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Alcoa Springbrook Pool Celebrates 80 Years

The City of Alcoa opened Springbrook Swimming Pool on June 13, 1931 and eighty years later on June 13, 2011 the pool held a special 80th Anniversary Day with \$1 admission, reduced food prices, and special music. Thousands of people who grew up in Blount County and surrounding counties have fond memories of summer fun and mischief at Springbrook Swimming Pool.

Pictured below left is a 1930's era picture of the elaborate diving boards and amenities available to pool patrons including the famous "Red Top" high dive and the water wheel; and right is the same diving tower today with many safety improvements.



Pools Provide Cool Summer Fun

Both Springbrook Pool in Alcoa and John Sevier Pool in Maryville continue to provide a welcome relief from the record-breaking heat we have experienced this season. There's still time for lots of family fun at the pools before school starts. Click on the link below to connect to the Aquatics section of the Parks & Rec web pages to see all the pool information you need to know.

www.parksrec.com/pools-and-aquatics/

Smoky Mountain Classic Is July 8 - 10

The 43rd annual Smoky Mountain Classic Softball Tournament will kick off July 8, 4:00 p.m. at Sandy Springs Park in Maryville. This event is the premier slow pitch softball tournament in the country. Top teams from all over the nation travel to Maryville each year to compete for the title of Smoky Mountain Classic Champions.

The sponsors of the Classic are Louisville Slugger, *Blount Today* and Boombah. Click on the link below to connect to the official Smoky Mountain Classic web page.

www.smokymountainsoftballclassic.com



There Is A Lot Happening At The Everett Senior Center

The Senior Center has a very busy schedule of activities and special events for people over age 50. Located in Everett Park, Maryville, the center offers a schedule too large to list here. You can call the Center at 983-9422 to receive a copy of the current monthly newsletter/calendar of events by mail or email. The link below will take you to the Senior Center web page, which gives information on how to join the fun, facility photos and other information.

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