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### **Saluki Swim Club Will Offer Parent/Child Swim Classes This Summer**

Carbondale, Illinois—1 May 2008—The Saluki Swim Club has a long history of providing competitive training for swimmers 6 years old and older in southern Illinois. It has been providing swim instruction to swimmers starting at age 3. This summer, swim instruction will be offered to parents and children starting at 1 year to 5 years old.

“We’ve never had swim instruction for children this young before. Our preschool instructor made a great case for adding this age group,” said Bill Price, Saluki Swim Club Executive Director.

“I’ve taught at the Saluki Swim School for the last two summers at the preschool level and had wonderful time, but there were always a few students who were not ready for group swim instruction. So, I thought maybe we could offer a parent and child class, and if we are going to include parents, why not go even younger?” said Angela Kazakevicius, Swim Instructor. “Both my kids started taking swim lessons at 6 months old. Those lessons taught me how to teach them to enjoy and have a healthy respect for the water. I hope I can pass that on.”

Bill Price added, “Our Swim School lessons take place at Pulliam Pool. The physical therapy pool there is perfect for this type of class. It is shallow, has a ramp for easy access with a small child, and the water is nice and warm.”

For complete information about the Saluki Swim Club competitive program and instructional program, visit their website at [www.swimsaluki.com](http://www.swimsaluki.com) or call 457-1103.

#### **About the Saluki Swim Club**

The Saluki Swim Club is a not for profit Illinois corporation that offers instruction and training for athletes in the southern Illinois region. It organizes several large invitational competitions throughout the year, and is a member of United States Swimming, the national governing body for the sport.

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