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**Aquatic Advisory Committee  
Glendale/Kirkwood/Oakland  
Meeting Minutes  
July 12, 2010 6:45 p.m.  
Recreation Station Aquatic Center**

Members Present: Joe, Jason, Carol, Allison, Elmer, Gayle, Crissy

- 1) **Citizen Comments** – None
- 2) **Approval of the March 2010 Minutes** – held over until next meeting to approve
- 3) **Superintendent's Report**
  - A) Water Clarity Issues
    - Crissy spoke regarding the comp. pool issues over the past few weeks and the steps MPM/Westport is taking to clear the body of water up.
    - Westport opened both comp pool filters and found a thin layer of a cotton/debris material over the top of the entire filter media and even coming out of the filter piping. They removed the layer and debris and restarted the filters back up.
    - Crissy said we should see a change after a few filtration cycles.
  - B) SCS Play Structure
    - Jason is working with Westport to repair or replace the pull-down features of the unit. Crissy reported she thought parts were ordered.
    - Jason will also review the unit with Crissy to see if other features need to be worked on.
- 4) **Old Business**
  - A) Pool Management Services Up-Date
    - Crissy reported staff levels were good and the management staff was doing very well through this point in the season.
    - The pool will have to depend on other MPM staff to manage the pool towards the end of the season, but this happened last year and coverage was fine once the current management staff leaves for college.
  - B) Policy & Procedures Manual
    - Jason reported he revised a few 'Complex Rules' from the manual and will bring a completed, up-dated copy to the next meeting.
    - Jason also encouraged the members to let him know if there were changes to be reviewed before the next meeting as well.

## **5) New Business**

### **A) Group Admission Policy**

- Jason reviewed the current policy and reported a resident request for a group of approximately 100+ to enter the pool at a group rate.
- The committee discussed the proposal and decided to stand by the current policy of residents completing a 'Group Admission Form' and Jason approving or denying the request as others have submitted to him. It was approved to offer the group resident rate for the entire group for this specific request.

### **B) Parent to Child Ratio Policy**

- Jason reviewed the current policy and reported an email for a concerned citizen of Kirkwood regarding groups of kids in the pool that are not supervised.
- Crissy and Jason spoke regarding the current policy and what the management staff could do to help control the groups of kids and if need be, take the kids to their 'adult supervision' and discuss any issue at hand.
- The committee recommended staying with the current policy as stated and trying to control any issues with management staff and Jason before looking at making changes to the policy.

## **6) Committee Comments**

- Allison was concerned with the fact any one can come up to the lost and found and take items that people worked hard for and paid for. She observed a family taking several items from the lost and found when it was not even theirs. Jason discussed the option of buying three plastic containers and labeling them for towels, clothes, other and placing them under the desk.
- Elmer discussed the issues at a Warrington Pool with a chemical reaction and an employee was injured. Crissy spoke of the situation and how MPM has taken actions to stop this from happening in the future. Crissy reported this was the first time this happened and it was human error that caused the reaction.
- Carol reported she ate at the concession stand and loved the option of the smaller fry boat and it was good!
- Carol also wanted to know what it would take to get the river water feature to work again that sprays down on the south/west corner of the river. Jason and Crissy will look into the matter.

## **7) Next Meeting**

- August 9, 2010, at the pool.