

# Fontainebleau Swim & Tennis Club

## Monthly Newsletter

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### **A Message from the Board of Directors**

Our year round facility has entered the busiest season with the opening of the pool over Memorial Day weekend. We have added many new members, so please introduce yourself when you spot them. We are still looking for a few more new members, so if you have friends or neighbors interested in joining us, please contact Maria Clement, Membership Director. Remember, all current members are eligible for the Referral Bonus Program.

We have two new swing sets, added umbrellas to cover tennis viewing benches, replanted the hill inside the pool fence, and purchased a new baby pool. The Board is always looking for members to provide input regarding the management of the facility by our volunteers who serve as directors. If you have suggestions, compliments, improvements or questions, please feel free to e-mail Brian Sims; President of the Club at [brians2@att.net](mailto:brians2@att.net) and he will forward it to the appropriate director for review.

Thanks for all the members' support and we look forward to a great summer of fun, activities, parties, and relaxing days at the pool.

### ***Pool Season***

#### **4<sup>th</sup> of July Parade & Poolside Cookout**

Join your neighbors to celebrate the 4<sup>th</sup> of July. In the morning, our Club will participate in the Dunwoody Homeowner's Parade. Our Swim & Dive Team will enter the parade this year and will decorate a float.

Later in the day we will have a 4<sup>th</sup> of July celebration at the pool. We'll have some fun water games for both kids and adults. Dinner will be a BBQ-catered feast. More information is forthcoming.



***The regular pool hours are:***

***Sunday – Thursday 12:00PM till 8:00PM***

***Friday 12:00PM till 10:00PM***

***Saturday 10:00AM till 10:00PM***

***Tuesdays and Thursdays from 7:00 till 8:00 PM a lane will be available for swimming laps***

On Fridays during the pool season, for all those interested, we grill down at the pool. Bring your own beverage & side dish to share and \$5.00 per person to cover the cost of the provided entrée. Come join the Friday night fun. Please remember no glass inside the pool fence. For more information call Maria Clements.

Remember all poolside social functions are bring your own beverage.

Feel free to BBQ at the pool anytime. There are grills located by the pool for any member to use for cookouts at any time except during a home swim meet. If the gas runs out while you are cooking, please notify Iggy Deblasie or Maria Clements so that it can be replaced for the next family or use the Ducane grill that runs off of natural gas.

### **Pool Reminders**

If a member needs to ask the guards for information or non-emergency assistance, please try to do so during the adult swim times when the guards have fewer swimmers to watch.

### **Pool Parties**

If a members is interested in having a pool party, please know that parties are to be scheduled not less than one (1) week in advance, and payment must be received before that deadline, as well. Guards have pool party forms down in guard office at the pool or they can be obtained through Iggy Deblasie. Cost for providing extra guards to cover attendees is included on form. If you have any questions about scheduling a pool party contact Iggy Deblasie or one of the pool managers

### **Pool Safety**

**VERY IMPORTANT REMINDER:** Absolutely NO glass allowed inside the pool enclosure, including, but not limited to, beer and wine bottles, and glass bowls; the one and only exception to this rule is eyeglass lens. Please help the lifeguards keep the deck safe for our feet, including our young children's, by keeping the glass at home and using plastic or non-shatterable containers instead.

## **New Members**

We are pleased to welcome Brenda and Greg White, their daughters Hannah and Rebekah and Heather Taylor; Terri and Ray Weeks their children Jessica, Lillie, Brinson and Claire; Lee and Bart Smith their children Sterling and Grace; Cindy and Steve Etcher their son Steven; Kristin and Brad Anchors; Elaine and Darrell Stice their children Tyler and Owen; Nelda and Don Henderson; Reid Tatum and Gordon Stanley their child Chris as new members to the Fontainebleau Swim and Tennis Club.

