

## Staff Meeting 2/20/14 and 2/23/14

In attendance: Chelsea Bauman, Satchel Beranek, Kayla Drozd, Kenzie Drozd, Mari Faber, Annie Fochs, Michaela Geier, Terese Globensky, Katrina Guralski, Isadore Hackle, Anne Hadler, Heather Hoyt, Tyler Lang, Cathy Matel, Matt Matel, Katie Miller, Allisen Montana, Jennifer Passehl, Janine Van Rixel

Excused: Trista Baye-Martin, Abigail Buchberger, Heidi Hadler, Jansen Imhoff, James Krautkramer, Mandy Krautkramer, Rusty Krautkramer, Marie Stubbe

Un-Excused: All staff either came or made arrangements; thanks!

### **Drills**

- The drill for February was reviewed with those that had not already completed it. It was 2 scenarios to help us review what to do for heart attack victims (it is American Heart Month). If you have not yet completed your February drills please try and do so by the end of the month.
- The first drill was an unconscious victim. One thing to remember that many of us forgot was to look at the clock when the incident first starts because it is important for medical personnel to know how long the person has been out.
- The second drill was a conscious victim. One thing that some of us had trouble remembering was what to ask the person so that we know what to tell the medical personnel. You can use the acronym SAMPLE; S=Signs and symptoms, A=Allergies, M=Medications, P=Pertinent past medical history, L=Last oral intake, and E=Events leading up to the incident.
- The lucky people that attended the Thursday meeting also got to clean sand from the pool, because we needed to backwash. Thank You! This will hopefully be the last time we will have to do that before we get the new filters the week of March 10<sup>th</sup>.
- Remember, guards will be off that week, but we will still need desk staff because non-member registration will be going on.

### **Lessons**

- We had a discussion about if we should continue to hand out "cards" when a swimmer passes a level, or not. We will have enough cards to finish the winter session.
- The Red Cross no longer sends us enough cards to cover all of our swim sessions throughout the year. In order to get them we would have to go into a much more expensive program.

- It was decided that starting with the spring session we will continue to give out our evaluations but we will only give a card if the parent requests it.
- We will see how many requests we get. If we have enough cards doing it that way, then we will leave it like that. If not then Cathy will design a card that we can print here at the pool. It will not be an "official" Red Cross card.