

SHANNONDALE-MAHOGANY SWIM CLUB
PO BOX 115, PORTAGE, MI 49081
www.shannondaleswimclub.com

Dear Neighbor,

The 2016 Pool season is nearly here! Opening day for the pool is Saturday, May **28th**. Listed below are the membership categories and their accompanying rates. Please complete the enclosed registration form. Take care to fill in all the requested information and don't forget to read all of the swim club rules and regulations online at www.shannondaleswimclub.com. Should you have any questions, please contact a Membership Committee representative listed in this letter.

Annual Clean-up day will be Saturday, May 14th (rain date is Sunday, May 15th). We will begin at 9:00 am; all are encouraged to come and pitch in! (Please bring any buckets, sponges and/or brooms for your personal use. The pool will provide the cleaning agents.) Each member family helping with the clean-up will receive five free guest passes with your membership packet as a "thank-you" for your participation.

MEMBERSHIP CATEGORIES AND FEES

Fees for the 2016 season remain unchanged; however, due to the mandated minimum wage rate increases it's likely we will have to increase fees in the coming years. The Board of Directors is reviewing the issue.

Active Stockholders **\$350**

Homeowners who hold shares of stock and whose dues payments are up-to-date. Families paying by the due date will receive 5 complimentary guest passes with their membership packets. Payments after the due date will forfeit their guest passes. A \$50.00 discount for senior households 65 and older is applicable.

Inactive Stockholders **\$65**

Homeowners who hold shares of stock who only want to keep their dues payments current. Families paying by the due date will receive 10 complimentary guest passes. Each pass is valid for one person's use of the pool for one day. Senior discount not applicable.

Resident Non-Stockholders **\$450**

Families, who own homes within the boundaries of the neighborhood as defined in the by-laws, but do not own pool stock. Families paying by the due date will receive 5 complimentary guest passes with their membership packets. A \$50.00 discount for senior households 65 and older is applicable.

Non-Residents (previous members) **\$550**

Families who live outside the boundaries of the neighborhood as defined in the by-laws and were members of the pool the previous calendar year. Please note: these memberships are offered on a first-come, first serve basis, if space is available after receipt of the stockholder and resident memberships. A \$50.00 discount for senior households 65 and older is applicable.

Mail your form and payment as soon as possible!

Families paying by the due date will receive 5 complimentary guest passes in their membership packets. You will be contacted by phone if a membership cannot be accommodated for you.

Non-Residents (waiting list names)

These families will be called from the existing waiting list, which is organized chronologically by the date they contacted the pool membership committee. These families will be offered membership for the season, if there is space available. The Membership Committee will contact you sometime between the payment due date and the opening date of the pool.

Purchase of Stock

Pool stock can be purchased on a three-year installment plan. The cost of the stock is \$500. Under the installment plan, one third of the stock cost (\$167), plus the annual active stockholder dues (currently \$350), is due each year for three years. Stockholder privileges begin with the first installment payment. Eligibility to purchase stock is determined by neighborhood boundaries. If you have any questions, please contact a membership committee member.

Membership:

A 2015 membership form is enclosed. Send your completed membership form and payment, postmarked up to and including the due date, to:

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DUE DATE IS APRIL 15, 2016 Pin Pick-Up is May 20th, 21st and 22nd at the Pool

We are happy to report we continue to have increased interest in pool membership from inside and outside the neighborhood. Your prompt response to this mailing will increase your chances of receiving a membership. By our By-Laws, we can accept only 275 family memberships. If your membership form is not postmarked by April 15th, we cannot guarantee you a membership to the pool.

To support the operation and maintenance of our pool, Shannondale-Mahogany Swim Club asks that you consider becoming involved by serving on a Committee or the Board of Directors.

Swim Lessons

Swim lessons will be offered again this summer. Watch the pool bulletin board for sign up sheets. Payment is expected at the time of sign-up to guarantee your spot. Class sessions will be limited to a minimum of 5 children and a maximum of 10. Any questions please call the Pool at 329-0136 and leave a message.

Pre-Purchased Guest Passes. Pre-purchased guest passes are available to all **ACTIVE** members at a discounted rate of \$3.00 per pass. A limit of 20 passes can be purchased. These passes are non-refundable and are good for the current season only. All guest passes are non-transferable between purchaser and other pool members. Please indicate amount on the registration form and these will be placed in the membership packet. Additional passes may be purchased at the pool gate at the rate of \$5.00 per pass during the pool operating season.

2016 POOL BOARD & COMMITTEE CHAIRS

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We look forward to seeing you again this summer!