

SHADOW BROOK SHARKS TAKE A BITE OUT OF COMPETITION- WIN 2011 CHAMPS!!!!!!

(See Page 3 for season re-cap)

THE SOCIAL CONNECTION



Thank You!!!!!!

It seems like just a week ago we were getting ready to begin summer and here we are already in August. Soon, the kids will be back in school sharing about their summer with their friends. Hopefully some of their memories include the pool. Weather it was a Wednesday Night Social, swim team, or simply hanging out at our fabulous Shadow Brook pool, I hope your family enjoyed some wonderful days pool side.

There are no words to thank those of you that stepped up to help pull off our fabulous Shadow Brook Fourth of July celebration! The Thursday before the Fourth, I wasn't even sure I would have people to BBQ or sell food and by Monday our kitchen was overflowing! What a true sense of community we shared from the Fun Run and Pet Show to the wonderful Bike parade, led by one of our generous San Jose Police officers. There are so many within our community to thank, the list long and wide! From Associate members to original homeowners, we all came together and pulled off another phenomenal Shadow Brook tradition. Thank you, Thank you, Thank you!!!!!!

And to those of you who have stepped up to host one of our Wednesday Night Socials, a HUGE thank you. Summer would simply not be complete without the meals we share together on Wednesday nights. We have enjoyed some truly wonderful food at a bargain price and have had a great time connecting with friends and neighbors while doing so. Without the cooks and helpers in the kitchen none of that would be possible.

Don't forget about our Labor Day BBQ as we say goodbye to summer officially. The BBQ will be on **Monday September 5th**. We will have hamburgers and hot dogs to sell beginning at 5:00. Please bring a side dish to share with 12 to 15 of your neighbors.

For a little longer, I can still say...See you at the pool!

Staci

The Next Board Meeting

Check our website for the next Board meeting.
www.shadowbrook.org

NEWS FROM THE ACC

ACC August Walkdown

There have been several homeowner inquiries about poorly maintained front yards. During two weekends in August, the ACC will be walking through the neighborhood looking at front yards. We will not be looking for a perfect front yard, we are merely looking for the following:

- Is the lawn being watered and mowed?
- Are the weeds in the lawn area being controlled?
- Are the planting areas around the lawn area being maintained (weeded) and are the plants trimmed so they are not overgrown?
- Is the street lawn area neat, free of weeds and tall grass and are last years leaves cleaned up? And, if ivy is present, is it trimmed to keep the sidewalk and curb area neat?

If a front yard has one of these problems, a courtesy ACC letter will be issued, giving the homeowner 30 days to respond with a remedy plan. More serious issues will be referred to the San Jose blight inspector for possible action.

Fortunately, most of the homes in our neighborhood are well maintained. Thanks to everyone who has been keeping up and improving their homes!

POOL UPDATES

Modified Pool Hours

August 15th – August 26th

Weekdays 3:30pm-7pm
Weekends Noon-8pm

August 29th – September 25th

Weekends only Noon-8pm



Party Reservations

Are you interested in having a party at the pool? You can reserve an area at the pool for parties of less than 30 people with a charge of \$2 per non-member guest. A party reservation form must be complete to schedule the party. Parties can be scheduled during regular pool hours.

OTHER NEWS



In the last month there have been two cats that appear to have been attacked. The owners have found chunks of hair and small amounts of blood remaining and neither has been seen since. Please beware for your cats and other small animals.



A special thanks to the Graffiti Brigade who painted over 'artwork' from the walls along Almaden Expressway

COMMUNICATIONS NEWS



Place an Ad in the Splasher

Do you have a business or provide a service that you would like to advertise to the neighborhood? Advertising in the Splasher is a great way to do it. The cost is \$35/issue.

If you are interested, please provide a business card or small ad. You can either email an electronic version (preferred) or drop it by my house: 951 Summerleaf Drive. Checks should be made out to Shadow Brook.



Recommend a Contactor!

Do you know a great handyman, contractor, gardner, etc? Let the rest of the neighborhood know. I will be making a page on the Shadow Brook website for contractors you like.

If there is someone you would like to recommend please email me with their name, contact information, service they provide and a one or two sentence summary of why you like them.

Pete Contini
Splasher@shadowbrook.org

Remodeling or just repainting? If you are changing the appearance of the exterior of your home – including roofing, remodeling, painting or siding – you must contact Shadow Brook’s Architectural Control Committee (“ACC”) at acc@shadowbrook.org **prior to commencing** any work. Please check our website for notification and approval guidelines.

Going on Vacation?



The following people are available for pet sitting, dog walking, general mail pickup, plant watering, etc. during your vacation.

Sheridan & Alexandra Bowers.....
Julien Childress.....
Caitlyn & Jacob Tenczar.....
Natalie Royle

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***Please note new email addresses for The Board members.**

Board Meeting Minutes

To review any past Board meeting minutes, please feel free to check our website for all minutes listed:
<http://www.shadowbrook.org>

If you cannot find the board minutes that you are looking for, please email splasher@shadowbrook.org to request a copy.

MATH TUTOR

I offer tutoring services for students to prepare for any math class below Calculus.

I am a Leland Graduate and currently a UCLA certified Master Tutor with hundreds of hours of tutoring experience.

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