

Pool Committee Report / September 2019

The final report on the change of operating hours is still to the positive: the only complaints came from, as far as we know, two individuals who were unhappy with the three days of closure between the Labor Day holiday weekend and the Pooch Plunge weekend. Hearty thanks to Mike and Liz LaFortune for their fund raising efforts from our neighbors for a thank you gift to Yana, our 2019 lifeguard.

The new underwater LED fixtures and bulbs were finally installed at the beginning of August and transformed the pool's cosmetic image to one of being very up to date.

The potential of a fire caused by the gas grill was raised toward the end of the season, the primary concern being the grill location alongside the pump room wall. The grill was relocated to the outside edge of the deck which provided the recommended 15ft of space between a structure and the grilling location; however, it is still standing on a wooden deck and surrounded by additional wooden decking and building elements. Brief discussion containing ideas for alternate locations did occur, but to no conclusive end. It is a complicated subject, perhaps best brought to the community at large via a survey covering interest in maintaining a grilling location for those owners unable to grill onsite, and possible successful locations.

The pool deck and locker rooms will be completely closed down for the off season at the end of October. The contract with Anchor Aquatics for 2020 should be arriving with the next month or so, it will be evaluated by the committee and then passed along with recommendations to the Board and MMG.