

Mission: SwimPossible

PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENT

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Mission: SwimPossible Seeks Community Input for Future Aquatic Wellness Center in Eureka at Information and Idea Outreach Meeting

When: 10 a.m., Saturday, August 13

Where: Faith Center, 1032 Bay St., Eureka

Broadcast Summary:

Local nonprofit Mission: SwimPossible will host a public outreach meeting on building Eureka's future aquatic wellness center for public use and swim competitions on Saturday, August 13, at 10 a.m. at Faith Center on 1032 Bay St., Eureka. Call 476-0580 or visit MissionSwimPossible.org.

Eureka, Calif. – The nonprofit Mission: SwimPossible is working to bring a full aquatic wellness center to Eureka's bay front, and project leaders will be open to receiving questions and ideas at an outreach meeting on Saturday, August 13. The meeting will be at 10 a.m. at Faith Center, 1032 Bay St., Eureka. Community members are encouraged to bring their curiosity, ideas and questions on the project to the meeting.

The nonprofit's focus is to provide Eureka and the Humboldt community with a facility it currently lacks as many local pool resources have closed in recent years: an Olympic-sized competition pool, a rehabilitation and specialty pool, and a teaching and exercise pool all in one place. When completed, this will be the only facility between Central California and Central Oregon with an indoor Olympic pool open to the public. The facility will be capable of hosting numerous events, including official swim meets, regional events and senior and special Olympics.

When completed, the facility will earn enough revenue to be self-sustaining, and each event would bring in more than \$500,000 to the community.

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