



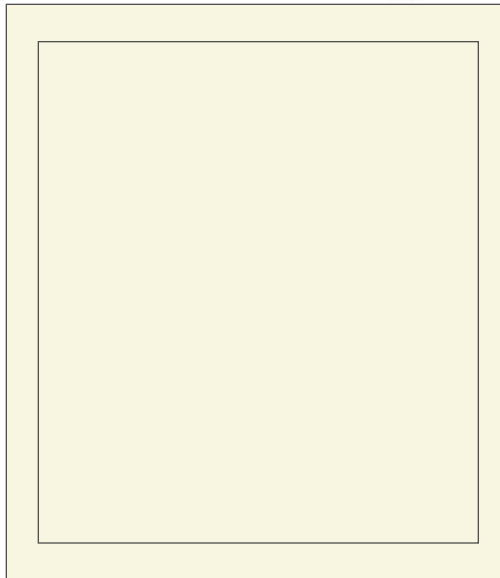
Early in 2006, a few regular swimmers were frustrated by the declining water quality and condition of Barton Springs Pool, and decided to do something about it. They formed Friends of Barton Springs Pool, a group dedicated to returning the pool to its rightful glory.

What we've accomplished...

- * Organized 1200 volunteer hours to clean the Pool while removing 9,000 lbs. of algae.
- * Developed a culture of stewardship through which we learn about the Pool as we work to care for it.
- * Initiated a joint project with Aquatics and Watershed staff to rewrite the operating manual for the Pool.
- * City Council responded to our requests concerning the environmental state of the Pool by allocating \$6.2 million for renovations!
- * Worked with the Council and Aquatics staff to pass a resolution to create and fund a Barton Springs Master Plan.

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See you at the pool!

*Help restore
Barton Springs
Pool to its rightful
glory with the...*



Why join our organization?

Make a difference by becoming a member of the Friends of Barton Springs Pool today! You may join by volunteering four hours annually or by paying the \$25 membership dues.

Name

Address

City, State, Zip

E-mail address (To receive newsletters and other information. Never shared.)

Phone

Fax

Make your check payable to Austin Parks Foundation and put "Friends of Barton Springs Pool" in the memo line. You may contribute more than \$25 if you like! If you have already volunteered at the pool, please indicate the dates you volunteered and your membership dues will be waived.

Dates

I would also like to serve on a committee:

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- * Because you love the pool!
- * Be involved in the new pool stewardship movement.
- * Stay informed about ongoing improvement projects.
- * Get in the pool with other volunteers and help keep it clean and plant new trees.
- * Advocate for the pool and grounds to city leaders, staff and the public.
- * Work to ensure funding and implementation of the Barton Springs Pool Master Plan.
- * Have fun with swimmers and friends of the pool!

Our Mission

The Friends of Barton Springs Pool creates a community of people dedicated to restoring, improving and maintaining the pool and surrounding grounds through organizing, advocacy, volunteer work, education and fun.

We work to inspire an appreciation of the rich history of Barton Springs Pool and pride in this natural treasure. We honor the pool's sensitive environment and work to preserve and protect it so that we, and generations long after ours, can continue to enjoy the cool, clean spring waters.

