



Yak Attack



Hey everyone,
Welcome to Yak – the official team news letter and Team mascot. Since that is all we do at practice, we decided to use that symbol for our club. ☺ lol

Sorry about the lateness of the Alabama Sports Festival Meet report. I have been very busy of late. At the bottom is the link to the meet results. It was a great meet – very small group of masters and lots of kids. The masters mainly consisted of our team; Andy (Margaret & Kids in tow), Enid & Michael (participated in the TRI event), Tara, Wendy, Rebecca and me. As we baked in the sun waiting on our heats we thought of the ASU Pool and what good fortune we have in that facility. More on that in a sec. The water was about as warm as the MTRC pool but it felt cooler because we were so hot being outdoors from 7:00am until 4:00pm and no cover from the sun. Yes, they said it would be over by noon? The midway point award ceremony took almost 2 hours. Yes, they had all kinds of classification for the kids – USS, USA, Recreational.....you name it and they had it. Enid got so hot and dehydrated she decided to cut lose and not swim the rest of her events. We could not ditch and run because Scott Pless (from AU Masters who road with us) was officiating. Sorry Scott, we are blaming you. The ladies said you are most welcome anytime. ☺ Yeah, I'd say that's okay but I don't know if I would sleep with you again....lol ☺ ASF needs some feed back from those who participated. I think everyone swam well considering, I did.

Update on ASU pool. I talked with coach Crump and he said that he had been talking with a Mr. Perry who is in charge of the maintenance on pool and he said that we would look into getting the lane line fixed. Coach Crump told him that we would help contribute to the repair but, it did not seem to spur Mr. Perry on. Coach Crump does not want us to contact Mr. Perry; he said doing that would just make him irritated and less likely to get it fixed.

We are cracking down on lateness at MTR Center. We have to be out of the bldg by 6:45 which means if you want a shower you need to need to be out no later than 6:15 for some of you. That means if you show up at 5:30 you only have 45 min or less to swim (10 min changing time...etc...). Sorry, but it takes longer than that to set up and take down. If you are not on the deck by 5:15 we will not swim unless the person responsible that evening has a soft heart.

Coming Soon: Wendy is working on a summer social – we would like full participation – if that means bring kids, wives , husbands, significant others, partners, sex kittens, ex's, whatever – then bring them!!!!!!!

Wendy ran into Michael's wife Jayne. He left yesterday for Iraq. Wendy said she is to get Michaels email. Hopefully she will and we can send greetings to him. I hope you keep him in your prayers and thoughts while he is on his mission and most importantly Jayne and their daughters. We may try doing a combined workout with him via web cam once we get back to ASU.

Rebecca and I need a break from our swimming duties. We are thinking of taking about 3 weeks off before we start back at ASU the first of September. If we can not get Wendy, Joe and Sharon to take over for us we will have to cancel swimming just for that 3 week period of time. Please let me know if you have a problem with this.

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