

January 21, 2017

Dear Forest Park Pool Members,

Welcome 2017! We wish everyone a Happy New year. Our Board is busy making plans for some much needed repairs. This is Forest Parks 54th year operating for summer fun in our community. We are so thankful for our pool family. To keep operating costs effective and in order to make necessary improvements we will have a slight increase in dues this year. We do however offer a easy installment payment plan for convenience.

Forest Park is a great place to hang out with family and friends. You can have a nice BBQ dinner poolside or plan a party. We look forward to seeing you all at the pool.

2017 Forest Park Membership Packet includes:

- A Note From the Board regarding Gatekeeping
- A Note From Our Pool, Building & Grounds Director
- Summary of FPSA Annual Membership Dues
- FPSA Membership Benefits & Perks
- Directory of the Board of Directors
- Information on How to Book a Party @ Forest Park

Renew your Membership- Complete the 2 forms and return with your 2017 payment:

• 2017 Annual Membership Agreement with Invoice; \$450.00 annual membership dues

- 1. \$425.00 if paid in full by 3/31/2017 via check or cash.
- 2. \$432.00 if paid in full by 3/31/2017 via PayPal (includes a \$7 PayPal service fee).

Installment Options:

Full Payment Options:

- 1. You may also elect to pay your dues in three installments of \$150.00 via check or cash. Your final installment is due by 5/31/17.
- 2. You may also elect to pay your dues in three installments of \$159.00 via PayPal. (Includes a \$7 PayPal service fee per installment). Your final installment is due by 5/31/17.

Any outstanding charges from previous years have been included with your invoice. Please include all past due fees with your first payment by 3/31/2017. If you have any outstanding charges at the beginning of the swim season, you will not be able to swim until they have all been resolved. If you have any questions or need to make payment arrangements we want to work with you please contact Treasurer, Amanda Viano @ 925-421-5038 to inquire about available options for resolving your account.

 2017 Annual Membership Statement - update your family information and contact numbers Sign up to Gatekeep- We are using an online signup sheet for Gatekeeping this year, If we have your email address, you will receive a message from us with instructions on how to sign up. You can also sign up in the binder at the pool, but the preferred method to sign up will be ONLINE.

Log on to http://www.signupgenius.com/go/70A0E4FADA828AB9-forest5 to access this year's signup genius for gatekeeping shifts.

Find Forest Park Pool on Facebook and keep in touch with the Forest Park Pool Community.

Paypal- We are offering payment using Paypal this year (there will be a \$7 transaction fee applied to each payment transaction)

Pool lifeguards are needed for our 2017 swimming season, which opens Saturday, April 1st. For more information, contact Hillary DiStefano, Lifeguard Director, at 510-685-3778 or isabellasmom04@gmail.com. Lifeguards must be at least 15 years of age by the first day of the Lifeguard Clinic Class given by Concord Community Recreation Services. For class registration, visit www.cityofconcord.org/Activities/Activities.asp. Returning lifeguards will need to renew their CPR certificate. Forest Park offers competitive wages and flexible schedules.

<u>Lifeguard duty changes for the New Year</u> - We will be scheduling the lifeguards to rotate into gatekeeping shifts during the summer months. <u>This will impact the availability for gatekeeping shifts for members.</u> Work obligations may be completed by doing projects and clean up at the pool or join us at the Pavilion to complete your work obligation hours. Please contact Geraldine to join the Concord Pavilion fun! <u>geraldinealano@yahoo.com</u>

Our swim team, the Forest Park Flyers, will start practice on April 10th. Swim Team is open to kids between the ages of 3 and 18! Children do not need to know how to swim to join. Mini Flyer programs are available to teach them the basics and then move up to swimming in meets. For more info see www.forestparkswimteam.com or email fpstflyers@yahoo.com.

Going forward in 2017, you will see new improvements for this year; including new chairs, fixing pavement, and painting. We will be sending emails and updating Facebook with planned activities. We are always looking for new members! We need your help to share our "Forest Park Experience" with others who want to:

- Swim!
- Have a BBQ or Party
- Get in Shape!
- Make New Friends!
- Participate in family fun events!
- Cool Off!
- Play on the Lawn!
- Lay in the Sun!
- Join the Swim Team!
- Create Family Memories!

Refer your friends to join Forest Park,

New members get a discount, and you earn credit on your account.

New members receive a \$50.00 discount when they join the pool for the first time. When you refer a new member to join, you will get a \$50 credit for the 1st family, \$75 credit for the 2nd family, and \$100 credit for the 3rd family. All you have to do is have them put your name on their form when joining!

(NOTE: Credits will be made to your account after final membership payment for both existing and new members are received. Both members must be in good standing with FPSA financially. Credits are not transferable and may not be exchanged for cash. Credits will be carried over to the following year and applied to Members Outstanding Balance Due.)

FPSA is a private-member owned & operated organization. In order to keep the pool operating efficiently, we require our members to work a minimum of three times per year to perform gate

keeping duties, maintenance or work duties. There are plenty of opportunities and options to help out. Just ask a Board Member to assist you in finding what works for you.
We look forward to seeing you at the POOL!
Forest Park Swim Association Board Email: forestparkpool@gmail.com
Visit the website @ www.forestparkpool.info