos you'd like to add.

Club Treasurer Position Open

Our current Treasurer, Jim Welter, is switching gears to become our new Pool Director. If someone in our membership is interested in the Treasurer position, please call John Hollister at 495-8869.

The Treasurer is responsible for membership billing, record keeping, and bill payment. A background in finance and/or QuickBooks is desirable, but not required.

Clean-Up Day & Annual Meeting

Clean-Up day will probably be held earlier this year. We are looking at Saturday, April 18th or 25th, depending on whether we can get a dumpster from the City. The Board is also looking to combine Clean-Up Day with our annual all-member meeting and possibly turn it into a BBQ get-together. We'll keep you posted!

Parties at the Club

Groups of five or more constitute a party and need to be reserved through Pool Director Vicki Schuster. To reach Vicki, you may either call her at 494-9098 or e-mail her at vicki3@gmail.com. Also, the club's insurance policy does not allow for jumpers on the property, and if you are using the pool you are required to hire a certified lifeguard.

Also, I would like to clean out the inside of the cabinet before the start of summer. Therefore, **please check the lost and found items in the cabinet by the end of January**. In February I will either dispose of or donate remaining items.

Membership Update

Has another year gone by and you haven't used the pool again? Are your kids older or out of the house? Perhaps you would like to consider selling your pool membership? There are 14 people on the wait list.

We would like to welcome the following families who have joined in the last quarter: Jaimie and Christie Grough and their two teens, Russ & Kristen Collins and their two young daughters, and the Fousts and their twins.

If you want to sell your membership, please call DonnaRae Caccavo at 805-373-1407. You can also e-mail her at donnarae_inc@yahoo.com. Memberships are selling for \$1,000, which goes directly to the seller. In addition there is a \$100 transaction/assessment fee that goes to CFCC.

GO GREEN! If you'd like to start receiving your newsletter via e-mail, please send your e-mail address to Susan Duenas at susanduenas@msn.com.