

THE ULMSTEAD



Weathervane

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From the President

Greetings Neighbors,

I'd like to begin my first update as UCI President by thanking our outgoing Board members **Jon Lane** and **Don Kiewitt**, as well as our outgoing treasurer **Bert Kelly**. All three have devoted significant time and energy to serving our community, and I will personally miss their contributions on the Board. On behalf of the community, we thank you all for your service. When you see them, please be sure to thank them personally.

On February 26th we held the UCI Annual Meeting at Gloria Dei Church with a fantastic turnout; it's so nice to be back to in-person community meetings again! Congratulations to **Ginny Vernick** and **Alli Smith** who were elected as your two new Board members and will begin their three-year term. We also announced that **Renee Kelly** will be stepping into the treasurer role after supporting Bert as assistant treasurer, and **Jim Vermilye** has volunteered to serve as assistant treasurer, bringing lots of experience from other organizations. Finally, additional congratulations are in order for **Trish Brett** who was given the Community Service Award for all her contributions to the beach park and children's parties in 2021.

February turned out to be a busy month for UCI, as **Brian Murray** hosted another community meeting on February 12th to provide an update on the barn property. Also a very well attended meeting, it was great to hear such lively discussions and get good feedback from community members. I expect this will be the first of several barn related community meetings in 2022 as we make decisions that will drive our 2023 budget, so please be on the lookout for announcements for future meetings.

If you were unable to attend either meeting, the slides will be posted to the Members Only section of the new Ulmstead website launched last year. If you haven't already registered, please visit www.ulmstead.com and click Register under the Members menu (at the top right of the page) and you'll be verified by Membership and provided access.

As I write this letter, the temperature outside is over 70 degrees and I'm having visions of boating. That means March is sure to smack us back into winter before the week is out, but it also means spring (and Slip Selection for the boaters!) is just around the corner. There was a fair amount of discussion at the annual meeting about pedestrian safety concerns, so please be safe as you start enjoying the nice weather. Look for more information to come on how we can all be safer while enjoying some fresh air!

Finally, I'd like to apologize for the late distribution of this Weathervane. With our UCI Annual meeting so late in the month, we had a small mix-up in transitioning responsibilities to meeting print deadlines. Now the new Board is settled in, and I fully expect to be back on schedule next month! I look forward to an exciting year and seeing everyone out and about this spring!

Mike Sawyer
UCI President
President@ulmstead.org

UCI DEPARTMENTS AND ACTIVITIES

NAUTICAL

Nautical Slip Selection 2022 IS ALMOST HERE!

Slip Selection will be held on the barn parking lot on **Saturday, March 12** at 9:30 am. Beginning at 9:00 am, UCI Membership and Nautical will verify eligibility to select a boat slip. You must be able to show that you meet all the requirements, which are detailed in the Nautical Department Rules.

To avoid delays at slip selection, ownership and insurance information may be emailed to Jason Dowell at jdowell4@verizon.net .

Please read the Slip Selection Package carefully (emailed to all nautical members). Any issues concerning eligibility or priority must be addressed no later than March 5, 2022 by contacting Bill Zichos at dockmaster@ulmstead.org .

Small boat stickers and trailer stickers for the use of the kayak racks and boat ramp will be available at slip selection.

SOCIAL

Spring into Summer Party!

Ulmstead's 1st Annual Spring into Summer Party!
Come welcome our newest residents
and catch up with old friends.

Saturday, May 18th 6:30-10pm
{New Residents please join us at 5:30}
Location: Ulmstead Pool

Featuring Ulmstead's very own BBQ Extraordinaire:
Hoopers Catering

We will have cold beer on tap
thanks to a friendly beer truck,
also lots of wine and a signature cocktail!!

**This is an Adults only gathering*
All UCI Residents in good standing are welcome
Please RSVP for head count purposes to:
membership@ulmstead.org

SWIM CLUB

Time to Register for the 2022 Ulmstead Pool Season!

Good News! Spring is around the corner, and it is time to register for the Ulmstead Swim Club. Due to an increase in the cost of pool maintenance fees and virtually everything else, the membership dues are increasing this year.

