



## VAST 2011 Banquet

The Valley Area Swim Team will hold its annual Awards Banquet on Saturday, August 6<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 p.m. in the gymnasium at the Valley Community Center.

The Swim Team will provide grilled hamburgers and hotdogs. The rest of the meal will be covered dish by the team families. We are asking the following age groups to bring the specified items:

8 & Under – Tea and Drinks	13 & 14's – Salads and Dressing
9 & 10's – Chips (2 bags)	15 & 16 – Desserts (Cookies and Brownies)
11 & 12's – Cole Slaw Potato Salad	17 & 18- Fruit or Vegetable Tray

Each swimmer will receive two tickets; swimmers do not need a ticket. Additional tickets will be \$5.00 each (before purchasing extra tickets please check with families that have multiple swimmers, they may have tickets they won't need). The need for tickets is so we will be able to supply enough food for everyone that will be attending the banquet. Please make checks payable to the Valley Area Swim Team.

We will be presenting a slide show of the events from this season. If you have pictures you would like included in the slide show, please forward them to Michelle Crutchfield at [cmcrutchfield@charter.net](mailto:cmcrutchfield@charter.net). The more pictures we have the better the slide show will be. Also, the swimmers LOVE to see themselves on the screen.

In appreciation of the coaches, the team has purchased gifts for them. In addition we will also have a card for Mitch where, if you feel led, you can enclose a love offering for all of the time he has spent with the team that the City does not pay him for. Please do not mention the gift to Coach Mitch.

The awards banquet is also when new members are voted onto the VAST Board of Directors. This year we will have four positions to fill. The members whose two-year terms have been completed are Sara Shrewsbury and Neva VanMeter. We also have two board appointed members who were willing to take the positions of members who have resigned, they are Collen Boyd and Dana Terry. Those staying on the board are Michelle Crutchfield, Troy Higdon, Leslie Perdue, Hollie Foster, Ollie Sellers and the head coach. Please see the attached sheet for information regarding nominations for the Board of Directors. All nominations need to be turned in no later than Thursday, August 5<sup>th</sup>.

The agenda for the banquet will be as follows:

6:00 p.m. – Dinner, Voting and Slide Show begin

7:00 p.m. – Awards Presentation begin

8:30 p.m. – New Board of Directors Members announced (or after awards presentation)

**You must RSVP no later than Thursday, July 29<sup>th</sup>. You can drop off your RSVP form in the banquet folder in the swimmer's mailbox or e-mail Michelle Crutchfield at [cmcrutchfield@charter.net](mailto:cmcrutchfield@charter.net). Tickets for all non swimmers will be mailed out on Friday, July 29<sup>th</sup>.**

If you have any questions or concerns please contact Michelle Crutchfield at (706)590-1342 or [cmcrutchfield@charter.net](mailto:cmcrutchfield@charter.net).