



POOL PROGRESS

Above: Matt Clark, center, a foreman with Dawson Construction, holds a pump hose as concrete pours into the form walls of the new swimming pool Monday morning next to the Gateway Recreation Center. The concrete for the pool's inside walls had to be done in one pour. It took 225 cubic yards of concrete to fill all of the forms Monday.

Left: Crane operator John Copenhaver raises a 20,000-pound steel truss for the new swimming pool Monday as Roger Wilson, left, holds a guy rope, Travis Galbraith watches in the background and Rick Brame, far right, holds another rope. Four trusses were delivered to the swimming pool site early Sunday, brought up the Third Avenue Bypass with a five-car police escort. Two of the trusses are 38 feet long and two are 42 feet long. Their combined weight is 80,000 pounds. Dawson Construction is the project contractor.

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