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Vote for Moana and help build our pool!

**AMERICA IS YOUR PARK
MOANA PARK IS RENO'S PARK
LET'S VOTE DAILY AND OFTEN**

Here's how to help Moana Park and Stadium win a \$100,000 grant to be used to restore, rebuild or enhance the park:

Coca-Cola is holding their 3rd annual America is Your Park campaign. Parks are the anchors of our communities, providing places for friends, families and neighbors to be active and enjoy the outdoors together. Last year park supporters cast more than 13 million votes for their favorite parks to win money for improvements.

The park with the most votes wins a \$100,000 recreation grant. 2nd place wins \$50,000 and 3rd wins \$25,000. With just a click of a button, people can vote for Moana Park and Stadium at www.LivePositively.com/parks.

We have until July 15, 2012 at midnight EST to vote.

Sign up for Foursquare – a location based social networking application and you can register 100 votes every time you “check in”, all from your smartphone. Just go to Moana Park and Stadium, log into Foursquare and “check in”. It is that simple. You can check in up to 3 times per hour, 28 times per day, so every time you drive by Moana – check in.

Signing up for Foursquare is easy.

Step 1: Go to <https://foursquare.com/download> to download the free foursquare application to your smartphone.

Step 2: Set up a foursquare account.

Step 3: Follow the directions on the LivePositively.com/parks desktop or mobile site to register your foursquare account with the campaign site and accept the application permissions.

Step 4: Now you are ready to go to the park and vote. Once you are there, voting is as easy as pulling out your smartphone, opening the foursquare app and “checking in”.



Find us on Facebook!

Click here and become a fan today!

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Aquafest 2012

SAVE THE DATE: *Aquafest 2012* will be held **Saturday, August 25th**, at Idlewild, with day long events and evening festivities from 5pm to 9pm.

Each month we will be featuring one of our Olympians in our newsletter, complete with biographies and photographs. For the month of May, we are featuring our returning guest and master of ceremonies, Rowdy Gaines.

Tickets are on sale now!

They can be purchased at www.snaquatics.org/sna-store.

Adult tickets are just \$25 and include dinner, dessert and a drink from the bar. Kid's tickets (12 and under) are only \$10 and include dinner, dessert and a drink.

Aquafest 2012 Featured Athlete: Rowdy Gaines



Rowdy has one of the most inspirational stories in all of sports. Missing the U.S. Boycotted 1980 Olympics didn't end Rowdy's career, it ignited it! After taking a year off, Rowdy returned to the 1984 Olympics an underdog but emerged a winner and it doesn't stop there. In 1991 Rowdy was diagnosed with Guillan-Barre Syndrome, paralyzing him for over two weeks; not only did he recover, he went on to win 2 World Masters Titles and broke 2 World Masters Records the following year.

He is known as one of the world's most dedicated, as well as, ambitious athletes and symbolizes the American quest for more than gold. Today, Rowdy Gaines is often referred to as "Swimming's Greatest Ambassador." Known as the voice of swimming, he has worked with CBS, TNT, ESPN, and NBC as an announcer for swimming and other events. He travels the

world passionately sharing his love for the sport of swimming with youth, parents, and coaches.

Career Highlights

- 3-Time Olympic Gold Medalist
- 11-Time World Record Holder
- 5-Time World Champion
- 22-Time NCAA all American
- Inducted into the Olympic Hall of Fame

This year Rowdy will once again be serving as SNCA's master of ceremonies for *Aquafest 2012*. Please come out and join us and meet this U.S. swimming legend!

Stayed tuned for next month's newsletter, as we continue our countdown to *Aquafest 2012*!



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Thank You for Adopt-A-Pool 2012 Success!

SNCA would like to thank everyone who attended Adopt-A-Pool 2012 over the last week! The amount of people that came out to help with this year's event met our expectations and exceeded the City of Reno's. Although not the most glamorous of work, everyone rolled up their sleeves and DOVE IN. The event on Saturday, June 2nd had over 100 volunteers!

We would also like to thank this year's sponsors: The Reno Area Triathletes and Todd's Body Shop for purchasing the event t-shirts; NV Energy for supplying drinks and snacks; and also a special thank you to the Sierra Nevada Masters for their donation of all the flowers we planted.

SNCA would like to congratulate the Lakeridge Swim Team for bringing out the most volunteers. They will receive 10 free tickets to the August 25th Aquafest event!

Once again THANK YOU to everyone who made the event a success!

