

Summary of Annual General Meeting, February 24, 2010

For Immediate Release

February 27, 2010

Dear Bannockburn Pool Community

Thanks to all those participating in Wednesday's Annual General Meeting. The letters regarding this summer's enrollment will be coming shortly. These letters will also provide more information on the Pool Renovation -- which the community approved -- and the bond.

The following was accomplished at the AGM.

- Board elections: all nominees for new or second terms were approved
- Renovation vote: by an 80%+ majority, the community approved proceeding with the renovation in Fall 2010 (scroll down for details).
- The vote commits active permanent members to contributing a \$650 bond by June 30, 2010. The bond does not apply to inactive permanent members.
- We introduced Teri Tomlin from Bethesda Aquatics, our new pool operator.
- We reviewed finances and membership from last year and previewed communication plans for 2010 (which will include better signage, wi-fi availability, use of Twitter and Facebook, etc)

Discussion of Renovation Vote

- 85 members voted, of a total of 207 eligible voters. 60 members in person and 25 by proxy. Aided by our email and phone campaigns, we are pleased with the high turnout, especially given the loss of postal service during the snowstorms. We approached a participation rate similar to last summer's vote (96 members participated in June 2009)
- 69 members voted for the renovation, 16 against, for a majority of 81%
- Issues discussed included lane availability for adult swim during the swim team practice, and whether the new renovation will be sufficient; grounds upkeep; and the desire for other facility improvements such as bathhouse renovation and a pavilion.

THANK YOU!

Board of the Bannockburn Swim Club

David Evans, President

Liz Gouldman, Co-President