WILTONDALE POOL COMMITTEE

WILTONDALE IMPROVEMENT ASSOCIATION, INC.

February 2017

Dear Friends and Neighbors,

Welcome to the 2017 Wiltondale Pool season!

Your dedicated pool committee and staff are gearing up for another exciting summer at our beloved neighborhood hub. New and returning members can look forward to programs such water aerobics, the 10 Mile Swim Challenge and basketball, as well as our popular holiday picnics, adult, teen, and float nights, and the event of the summer for kids: the annual sleepover.

The Pool Committee, along with the Pool Renovation Committee have been working since last summer to ensure that our renovated facility is up and running by Memorial Day. This has involved an incredible amount of work and we are excited about the positive changes it will bring to our facilities. Please be patient with us as we will likely still be putting final touches on things when the pool opens.

We want to thank our wonderful Swim Team Committee as they plan for Wiltondale Warriors' fifth season with the Free State Swim League, and continue their mission of fun-for-all. Our pool will have the pleasure of hosting four home meets this season, and we encourage all of our members to join this community effort, wear their purple, and cheer for our Warriors!

American Pool LLC will again manage our facility this summer and is in the process of hiring a manager and lifeguards. Many new and familiar faces will welcome and serve you and your family, and maintain Wiltondale Pool's high standards for safety.

Two key internet resources are:

- 1. Our website: http://wiltondale.org/pool/
- 2. Our facebook page: bit.ly/WiltondalePool

Sing up for pool announcement and closures through Wiltondale Pool's RainedOut alert: https://www.rainedout.net/team_page.php?a=da9840d94c0433d387e0.

Please direct any questions or concerns to poolcommittee@wiltondale.org

Here's to a safe and wonderful 61st season!

Garret Glennon Chair, 2017 Pool Committee

MEMBERSHIP DUES FOR 2017

ANNUAL DUES :	RESIDENTS	NON-RESIDENTS
Family Membership	\$475.00	\$500.00
Married Membership (and Single Parent & Single Child)	\$400.00	\$420.00
Single Adult Membership	\$325.00	\$335.00
Senior Married (60+) Wiltondale Residents and Non-Resident bondholders only	\$250	\$275
Senior Individual (60+) Wiltondale Residents and Non-Resident bondholders only	\$150	\$175
Caregiver Membership	\$75.00	\$100.00
GUEST FEES :		
Guests:	\$5.00	
Water Aerobics Class guest	\$5.00	

PAYMENT OF DUES:

To renew your membership for the 2017 season, log into the <u>membership website</u>. If you do not remember your login information, you can request that it be sent to you on the login page or contact <u>pool@wiltondale.org</u>. After logging in, be sure to update your email address and then head to the memberships section to renew your membership. If you are not a resident of the Wiltondale neighborhood, be sure to choose the appropriate Non-Resident membership option. For those members who pre-paid the \$300 pool assessment in 2016, select "Already Paid" in the dropdown box under the Initiation/Assessment Fee section. If you are not sure if you pre-paid the pool assessment, contact <u>pool@wiltondale.org</u> BEFORE renewing your membership.

For those families including a caregiver with a membership, be sure to select the caregiver add-on option prior to submitting your renewal. If you do not have a name of a summer caregiver yet, indicate TBD or leave blank (this information can be updated prior to opening day).

Please plan to pre-purchase your guest passes when you renew your membership. Guest passes pre-purchased at renewal are discounted (\$3.00 vs. \$5.00 each). You have the option to purchase up to 20 discounted guest passes with your renewal.

Your membership renewal is due by **April 30, 2017**, and your account will not be active until payment has been received. Any memberships purchased after April 30 will be subject to a \$50 late fee. The Wiltondale Pool Annual Letter for 2017 will be sent out separately and will outline all the exciting events and activities we have planned for 2017.

Should you have any questions about your membership, or if you encounter any technical issues, please email pool@wiltondale.org.

PLEASE VISIT THE WEB SITE TO VIEW THE ENTIRE CALENDAR OF EVENTS AND DETAILS OF ALL POOL FUNCTIONS

2017 SEASON SCHEDULE

Pre-Season:

Friday	May 26	4:00 p.m 9:00 p.m.
Saturday	May 27	10:00 a.m 8:00 p.m.
Sunday	May 28	10:00 a.m 8:00 p.m.
Monday	May 29	10:00 a.m 8:00 p.m. (Memorial Day)
Tuesday-Thursday	May $30 - 6/1$	4:00 p.m 7:00 p.m.
Friday	June 2	4:00 p.m 9:00 p.m.
Saturday	June 3	10:00 a.m 8:00 p.m.
Sunday	June 4	10:00 a.m 8:00 p.m.
Monday-Thursday	June 5-8	4:00 p.m 7:00 p.m.
Friday	June 9	4:00 p.m 9:00 p.m.

