

Note: This letter has also been sent to your email address, if you provided one.

BANNOCKBURN SWIMMING CLUB, INC
PO BOX 376
GLEN ECHO, MD 20812

<http://www.bannockburnpool.com>

WELCOME TO THE 2010 POOL SEASON!

Please Note the March 31st Deadline.

Dear Club Member:

March 2010

We hope to welcome you and your family back for the new pool season. This letter contains information about membership dues for this season. Additional information about the pool schedule, pool hours, pool rules, social activities, the swim team etc. is enclosed.

Please return all membership material by March 31st in a single envelope to the above address, including the completed reply form, a check for your summer dues, a separate check for the Bond increase (see below) and the completed membership card, to the address above. Details are on the reply form. *You may complete the membership card at your first visit to the pool.*

ACTIVE/INACTIVE MEMBERSHIP: Regardless of their status in 2009, all members are asked to notify the Board by MARCH 31st of their intent to be Active or Inactive Members for the 2010 pool season.

If you do not submit the reply form by March 31, your slot will become available to other permanent members and summer members alike, on a first-come-first-serve basis, and subject to late fees. If you do not secure a slot, your membership will change to inactive status, and you will be unable to use the pool for the season..

NEW FOR 2010: BOND INCREASE FOR MAJOR POOL RENOVATION AND EXPANSION

Details of the Renovation Plan can be found at www.bannockburnpool.com

At the Annual General Meeting for Active Permanent members, held on February 24, 2010, a substantial majority of the attending Active Permanent members voted to proceed with a major expansion and renovation of the pool, to begin in Fall 2010. To help finance the renovation, the members also approved an increase in the Bond of \$650, to be paid by June 30, 2010. The Bond is refundable when leaving the membership. Paying your Bond increase at the same time as the summer dues will guarantee your slot. Please contact us to arrange payment of the Bond increase by the June 30 deadline, if you cannot pay the Bond increase by the March 31 deadline for the summer dues.

Note that summer rates for permanent members are being held constant due to the Bond increase this year.

If you elect to discontinue as an Active Permanent Member and change to Inactive status, you will not need to pay the Bond increase this year. You will, however, be required to pay the increase in the Bond upon returning to Active status. If you elect to redeem your existing Bond, we will refund the amount when an eligible buyer has been found, in accordance with the Bylaws.

DUES FOR THE 2010 SEASON - PERMANENT MEMBERS

	1 user	2 users	3 users	4 users	5 users	6 or more users
2010 Dues	\$235	\$330	\$425	\$520	\$610	\$710
Bond Increase	\$650	\$650	\$650	\$650	\$650	\$650
TOTAL PAYMENT	\$885	\$990	\$1075	\$1170	\$1260	\$1360

DETERMINING THE NUMBER OF USERS

- All permanent household members who will be using any of the pool's facilities must be counted as members. This includes family members, housekeepers, au pairs or baby-sitters, and full-time summer residents of the household. There must be at least one adult per membership.
- For the 2010 season there will be no charge for **infants** born after 1/1/2010.
- Each membership household must include at least one dues paying adult.
- Non-swimmers who will use pool facilities must be included.
- Parents who alternate taking their children to the pool must both be included on the membership card and in the dues calculation, even if they do not plan to use the pool facilities at the same time.

MEMBERSHIP CARD

- All household members who will be using any of the pool's facilities - whether as swimmers, observers, caretakers of children, etc. at any time during the pool season - must be included on the membership card.
- Please make any necessary corrections and fill in all the information requested.
- Please indicate the total number of pool users in your household, including nanny etc.
- Only one last name per household will be used. Please circle the one that should be used.
- Print the names (including your own) of each pool user (plus the age if under 18).
- Have each person able to do so sign his or her name. People away at school or elsewhere can sign the card at the pool gate upon their return.
- **NO member of your household can be admitted to the pool unless the completed card has been returned to us for use at the gate.**

LATE FEES

For payments not received by the deadline of March 31st, the following late fees are due:

- **\$20** if full payment is received after March 31st and by April 15
- **\$50** if full payment is received after April 15, but before May 1
- **\$100** if full payment is not received by May 1.

Please pay on time. If you have to delay your payment, please add the applicable fee to your dues. If your payment is late and no late fee is received, you will not be able to use the pool.

CANCELLATION OF MEMBERSHIP DUE TO NON-PAYMENT

Please note that the Club's bylaws allow the Board -after official notification - to cancel a membership if dues and/or fees owed are overdue by 90 days or more. A copy of the bylaws is available upon request.

SUMMER TENANTS / HOUSESITTERS

An active permanent member who has made the required payments for 2010, who plans to be away for part of the summer, and who has a tenant or house sitter for three weeks or more, may use the pool while here, and the tenant or house sitter may use the pool during their occupancy of the house. Please notify the Membership Chairperson in writing (mailed to the pool's P.O. Box 376, Glen Echo, MD 20812 or email to c_l_kelly@yahoo.com), listing the tenants' or house sitters' names, the number of pool users, and the dates of the member's absence. If the tenant's number of pool users is larger than that listed for the member on the MEMBERSHIP CARD, the appropriate additional dues must be paid by check prior to the tenants' use of the pool.

LONG TERM TENANTS

Permanent members who rent their homes to long-term tenants may permit their tenants to use their pool membership. The tenant will pay permanent member rates instead of summer member rates. Notification of the permanent members' intent must be received in writing by the Membership Chair.

For additional information, please call the Membership Chairperson, Claire Kelly, (301) 320-4855, or email at c_l_kelly@yahoo.com.

We look forward to an enjoyable 2010 season and thank you in advance for your participation and cooperation.

Your Board of Directors,

David Evans, President
Liz Gouldman, Co-President

Enclosure: General Information, Reply Form, Membership Card

Reply Form

Please mail with the items listed below to

Bannockburn Swimming Club, Inc.
P O Box 376
Glen Echo, MD 20812

[] During the 2010 pool season, I will be an **ACTIVE MEMBER**.

The total number of pool users in my household will be: _____

Please list the names of all swimmers, and add the ages of children under 18:

Enclosed are: **TWO CHECKS** made payable to the Bannockburn Swimming Club
___ for the amount of \$ _____ (made payable to Bannockburn Swimming Club), for the
Summer dues

___ for the amount of \$ 650 (made payable to Bannockburn Swimming Club) for the Bond
increase

___ Completed and signed **MEMBERSHIP CARD**

___ **Late Fee (\$20** if payment is received between March 31 and by April 15, **\$50** after April 15
and by May 1, **\$100** if payment is not received by May 1.

[] During the 2010 pool season, I will be an **INACTIVE MEMBER**.

I recognize that this choice is binding on me and can be changed only with the specific approval of the
Board of the Bannockburn Swimming Club, Inc.

Printed Name:

Street Address:

Telephone:

Email:

Signature and Date: