

THE BRIDGE

COVERED BRIDGE SWIM CLUB NEWSLETTER

March 2010

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Tuesday,
March 23rd, 7:00 PM
Township Building
820 Mercer Street

A NOTE FROM THE PRESIDENT...

Dear Fellow Covered Bridge Swim Club Members:

Wow! What a winter. After having nearly 80 inches of snow this past winter, I imagine most of us are looking forward to spring and warmer weather. As spring approaches, so does the time for our Annual CBSC Membership Meeting. This year's meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, March 23, 2010 at 7 p.m. at the Cherry Hill Township Municipal Building's Community Center.

This is a great time to be a member of Covered Bridge Swim Club. Our membership is strong and so is the enthusiasm of our members. Last year our membership included 237 families. That number included thirty new families that joined; however, it was eleven families less than our previous year's membership. I encourage all members to invite your new neighbors and friends to join CBSC. Continued membership growth and member involvement is essential to the success of our club.

I am pleased to announce that Bruce Krohn and Kim Pope will return to co-manage the swim club this summer. Also Tim Tedesco will return this year to once again lead the Crocodiles through "A" Division. I am also happy to introduce Kate Blandy as our new dive coach. Kate was previously the assistant dive coach and has been a long time member of CBSC. Come join us at our membership meeting to learn more about the coaches, their staff and other exciting activities of the swim and dive teams.

For the past three years, we have held our dues constant. However, due to increases in utilities, chemicals and other operating expenses, we need to slightly increase dues this year. For the past two years CBSC dues were also below the average of other Cherry Hill swim clubs. A comparison of the dues schedule between last year and this year is provided on page 2 of this newsletter for your information.

This year marks Covered Bridge Swim Club's 50th Anniversary. Be on the look out for future announcements regarding 50th Anniversary celebrations.

We welcome everyone to participate in any of our swim club committees, whether you're interested in the club socials, swim/dive team activities, maintenance, sports or any other club activity. We also need to continue to spread the word about our club to increase membership and ensure a strong financial future. To learn more about what's happening at Covered Bridge Swim Club, come join us at our Membership Meeting!

Hope to see you on March 23rd!

Jack Gallagher - President

Board of Directors

President	Jack Gallagher	Facilities	Mark Pattison
Treasurer	Fran Manning	Socials	Linda Coyle
Secretary	Carrie Roldán-Rosenthal	Membership	Marty King
Operations	Dan Brown	Personnel	Lisa DeAngelis
Swim Team	Mary Tolen/TBD	Snack Bar	Joe Dugan

**2010 Budget
Proposal
Covered Bridge
Swim Club
Income**

	2009 Projected	2010 Proposal
Dues/bond/initiation/guest	147,000	158,300
Snack Bar	14,426	14,500
Swim Team	13,328	13,300
Other	1,541	1,500
Total Income	176,295	187,600

Expenses	2009 Projected	2010 Proposal
Swim Team	11,809	9,000
Snack Bar	15,541	15,500
Utilities	19,147	20,000
Loan payments (P&I)	16,728	18,249
Payroll and payroll taxes	71,740	66,000
Payroll taxes	6,581	5,000
Real Estate Taxes	6,200	6,400
Pool Operations	22,500	33,000
Sports	860	75
Insurance	9,374	11,000
Administrative	1,000	1,000
Refinance/closing fees	4,087	-0-
Socials	1,000	1,000
Total Expenses	186,567	186,224
Anticipated total surplus(deficit)	(10,272)	1,376

CBSC Dues Schedule Comparison		
Members in household	2009 Dues	2010 Dues
1	265	290
2	530	580
3	560	610
4	590	640
5	620	670
6	650	700
7	680	730
8	710	760

PROUD OWNER DAYS

May 8th, 15th, 22nd, and 23rd
Weeknight times are available by arrangement

Volunteers Needed

Another season at the pool is quickly approaching. Now is the time to start thinking about volunteering some of your time to get the pool in ship shape form for our opening. We had tremendous turnout last year from many members. We had some serious MVP's that came out on multiple occasions to rake, paint clean & scrape. Too many, to mention by name.

Many folks who had not been out before didn't realize how much work has to be done to get the pool and grounds ready for opening. It's a big property & just like your house it has to be maintained and cleaned up every spring season.

If, you have not volunteered before please consider it this season. We would love to see some new faces this year and would appreciate your help.

We only ask for a couple of hours and you don't need any special skills.

No Time?

Please consider donating materials if you do not have time to volunteer for cleanup. We always need mulch, sand, paint, tools & other supplies. Buying a new grill & your old one is still perfect or gently used? Consider donating it to the pool. We do our best to keep everything running & in working order but sometimes we need to replace things. Donations are a great way to help out. Please contact Mark Pattison at 795-4948 if you have items you think we could use and would like to consider donating.

Job Application

Enclosed is an application form for employment as a Lifeguard &/or Snack Bar employee. **ALTHOUGH WE EXPECT VERY FEW OPENINGS, NEW HIRES WILL BE DETERMINED BY THE NUMBER OF RETURNING EMPLOYEES.**

Please complete the form as it stays on record for future consideration.

Kindly return the Application by
March 31, 2010 to:
Lisa DeAngelis
6 Promenade Court
Cherry Hill, NJ 08034

Covered Bridge Swim Club

Employment Application

Name _____ Phone _____

Address _____

Social Security # _____ (Required to be hired)

Date of Birth _____ If under 18, verification of working papers is required. If this is your first employment experience, you may obtain a working papers application from your school.

Emergency Contact _____ Phone # _____

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Position(s) Requested

***Please check all jobs you would like to be considered for*

Lifeguard

_____ Must have valid Red Cross Certification papers and working papers.

Head Lifeguard

_____ Must have Valid Red Cross Certification papers and working papers. Previous Lifeguard experience necessary.

Snack Bar Employee

_____ Must be 14 years old and have working papers.

All hours are considered part-time.

The pool season is from 5/22 to 9/6/2010.

Please list the dates that you will be unavailable to work _____

**APPLICATIONS MUST BE POST MARKED BY MARCH 31, 2010
TO BE CONSIDERED FOR EMPLOYMENT**

Swim & Dive Team News

Hello CBSC crocs and croc families!!! It's 2010 and we are in A division again this year – Yeah!!! We have a very exciting coaching staff this year. Our swim team will once again be led to the top by Tim Tedesco. We are very excited to have the return of assistant coach extraordinaire Jessica Burnett. The team will be wonderfully supported by: senior swimmer assistant Emily Bart, the returning swimmer assistant Allie Manning and the addition of swimmer assistant Danny Knapp. What a team!!

We strongly encourage you to sign your swimmers up for spring swimming to prepare them for the start of our season which is only 12 weeks away.

We are keeping our swim suit from last year and also using black suits. These suits can be purchased for a discount at Dansizen & Quigley.

It is with great pleasure that we announce our new head dive coach, Kate Blandy. Kate has been our assistant dive coach for many years. We are also very pleased to announce our two assistant dive coaches: Julia Hall and Hope Ward.

Please encourage your children to try our dive team. It is fun, exhilarating and proves to build confidence.

NOTE: The Swim/Dive Team Parent Meeting will be held on Sunday, May 16th, at 7:00pm at the swim club.

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### 2010 Dive Meet Schedule

June 27 Location TBA  
July 11 Location TBA  
July 25 Covered Bridge  
July 27 Championships at Wedgewood

### Swim Team Schedule

6/19 Time Trials  
6/26 Deerbrook – Away  
7/3 Wedgewood - Away  
7/7 “B” Meet Old Orchard - Home  
7/10 Kingston Estates - Home  
7/14 “B” Meet Downs Farms - Home  
7/17 Pheasant Run - Home  
7/21 “B” Meet Cherry Valley - Away  
7/24 Brookside - Away  
  
7/31 Cherry Bowl  
  
8/7 & 8/8 Tri County Championships

# *Covered Bridge Swim Club*

*Box 1203 Cherry Hill New Jersey 08034*

## *Annual Meeting*

*Tuesday, March 23, 2010*

*7 P.M.*

*Cherry Hill Twp Community Center*

## *CBSC Pool ... Summer Fun 2010*

*JOIN US FOR*

*\*Our 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration\**

*\*BUNCO Night*

*\*Dive-In Movie Night*

*\*Ice Cream Social*

*\*July 4<sup>th</sup>*

*\*Summer Socials*

*\*Night In Venice*

*\*Teen Night*

*\*Tween Night*