In-Season:

Saturday June 10 In-Season Hours Begin

Hours:

Sunday-Thursday*	10:00 a.m 9:00 p.m.
Friday	10:00 a.m 10:00 p.m.
Saturday	10:00 a.m 10:00 p.m.

^{*} The pool closes early on swim meet nights, adult nights and other special events. Please check website.

Last Day of the In-Season: Sunday, Sept. 3rd

Post Season:

Monday	Sept 4	10:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m.
Tuesday – Thursday	Sept 5-7	4:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.
Friday	Sept 8	4:00 p.m 10:00 p.m.
Saturday	Sept 9	10:00 a.m 4:00 p.m.
Sunday	Sept 10	10:00 a.m 5:30 p.m.

5:31 p.m. - 6:00 p.m. DOG SWIM

ADULT NIGHTS

Check the website for further details. Initial plans for adult nights are below. Adult Nights take place from 7:30-10:30 p.m. on scheduled dates. Please sign up in advance and secure your ticket. On Adult Night evenings, the pool will close at 6:30 p.m. and reopen at 7:30 p.m.

The pool will be available for any nonparticipating **adult** members to swim. **Door Prizes** will again be included in our usual fun. Ideas and/or donations for the door prizes are always welcome.

Thursday June 29 Summer Kickoff! **FREE** *Reservations must be made by June 22*.

Wednesday July 19 **FREE** Bring an appetizer or dessert to share.

Tuesday Aug 22 Stay tuned for details including theme and ticket price. Reservations must

be made by August 15.

FAMILY & FLOAT NIGHTS

Every Friday night is Family Night at Wiltondale Pool! Invite your friends, pack dinner, and bring your family to the pool to wrap up your week!

On **three** designated Friday nights during the summer from 6:00 - 8:00 p.m., our main pool will allow floats. For safety reasons, only single-person, open-center floats, rings and noodles will be permitted in the main pool. No rafts allowed. The pool manager, assistant manager, and lifeguards reserve the right to restrict any floats deemed to be unsafe, or limit the number of floats and swimmers in the pool at any given time. The dates are as follows:

Friday, June 16 Friday, July 7 Friday, August 18

MIDDLE SCHOOL NIGHTS

This event is for students entering sixth grade through age 14. Cost is \$5.00 per student and members may bring a guest. The event is from 8:00 to 10:00 p.m. and includes dinner, dessert, swimming, games and door prizes. **Registration one day in advance is required.** The dates are as follows:

Tuesday, June 20 Tuesday, July 25 Tuesday, August 29

FREE MOVIE NIGHTS

The pool will hold five movie nights on Friday evenings. A family friendly movie will be played starting at approximately 8:00 p.m., depending on darkness. Popcorn will be available. The dates are as follows:

June 2, June 23, July 14, August 4, and August 25

BINGO NIGHT

The pool has scheduled one Bingo Night on June 9th at 7:00 p.m. Check out the website and pool flyers for details including costs. (A potential 2nd Bingo Night will be held on July 21.)

SLEEPOVER (MEMBERS ONLY)

Rest assured it wouldn't be summer in Wiltondale without the *Annual Sleepover!* This summer tradition will once again be held for members only children ages 7 to 11 (entering grades 1 through 5) on Saturday, August 12. Tent setup will begin at 5:30 p.m., and children **MUST BE PICKED UP NO LATER THAN 7:30 a.m.** Sunday morning, August 13.

Additional rules will be posted at sign-up, but we would like to highlight the following: (1) children should not bring electronic devices of any kind, including cell phones (2) children should not bring candy or sugary beverages. All adult chaperones will have cell phone and will call you if your child needs you. Parents will be permitted to stay at the sleepover until 8:00 p.m. on Saturday evening..

NOTE: If your child is not following pool rules or does not go to sleep at appropriate time, you will be called to pick up your child regardless of hour.

Cost is \$10 per child; max \$20 per family. The event includes games, races, dinner, dessert, movie with treats, tie dying (bring your own t-shirt and hanger), donuts, juice and hot chocolate.

