2025 Aquatic Center Summary

Highlights:

- 1. Attendance only down about 730 people while being open 10 less days than last season. One day was due to the summer schedule and 9 days were due to weather.
- 2. No major incidents
- 3. With a donation from the Rush City Pool Committee via The Erickson Trust, we added a new dump slide in the diving well. It was a great new attraction for swimmers. Other items that were purchased with donations from the Rush City Pool Committee included new basketball hoops, new funbrella, round tables for concessions, a new lifeguard chair, more chaise lounges, and more high back chairs. All totaled around \$48,000.

Challenges:

- 1. The Aquatic center was able to be open all or part of only 60 of the 72 days it was scheduled to be open.
- 2. One of the largest challenges remains the number of patrons trying to take advantage of household season passes and taking advantage of household day passes.

Attendance:

Total attendance - 15,558

- 1. June attendance 4,399
 - a. 23 possible days open
 - b. 7 closed
 - c. 16 open
- 2. July attendance 7,843
 - a. 31 possible days open
 - b. 5 closed
 - c. 26 open
- 3. August attendance 3,316
 - a. 17 possible days open
 - b. 0 closed
 - c. 17 open

Swimming Lessons

Session I - 126

Session II - 112

Session III - 144

Lil Tots

Both I and II were maxed out at 60 per class

Water Aerobics

June - 32 - missed 4 sessions July - 100 - missed 1 session Aug - 38 -missed 0 sessions

Maintenance 2025:

Had issues keeping water to the top of the big slide. Limped through to the end
of the season. Multiple theories as to what the issue may be. So far no solutions.
Possibility to have suction and return lines looked at with a camera to rule out a
crack in the piping that supplies that slide.

Maintenance 2026:

- 1. Before the 2026 pool season, there are a few issues that need to be addressed. Hopefully the pool will winter well and these will be the only items.
- 2. Minor cement work around the zero entry area of the pool.
- 3. Repainting of pool.
- 4. Cleaning of the heat exchanger in the boiler.
- 5. Refresh floors in the locker rooms.
- 6. Replacement and addition of some signage.