

In A Row

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The lifeguards at Prentis Plunge work to keep their rubber ducks in a row as they cross the finish line Friday evening, June 14. The race of toy ducks, sponsored by the Vermillion Rotary Club, was held as a fundraiser for Vermillion's new Community Connection Center. The starting line of the race was the top of Prentis Plunge's water slide and the participating plastic water fowl battled for the lead while drifting in the aquatic center's lazy river. One thousand ducks competed in this inaugural event and the number of participating ducks were narrowed down in three heats of competition. The final heat for the grand prizes included the top 20 ducks from each of the three heats. The fastest duck earned a grand prize of \$125, second place earned \$75, and third place earned \$50. Funds raised at Friday's event will help with the purchase of a commercial stove for the new kitchen at the Community Connection Center.

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