DISTANCE SWIM COMPETITION

The Pool Committee will award T-shirts prizes to the members who swim 10 miles, 5 miles, and 2 miles during the 2017 season (age groups will be clearly marked). One mile is 64 lengths of the pool, or 32 laps (down and back). All swimmers must keep track of your distance in the logbook at the front desk. To minimize the number of entries, **please log in once per day**.

WATER AEROBICS

This popular evening class will again be available on scheduled evenings from 7:00-8:00 p.m. Pool members are invited to participate in this activity free of charge. A guest fee of \$5 applies to nonmembers. Keep in mind that this class is geared for adults and mature teens only. Please consult with your doctor prior to participation in this or any exercise class. Check out the website and pool flyer for dates and details.

PICK-UP BASKETBALL

Pickup Men's Basketball takes place at Wiltondale Pool twice per week. Check the website and pool flyers for details.

PRIVATE SWIM LESSONS (MEMBERS ONLY)

This year private swim lesson will be available through Aquamobile. Check out the website and pool flyers for more information.

NEW PAYMENT ARRANGEMENTS

NEW THIS YEAR: The pool will be equipped with a credit card reader. We strongly urge members to pay with a credit card to reduce excess cash from being kept in the manager's office. In addition, ALL PAYMENTS in excess of \$10 must be made by credit card or check payable to: Wiltondale Pool Committee

PARTY REQUESTS

Please request permission from the Pool Manager at least five days before your anticipated event should the group be more than five attendees.

MEMBERSHIP RESPONSIBILITIES

Please remember that we reserve the right to address anyone who: exhibits inappropriate behavior or language, fails to follow the instruction(s) of the staff; fails to follow any of the established policies, fails to adequately supervise children, and/or disrespects the rights of other members or the staff. As with all cases, management will be the sole arbitrator in any dispute arising from these issues.

2017 POOL COMMITTEE MEMBERS

 Garret Glennon (Chairperson)
 443-465-2750

 Brian Shields
 443-631-2890

 Angela Guevara
 301-509-9602

 Kelly Sage
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New Members to be announced soon!

POOL CONTACT INFORMATION

Office Phone Number: (410) 337-3631

Membership: pool@wiltondale.org

Website: http://wiltondale.org/pool/

Like us on Facebook at bit.ly/WiltondalePool.

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WILTONDALE SWIM TEAM

Dear Wiltondale Pool Members,

We are excited for our 5th season with the Wiltondale Warriors! Summer swim team focuses on **FUN** and team building and is a great way for kids to compete against other area pools without the pressure of a year-round swim league. Children are encouraged to participate in the meets, but not required. Swimmers of all ages are welcome to join! For the safety of your children, we require that all swimmers who wish to be on the team must pass the deep end test first. This test consists of swimming the length of the pool (any kind of stroke is fine) and treading water for 1 minute. Many people think that because their child isn't a year round swimmer they wouldn't be interested, but many summer swim teams are largely made up of kids who only swim during the summer months.

Practice/swim meets run about 7 weeks (typically Memorial Day-mid July) and is a fun way for your child to receive professional swim instruction while building the sense of team and community. Starting May 30st - June 16th, practice will be held Monday-Friday after school. Once schools let out, from June 19th to July 21st practices will be held in the morning 5 days a week. You are not required to attend daily but come as you are able. However, like anything else, the more you do it, the better you become.

Swim meets are on Monday and Wednesday evenings from June 14th - July 17th. The teams we swim against are local: Stoneleigh, Campus Cabana, Hampton, Woodcroft, York Manor, Pine Ridge, Valley Country Club and Eagles Nest. We will be hosting four meets this year- one on June 19th against Hampton, one on June 26th against Pine Ridge, one on July 5th against York Manor and our last home meet will be on July 17th against Woodcroft. We will need several parent volunteers to help during each meet – both away and at home.

The swim team is strictly funded by the swim team families. That being said, we intend to keep the price at \$125 per swimmer for children ages 4-14. Any swimmer age 15 and over can be on the team for free. Our belief is that these swimmers are skilled enough to not need the extra attention in the water.

This year, you can register and pay online. Please note that you and your children must be members of the Wiltondale pool and current with your season dues before you can register for the swim team.

We look forward to seeing you this summer! If you have any questions, please contact us at swimteam@wiltondale.org

Sincerely, The Wiltondale Swim Team Committee