To register and start daydreaming about lounging by the pool this summer, head to our website www.ulmsteadswimclub.com and click on Join our Club. We are looking forward to a fun-filled summer at the pool!

Listed below are the updated dues moving forward:

New Resident: \$625 + \$800 bond + \$50 one-time initiation fee = \$1475
Resident Family: \$625
Resident Empty Nester: \$370

Resident Individual: \$255

See you at the pool,
Your Ulmstead Pool Board

ULMSTEAD SWIM TEAM NEWS

We are so excited to announce the start of another exciting season of the Ulmstead Swim Team! Many volunteers are buzzing around behind the scenes to ensure a **fun, exciting, and successful** season!

Don't miss this opportunity to be part of your neighborhood swim team, hang with your friends and strengthen your swimming skills! We are thrilled to welcome back our Head Coach, Colleen Winans, and Assistant Coach, Trevor Brinton! We are grateful to our returning sponsor – The Orthopedic Specialty Hospital at Mercy – and we are looking for more sponsors.

Swim Team Registration opens on April 1st

THINGS TO THINK ABOUT BEFORE YOU REGISTER:

- There will be 4 swim meets on Saturday mornings between June 18 – July 16 (there will be one bye week TBD); Medal meets will be July 20th, 23rd, and 24th.
- Swimmers must be able to swim the length of the pool; this is a friendly-competitive team NOT swim lessons (although your child's swimming stroke improvement is one of the goals of our coaches). If they cannot swim the length or your swimmer needs more help – YOU HAVE TIME – get them involved in lessons **NOW!** Lessons start in March at the Severna Park Community Center and the YMCA.
- **Our network of parents** keeps the team organized and allow our meets to run smoothly. Each family is expected to fulfill their required volunteer assignments. Assignments are for the duration of the meet and will be assigned with consideration of your choices (see job descriptions on website under PARENTS – VOLUNTEER DESCRIPTIONS) and vacation schedules as submitted on your registration form. The number of volunteer assignment requirements will depend on how many families register but will likely be for 2-3 full meets or an equivalent time frame depending on your assignment.
- **New to swim team?** We know it can seem a little overwhelming at first, but we've all been there and can tell you about what to expect. We will be holding a meeting in early April to answer any questions you may have, or feel free to email Tanya Schwartz at asstdirector@ulmsteadswimteam.org.

Registration Details

- Registration opens **April 1, 2022** on website www.ulmsteadswimteam.org
- Register by **April 15, 2022** to get a personalized swim cap
- After **May 1, 2022**, a late fee of \$50 will be charged per family
- You must be an Ulmstead Swim Club/Pool member to register (unless you qualify for our Swim Team Only Teen membership which is an extra \$100 but no pool membership is required – see FAQ on website for details) – Pool membership registration begins in March.
- The registration fee will be \$135 per swimmer for the first two swimmers in a family; additional swimmers are \$120 each. Registration fees cover swimmers AAU insurance fees, facility maintenance, various other swim team-related expenses, and Medal Meet league fees.
- Registration is completed online and payments must be made through PayPal or personal check.
- Please contact Karin Mottus with any questions at director@ulmsteadswimteam.org.

Practice Schedule

Weekday practice schedule while school is in session
starts Tuesday, May 31st after school:

Time	Age Group
3:30-4:00 pm	6 and under
4:00-4:30 pm	7-8
4:30-5:15 pm	9-10 and 11-12
5:15-6:00 pm	13 and older

Regular season practice will start when public schools close:

Time	Age Group	Walk-in Working Teen Dedicated Lane & Workout
7:15-8:00 am	9-10	15 and older
8:00-8:45 am	7-8	15 and older
8:45-9:15 pm	6 and under	15 and older
9:15-10:00 am	11-12	15 and older
10:00-10:45 am	13 and older	15 and older
10:00-10:45 am	9-10 (if can't make 7:15am)	

We are looking for SPONSORS!