**If you know of anyone who is interested in joining the Fontainebleau Swim and Tennis Club just complete the attached New Member Referral form and save some \$\$\$.**

## **Grounds Report**

The May 17<sup>th</sup> clean up day was a success. Several projects were completed in order to get the pool ready for the summer. These included weed control and landscaping the hill between the pool and the fence , erection of a swing set for older children, erosion control around the driveway drainage, removal of some unsightly railroad tie retaining walls and completion of the natural gas grill. Weed killer was applied around the tennis courts, pine straw was spread where needed leaves and dead grass was raked and bagged. Thanks to all our members who pitched in and helped our club look great for the summer.

If you see any grounds keeping projects around the club that you would like to take part in please contact Mark Lange. Remember that the subdivision entrances need to be mowed regularly in order to maintain the good looks and property value of our neighborhood. To help with this contact Maria Clements.

## **Clubhouse Rental**

Jeff Burgess wants to remind members that the clubhouse is available to members for rental for private parties. Please call him at 770-352-9913 to get details on renting the clubhouse. Any club organization, such as tennis or swim teams using the clubhouse, is reminded to remove the trash and leave the facility in proper condition.

## Web Site

Fontainebleau Web site: <http://www.FSTC.us> is up and running

Please give the new Fontainebleau Web site a spin. It is always being updated with new information concerning the pool, swim and dive team updates and member information, so please bookmark it to your web browser.

## Special Thanks

**Bill Anchors** for installing the lighting for the swim meets

**Charles Cantey, Bill Anchors and Richard Osterholtz** for installing an exhaust vent for the pool pump room.



## Tennis Topics

### TENNIS NEWS!

The Memorial Day tennis tournament went really well, everyone had a good time. For the fall tennis tournament we will hold a 2-day Calcutta during the Labor Day weekend. More info will be forthcoming later.

The mixed doubles and senior ladies teams beginning their seasons, so come to a home match and cheer them on.

## ***Let's Keep Our Courts Clean***

Please remember after you've finished your practice or play on the tennis courts to clean up afterwards and dispose of your trash properly. This includes old balls, ball cans and lids. Also empty the court trash cans before you leave.

## **Community News**



**Please remember to STOP** at all Stop signs throughout the neighborhood. The kids are out of school – riding bikes, walking, running, etc., so please be cautious. Tell your visitors to STOP, too!

Please collect you can tab this summer for Marina Kiriazis. Her sorority gets a lot of money from these tabs to donate to a chosen philanthropy. She would really appreciate your support. There is a container sitting on the concession stand at the pool that you can put the tabs in or collect them at home and bring them to the pool at the end of the summer for Marina to pick up.

## **Babysitters**

The following young people are available for babysitting:

Shawna Klein

Cody Young

Jill & Jackie Florence

Marina Kiriazis

Please contact them for information, and to make arrangements for babysitting.

If would like to have your availability to baby-sit known to the Fontainebleau Swim and

## **Pet Sitting**

The following members have indicated their availability to pet sit

Bonnie and Juliana Llop  
Andrew Crittenton age 14

Please contact them for information, and to make arrangements for pet sitting.

If you would like to have your availability to pet sit known to the Fontainebleau Swim and Tennis community contact me, [rosterho2@attbi.com](mailto:rosterho2@attbi.com), and I will put the information in future newsletters.

## School of Fishes



During the late mornings and early evenings you can hear the splashing and laughter of possible future Olympians. Who are these athletes? They are members of our School of Fishes, the potential swimmers and divers of the future FSTC swim and dive team.

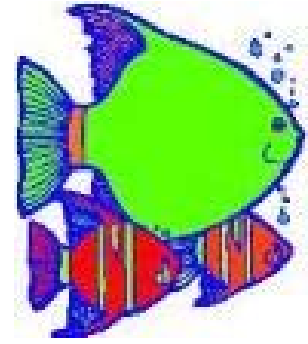
Taught by long-time resident and primary swim instructor, Ms. Donna Burt, assisted by a current swim team member, Miss Christie Sahara, these little Twisters, are introduced to learn the fundamentals of water skills. Ms. Donna, who has volunteered her time at Fontainebleau for over thirty-two years, has constructed a program consisting of multiple steps that encourage the children to try their best in order to become good swimmers.

