

# *the Splasher*

**Newsletter for the Shadow Brook Swim Club**

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## President's Message

### **Spring Meeting**

The Shadow Brook Spring meeting was held on April 24. Main topics discussed were the proposed budget, new swim team membership and a discussion on policies and CC & R's. Thanks to those homeowners who attended.

### **Welcome new Associate Members**

Last Saturday, Shadow Brook hosted a BBQ for new Associate members. It was a fun event and a great introduction for our new members. I received many comments from our new members on what a great neighborhood we live in and our outstanding pool facility. Congratulations to the Welcome Committee for a successful party!

### **Shadow Brook to share pool**

Our neighbors in Shadow Brook II are in the middle of putting in a new pool. They are a few weeks behind schedule due to the rainy winter. We were asked if their swim team could practice for a few weeks at our facility and the Board has agreed. The Dolphins will use our pool approximately two hours a day. This will not impact our Sharks team.

### **Summer, Swim & Pool Season**

Great timing for summer! Garage sales, socials, swim team and meeting at the pool are upon us. The swim team is practicing, the pool is in great shape and fun events are planned throughout the season. I would like to thank the residents and volunteers who contribute to making our events successful and who keep our pool and grounds in excellent condition. If you're not aware, we have a well run Welcoming Committee, a Watering Committee as well as handy residents eager to help out when needed. Thank you for your support!

Finally, your comments and suggestions are encouraged. Please don't hesitate to contact me with any questions. Thank you.

Patrick Smith

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## The Social Connection

Our first **Adult Social** of the season took place on Saturday May 6<sup>th</sup>. About 30 of your neighbors were there, what a great turnout! I hope we see you at our next one on Saturday June 3<sup>rd</sup> at 7:30 p.m. This will be the ever-popular **Wine Tasting** social. There will be a new twist this year so be sure not to miss it!

### **Memorial Day Celebration Monday, May 29, 2006...Monday, NOT Sunday!!**

Thanks to the efforts of your neighbors there will be a Memorial Day BBQ this year! Here is the schedule:

**12:30p.m.-** Pool opens!

**4:00p.m.-** Pot Luck and delicious BBQ with those "wild and crazy BBQers-"

Bring your favorite dish to share for 8 people.

BBQ Hot Dogs and Burgers for sale.

**6:00p.m.-** Bingo! Your chance to win cash!!

Brought to you by the Memorial Day Social Team: Monique, Susan, Ezzie, Deb, Chris, Henry, Peter and the gang. Music by Ezzie Schommer.

**Calling all Young Artists!** Again this year we are holding an art contest for the Fourth of July **Shadow Brook Fun Run T-shirt**. We are requesting submissions from children between the ages of 4 and 16 who would like a chance to get their artwork reprinted on our fabulous 4th of July T-shirts.

#### **Requirements for entry are:**

- Use 8 1/2" by 11" plain white, good quality paper only. No lined paper. The artwork should be put on the paper in the "tall" way, 8 1/2" across and 11" up and down.
- For best results use bright and vibrant colors.
- You may use as many colors as you wish. Colors must be kept separate from each other; no overlapping of colors or coloring over one color with another is acceptable.
- You may use crayons or markers.
- The words "**Shadow Brook Fun Run 2006**" may be included in the design. **\*\*No other words may be included\*\***
- Each artist must have his or her name, age, address and phone number printed **on the back** of the entry.
- Each entry must be received by no later than 6 PM on Wednesday, May 31st to be considered.

**\*\*Entries that do not meet these specifications may be disqualified from the contest.\*\***

Drop off all entries at Jody Tempel's home at 6755 Bret Harte Drive. A committee will judge entries and the artist whose work was chosen will be notified. An announcement will be made in the June Splasher. All other entries will be displayed at the pool on the 4th of July and may be removed by the owners after 6 p.m. that day. If no acceptable art is submitted, the committee will create an original design by computer. If you have any questions, please contact me. **Jody Tempel 268-4892 [social@shadowbrook.org](mailto:social@shadowbrook.org)**

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And speaking of **the Fourth of July**, the biggest celebration of the year is almost here! There are many activities planned from the Fun Run in the morning all the way through dinnertime. This day is a lot of fun for all ages and can only continue to be successful with the help of the many volunteers that work hard to make it so. Sign up sheets will be placed at the pool and I hope that many of you take the opportunity to volunteer and be part of our tradition. If you have a particular job in mind please contact me directly and I can sign you up.

Our **Chili Cook-Off** will be on June 25<sup>th</sup>. Last year we had a great time cooking at the pool and sampling each other's chili. We had about 6 entries last year and I am hoping we get more this year! If you have an award-winning chili recipe, feel that you can judge an award-winning chili, or want to help plan this event please contact me. Details will be published in the June Splasher. Mark your calendar now and get to work on perfecting your best chili!

As you can see, LOTS of great events are coming up for you and your family to attend! Included in this Splasher is a pullout page of all the important social dates for you to remember through September! I hope you hang it right on your fridge where you can refer to it often. As each event nears more information will be published about it in the Splasher.

As always, if you have any questions or ideas please contact me. See you at the pool.

**Jody Tempel 268-4892 [social@shadowbrook.org](mailto:social@shadowbrook.org)**

### **14 new Families attend Welcome Party**

On Saturday May 13<sup>th</sup> the Welcome Committee entertained about 70 people as we greeted our new members and associate members at the pool. The weather was great for an afternoon swim and barbeque and it was fun getting to know each other a little better.

If you are someone that likes to meet new people and would enjoy helping to plan a party just once a year, maybe the Welcome Committee is for you! We could use another member or 2 to help us out. One of the best things we do is to deliver Welcome Baskets to our new regular members, those living in our Shadow Brook neighborhood. And speaking of those baskets...

If you are a Shadow Brook homeowner and have a business or service to provide that you think any of our new families could benefit from knowing about, we want to hear from you. If you have a coupon, calendar, refrigerator magnet or another marketing treat please contact us [\*\*welcome@shadowbrook.org\*\*](mailto:welcome@shadowbrook.org) and we will see what we can do about getting your item included in the welcome baskets.

Thank You. **Jody Tempel**

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## Board and Committees

<u>President</u> , Patrick Smith <i>president@shadowbrook.org</i>	323-8528	<u>Title Transfers</u> : Tom Chester <i>title@shadowbrook.org</i>	323-9408
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## Title Transfer Reminder

People who are selling their Shadow Brook homes need to request Homeowner Docs from the Homeowners Association (usually through their escrow companies).

## Special Note

\*Still looking for a craftsman or handyman that might create closeable shutters for our office windows to be used off-season.

\*DSL will not be offered this year due to lack of interest..

## Babysitters for Hire

Notice: If you wish to add your name to this list, please email: splasher@shadowbrook.org

Ashley Allen	828-2284
Devon Ducker	997-9979
Kristen Koolpe	323-9427
Stacey Koople	323-9427
Chrissy Ricco	268-4256
Jennifer Ricco	268-4256
Kelly Ricco	268-4256
Vanessa Royle	268-2127
Annie Rummelhoff	268-2676
Nicole McMahon	997-8303
Sara Toney	460-1520

Alex Tempel: Vacation mail/newspaper collection or pet care or babysitting.

Please call me or my parents, Tim or Jody Tempel 268-4892.