Help make this a great season for our ducks and ***promote your business by being a sponsor!***
Sponsorship includes: your company's logo on team shirts, posting your banner at home swim meets, an announcement at home swim meets, and your logo on the swim team website. Contact Ime Lewis for more information at asstdirector@ulmsteadswimteam.org.

UCI OFFICERS AND VOLUNTEERS

www.ulmstead.org

Please email any changes / updates to Weathervane@Ulmstead.org and Membership@Ulmstead.org. Thanks!

UCI Board of Directors
and liaison roles

Mike Sawyer – President/Nautical
– Vice President/Security
Marina Anglim – Membership/Tennis
– Beach
Colin “Dino” Lynch – Pool/Scenic
Bryan Murray – Barn
Colin Robertson
Renee Kelly
Jim Vermilye

Secretary
Treasurer
Assistant Treasurer

DEPARTMENTS & ACTIVITIES

Barn Department	Chris Barron
Reservations	Elizabeth Manicchia & Kathie Cosgrove
Beach & Shore Department	Vin Hardick
Reservations	Ginny Vernick
Nautical Department	Bill Zichos
Dock Party	Jessica Lane
Scenic Department	Vacant
Ball Field	Bob Svehlak
Beautification	Michelle Mahan
Security Department	Bob Ammon
Tennis Department	Stephanie Pagoota
Maintenance	Mark Overton
Social Activities Department	Vacant
Senior Activities	B. Myers, P. Konrad
Adult/Family Events	
Spring into Summer	Membership Dept
July 4th Parade & Picnic	Mike Duvall
Fishing Tournament	Richard Harrison
Ladies Wine & Cheese	Gillian Duvall
Fall Camp-out	Rob Hooper
Guy's Beer & Brats	Scott Glubke
Wings, Chili, Homebrew	Chris Brett
Children	
Weekly Playgroup	Anne Lynch
Spring Party	Vacant
Autumn Party	Trish Brett
Christmas	Kathy Vavrina
Membership Department	Kathy Pruissen
Bumper Stickers	Lynne Andrews
Welcoming	Mary Jo Powers, Ann Albrecht, Tracy Seybert
Webmaster	EG Gipple
Community Emails	Mandy Panetta
Weatherane Editor	Marion Ticknor

INDEPENDENT ORGANIZATIONS

ULMSTEAD SWIM CLUB

<https://sites.google.com/a/ulmstead.org/ulmstead-pool/>

President	Mike Duvall
Vice President	Sharman Devaney
Secretary	Tracy Seybert
Membership	Lisa Gattie
Treasurer	Jenny Hardgrave
Maintenance	Mark Dupcak
Social	Corey Green & Trish Brett
Member at Large	Kerri Sodero
UCI Board Liaison	Colin “Dino” Lynch
Swim Team Liaison	Suzanne Vaaler

SWIM CLUB QUICK LINKS

pool@ulmstead.org

SWIM TEAM

www.UlmsteadSwimTeam.org

Directors	Karin Mottus & Ime Lewis
Merchandise	Marina Anglim
Concessions	Julie Brick & Courtney Dupcak
GASL League Rep	Jerilyn Deitch
Meet Manager (IT)	Liz Norton
Treasurer	Laura Martino
Team Webmaster	Hannah Goldstein
Volunteers Coord	Alli Smith
Head Coach	Colleen Winans
Assistant Coaches	Trevor Brinton
Special Events	Michelle Mahan

BOY SCOUT TROOP 835

Scoutmaster	Mike Allen
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Weathervane Distribution Mike Allen (manager), S. Allen, August, Abbey, Cooley, Daly, Davis, Delany, Deller,
Fierstein, McCoun, McKees, Root, Weiss, Wildt

EMAIL QUICK LINKS


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Weathervane@ulmstead.org
Tennis@ulmstead.org

Ulmstead Calendar – March 2022

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1	2 Board Meeting 6:30 PM	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12 9:30 Slip Selection Barn Parking lot
13 	14	15	16	17 	18 	19
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28	29	30	31		

Reminders: UCI Board meetings are the first Wednesday of every month at 6:30PM. Email: board@ulmstead.org
 The deadline for the April Weathervane is March **25th**. Email: weathervane@ulmstead.org