Ms. Donna entices the children to participate by rewarding the children for trying the task they are asked to do, with goldfish or using games to make each class as fun and exciting as possible. Finally, at the end of each class each child receives a star on a poster for doing an outstanding job during class.

We currently have approximately sixteen members of the School of Fishes. Once a child can swim the length of the pool successfully, he or she can be promoted to the swim team. There will definitely be a few, "Fishes," in line for a promotion to the "big team" before the end of the season.

Ms. Donna also does a *Mommy and Me* program. It is designed for parents, who would like to introduce and prepare their infants or toddlers for School of Fishes.

We will keep track of the progress made by members of the School of Fishes in future newsletters. Hopefully, it won't be long before some of these little "Fishes" are breaking records set by the Twisters of today. If you would like to see the progress made by these "Fishes," they are posted at the club.



***Thank you, Ms. Donna for all of your hard work, dedication, and love you give to the kids and the sport.***



## **A Swim Flash**

School of Fishes started June 2. Daytime classes are Mon - Fri at 11 AM  
Evening classes are Tues, Wed & Thursday at 6 PM \$35.00 for 6 weeks of lessons

**CHILDREN MUST BE TALL ENOUGH TO STAND UP IN THE SHALLOW END OF THE POOL.**

"Mommy & Me" follows daytime swim classes. This is a program for Moms (Parents) and their young children. Parent is in the pool with the child.  
No charge for this.

Call Donna Burt at 770-394-5573 or e-mail [nburt@mindspring.com](mailto:nburt@mindspring.com).

## Swim & Dive Team News

The home dive meets will be held at Mill-Glen and home Swim meets at Fontainebleau

### 2003 Important Swim & Dive Team Dates

June 16 3rd Swim Meet - Home Meet @ Fontainebleau

### Sunshine Committee

The Sunshine Committee delivers a treat to a new neighbor and meals to neighbors in need of help. For example someone who just had a baby, a death in the family, or even someone that had a family member in the hospital. If you would like to be a part of these good works, either by supplying information on who may need some sunshine or by delivering the goodies contact Jamie Collier at 770-392-1647.

### Local Activities

If you have any information on activities at local schools, Dunwoody High School, Peachtree Middle School or Kingsley Elementary; or information on activities or events that would be of interest to the members of our community please email me. If I receive the information by the first Friday of the month it can be included in that month's newsletter.

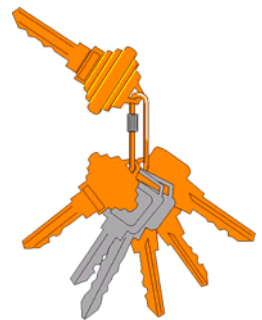
### Board Meeting

The next board meeting will be on July 1st at 7:30 p.m. at the clubhouse.

### Reminders

#### *Lock-Up*

If you are the last one on the club property for the night, please make sure you close and lock the gate at the entrance. This helps with security and decreases the chance of vandalism.



#### **Pets**

If you bring your pets to the club property please clean up after them. Remember **no** pets allowed in the pool enclosure or children's playground



# FONTAINEBLEAU SWIM AND TENNIS CLUB MEMBER REFERRAL PROGRAM

Thank you for participating in the Fontainebleau Swim and Tennis Club  
MEMBER REFERRAL program.

**For each referral that results in a new member, you become eligible for the following credit rewards:**

**\$50.00**

for regular membership

**\$25.00**

for senior / single membership

Just fill out this form and send to the **Membership Director** (Maria Clements)  
With the membership application.

Potential Member's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_  
Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Membership Type \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Your Name \_\_\_\_\_ Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Apply my Credit : (Check one)

1. **To my dues next year**
2. **To the FS&TC Social events fees.**

Rules:

- 1) If potential member has expressed interest in membership to board previous to referral, you are not eligible for referral
- 2) First member to submit the referral is referrer of record and therefore the only one eligible for referral.
- 3) All membership types are eligible for referral bonus