

April 13, 2023

After the end of the 2022 pool season, it was time for our current Board of Directors to hand over duties to continue on the success of the pool. Throughout a series of unfortunate events, this change in the Board was more than unsuccessful.

Full of hope, we seated a Board that included a new President, new Secretary and new Treasurer for the upcoming 2023 season. After assessment of the pool and the work that needed to be completed prior to opening for the 2023 season, the newly seated Board Members did not wish to fulfill their duties and voluntarily resigned from the Board. This left an uphill battle for the remaining Board to open in time for the season, but we were still hopeful.

As per every year, there is a great amount of routine offseason maintenance to complete prior to being in a safe operating condition to pass inspection and open on Memorial Day weekend. At this point, no maintenance had been done and we needed to begin quickly to open on time.

However, the Monday following these voluntary Board resignations, it was anonymously reported to the City of Lincoln that there were safety concerns for the pool in its current condition. This resulted in a large delay for us to begin any work on the pool as we were instructed to wait for both city and state officials to assess the pool in its current condition. After this assessment, it was decided by the city that the pool was in need of an engineer to now assess the pool and determine what work would need to be completed in order for us to then receive the city and state approval to begin work to safely open for the 2023 season.

It is now six weeks prior to opening weekend. We are currently working on securing an engineer in hopes to be able to do the necessary repairs in order to open. We are hopeful and eager to move forward towards opening Meadowlane Pool!

We are open to any and all help that our members can provide. There is so much love and support for our pool, and we are asking for your assistance. After more than 60 successful years, it would be heartbreaking to see Meadow Lane Pool be unable to open.

Sincerely, 2023 Meadow Lane Pool Board of Directors

President: Angie Kastl Vice President: Robyn Keys Secretary: Treasurer: Shannon Castillo & Laurie Hookham Membership: Jamie Bunger Board Members At Large: Nate Gemmell, Jake Wilhelm, Kim Wilhelm, Ann Lough, Lori Hattan, Kate Haden, Jenn Stroemer-Schwartz