

THE SOCIAL CONNECTION



4th of July Wrap-Up

I would like to thank the many people in our community and beyond that helped to make this Fourth of July celebration a HUGE success. From the neighbors and family members who helped at all of the days events to the wonderful police and fire department from station 28 who made our parade fantastic! Coming together to make this a memorable day for our families is what Shadow Brook is all about. And, a big shout out to our friends at **The Cup and Saucer** for providing the delicious hamburgers and hot dogs.



Wednesday Night Social Update

Our last Wednesday night social will be on July 25th.

August 1st and 8th are still available

if anyone is interested. Please email me (social@shadowbrook.org) if you are interested or would like more information.

Being a part of the Shadow Brook Community makes summer a special time for our families. Thank you to all of the neighbors who stepped up this summer to pull off all of these events in true Shadow Brook style! Before we know it, school will be starting so be sure to take some time and enjoy the pool! I hope to see you there!

Staci

POOL UPDATES



Free WiFi at the pool!

Stop by the pool office and sign the user agreement and get the password.

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The Next Board Meeting

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

NEWS FROM THE ACC

Roofing Update

The ACC has posted an updated list of approved roofing materials to the Shadow Brook web site, this is an attempt to streamline the re roofing process and make it more transparent. The web address is:

<http://www.shadowbrook.org/homeowners/association-documents/>

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.

COMMUNICATIONS NEWS

The board has begun using email to send out board meeting announcements and The Splasher. The email list was assembled from the email addresses that were voluntarily provided by homeowners.

Splashers will continue to be delivered to every homeowner and meeting and other important announcements will continue to be posted throughout the neighborhood.

If you have not received emails and would like too, please email splasher@shadowbrook.org with your name, home address and email address.

Pete Contini



SHARKS YEAR END REPORT

Sunday July 15th brought a very fun end to this year's swim season with a great Awards Night to

celebrate another fantastic season.

Still on a high from last year's undefeated dual meet run and Championship win, the season kicked off – in sunshine this time – with a comfortable win at home against the Gators from *Crossgates*. **Meet number two** was away at Almaden against an always-confident *Dolphins* team determined to avenge their loss to the Sharks of last season. Both teams were well matched and the meet was very close right from the start. Every point counted and as it should, the end result came down to the final relays. Unfortunately for the Dolphins, no home-pool advantage could be claimed and with a points difference of only sixteen, the Sharks notched up a second, very gratifying win. **Meet number three** brought the *Creekside Cudas* to our pool and another comfortable win which, with Santa Teresa's loss to Almaden that same weekend, took the Sharks to the top of the League standings as the only undefeated team. **Our second to last meet** of the season was another home meet, this time against the *Pinehurst Piranhas*, and another nice win. Going in to the **final meet** of the season, Shadow Brook was the only undefeated team and the dual meet championship was again within sight. Circumstances and a very strong Santa Teresa team conspired against us, however, and we experienced our first loss of the season. With then a three-way tie for first place, it was time to refer to the League's Bylaws where the rules say the winner of the dual meet championship is the team scoring the greatest number of points against the other two tied teams. The Sea Otters was that team and this year's title and trophy went home to Santa Teresa. From an improved times perspective, we could have claimed the title of most improved team with almost 75% of our participating swimmers recording one or more personal best times, more than 20% recording all personal best, and the team as a whole recording 57% improved times on the day.

Two all-time team records were broken – one of them twice – during the dual meet season and Champs gave the opportunity for both of them to be broken again. Three other individual records and three relay records were also re-written at Champs ...

Sarah Shih now holds the girls 50m Freestyle record with a time of 26.66; *Jillian Hatcher* the girls 50m Breaststroke with a time of 32.45; *Gemma Takahashi*

the girls 50m Butterfly with 27.55; *Jamie Nolan* the girls 50m Freestyle with 24.73, and *Jake Heindel* holds the boys 50m Backstroke record with a time of 25.32.

The team of *Brian MacInnes, Andrew Yan, Andrew Foote, and Albert Tseng* now hold the boys 200m Freestyle Relay record with a time of 1:41.79; *Gemma Takahashi, Amanda Rockwell, Delaney Gaydon, and Jamie Nolan* hold the girls 200m Medley Relay record with a time of 1:55.81, and *Jacqueline Gill, Delaney Gaydon, Gemma Takahashi, and Jamie Nolan* hold the 200m Freestyle Relay record with a time of 1:42.45. Extra congratulations as the times recorded by both of the girls relay teams are also new Champs Records!

As always, the end of the season means saying good-bye to our graduating seniors. This year the Sharks watched five seniors swim for the last time and wished Farewell and Good Luck to *Jacqueline Gill, Brian Gaydon, Jake Heindel, Jamie Lougaris, and Jack Mulligan*. Eventually, when you say good-bye to a graduating swimmer, you also say good-bye to a graduating family. Terrific supporters over many years, the *Heindel, Lougaris, and Mulligan families* will be sorely missed in the years to come.

So, the end of another season – it always comes around too quickly. Congratulations to all of our swimmers! We hope our new families enjoyed their swim team experience enough to come back next year, and we hope our 'old' families had as much fun if not more than they've ever had before. Looking forward to next season, we have another great team in the making...

To our current Sharks, if you have the opportunity to get any time in the water over the winter – please take it! To any potential new Sharks, we look forward to seeing you in the pool next spring.

Enjoy the rest of the summer! Thanks for a wonderful season ...



BOARD MEMBERS NEEDED!

Election time is right around the corner. We are looking for Shadow Brook homeowners who would like to get involved in the neighborhood. Please consider running for a board position.



Going on Vacation?

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

- Julien Childress.....323-5024
- Caitlyn & Jacob Tenczar.....268-0720
- Natalie Royle268-2127
- Max Tempel.....268-4892
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BOARD AND COMMITTEE INFORMATION

PLEASE NOTE: ALL BOARD EMAIL ADDRESSES PRIOR TO 2011 ARE NOT FUNCTIONING.

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***Email is the preferred mode of communication.** However, for those who do not have internet access or email, the Board members have generously provided their phone numbers. Please be respectful of the times of day that you call.

BOARD MEETING MINUTES

To review any past Board meeting minutes, check our website: www.shadowbrook.org. If you cannot find the board minutes that you are looking for, please email splasher@shadowbrook.org to request a copy.