

# The Baldwin Breeze

## Spring Newsletter

Welcome to the spring edition of the Baldwin Breeze! We are looking forward to another great year.

American Pool will be managing the pool again this year. American Pool, based out of Owings Mills, Maryland, was founded in 1984 and serves over 3000 commercial pools nationwide. They will be managing the lifeguards in addition to the usual pool maintenance.



### Calling all mowers!

The grounds need mowed and weeds need trimmed on a weekly basis when the pool is open (and on a bi-weekly basis during the growing season when the pool is closed). To keep expenses low, we have always done this in-house.

We need a handful of volunteers who are willing to mow once (or more) during the summer, and we need a volunteer Mowing Coordinator to organize the mowing schedule.

The first mowing counts as your member service requirement, and anyone who mows additional times will get \$50 for each mowing.

You must have your own riding mower.

If you are willing and able to mow, please indicate this on your membership invoice (and choose this over the other opportunities, as it has been difficult to get enough mowers). If you are interested in serving as the Mowing Coordinator for the pool, please contact Kurtis ([swope@usna.edu](mailto:swope@usna.edu)).

Thank you!!!

### 2017 Membership Rates and Pool Hours

This year membership rates are \$450

Guest Fees \$5

(5 free guest passes included in membership)



### Pool Hours for 2017

**Saturday May 27<sup>th</sup> – Friday June 16<sup>th</sup>**

Mon – Thurs 4 - 7 p.m., Friday 4 – 8 p.m.,  
Sat/Sun/Holidays noon to 8 p.m.

**June 17<sup>th</sup> through Labor Day**

Noon to 8 p.m. daily

We will be continuing the new guest fee arrangement. Each member family will receive 5 free guest passes. When you bring a guest to the pool you will sign them in (there will be a guest binder with paid guest passes for each family).

Please avoid bringing cash to the pool to pay guest fees. If you require more passes they can be purchased in sets of 5 by mailing a check (\$25) to the Treasurer. Guest passes do not expire, and unused guest passes will carry over to next year.

Also just a reminder of a few pool rules: there is a **no alcohol policy**, and please remember that children under 13 years of age must be accompanied by an adult.

Check out the website at

[www.baldwinhillsswimclub.com](http://www.baldwinhillsswimclub.com)

*A quiet retreat from today's hectic schedules.*



We have several events planned for the summer:

**Memorial Day Weekend** we will be hosting a pot luck barbeque.

The **Annual Luau** will be held in July.

**Smore's Nite** and our **Dive-In Movie** will be a pleasant evening in August.

\*\*\* To hold these events, we need a Social Coordinator willing to help plan the Luau and other fun activities. If this is something you are interested in, please contact Kurtis ([swope@usna.edu](mailto:swope@usna.edu)).



Mark your calendars - The Spring Clean-up date is Saturday, May 13<sup>th</sup> starting at 9:00 a.m. Sign up to help on your membership invoice.

### **New Members Welcome**

We had 70 active member families last year. If you know anyone who would be interested in joining this summer, please direct them to the website [www.baldwinhillsswimclub.com](http://www.baldwinhillsswimclub.com). The goal is to reach 80 member families.

### **Inclement weather**

In the case of inclement weather, you can call the pool phone (410-923-6007) to check if it is open. If no answer, it is closed! If thunder occurs, the pool is evacuated (for 30 minutes after the last occurrence). If lightning occurs, the pool is closed and everyone must leave the premises.

Under American Pool's general policy, if the pool does not open by 4 pm due to inclement weather, it will remain closed for the day.



### **Party Guidelines**

All parties will have a 3 hour limit  
Up to 15 party guests (including members) \$45  
Up to 30 party guests (including members) \$65  
Parties must be booked two weeks in advance.

### **Contact Information**

If you have any questions or suggestions please contact us:

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