

# Community Center Pool Policies:

## General Pool Information

- **Everyone using the pool must shower.**
- All children **ages 6 and under** must be directly supervised by a paid swimming adult in the pool who is within arm's reach at all times. Children ages 7-10 must have adult supervision on the pool deck at all times.
- Floatation devices must be **Coast Guard** approved. No water wings or noodles.
- Children wearing lifejackets must be directly supervised by a paid swimming adult within arm's reach at all times.
- No shoes allowed on the pool deck. Please keep shoes in locker rooms or in shoe cubby.
- Hourly safety breaks provide the opportunity to use the restrooms. Please follow the instructions of the pool staff.
- Small toys and diving rings are allowed if used safely and do not endanger other swimmers.
- Footballs, baseballs, beach balls, tennis balls, hockey pucks and other hard objects are NOT allowed.
- All non-toilet trained persons are required to wear a disposable swim diaper. Swim diapers available for \$1.50 at Guest Services.
- Swimmers must have a swimsuit to use the pool. This includes an appropriate top and bottoms for females and appropriate swim trunks for males. No underwear or boxers may be worn in the water. Cut-offs or dyed clothing will not be allowed.
- Kick boards, pull buoys, barbell, fins and other equipment are for lap swim and instructional programs only.
- Aqua socks are permitted in the pool, but may not be worn down the water slide.
- Family locker rooms are intended for families with small children. All other uses will be monitored.
- Any person having an infectious or communicable disease is prohibited from using the public pool; lesions, rashes (open or in the healing process) on any person are prohibited from using the pool. This would include chicken pox, poison ivy, new tattoos etc. Persons having open blisters, cuts, etc., are strongly advised not to use the pool
- No swimming with diarrhea,

- No pushing or tossing swimmers into the pool
- Public displays of affection will not be allowed
- Dogs and other animals are not allowed in the pool area
- No dangling jewelry will be allowed
- No Diving.
- No glass in the pool area.
- Use restrooms before entering the pool area.
- Those with infectious or communicable diseases may **not** use the pool. Be aware that open cuts, blisters, and wounds may become infected.
- Remove all bandages, tape, etc, before entering the pool. Gum chewing is not allowed in the pool area.
- No spitting, spouting water or blowing the nose.
- No running or rough play allowed in the pool or locker room area.
- No hanging on the lap lanes or basketball hoops.
- No food or drinks allowed. Water permitted in plastic containers only.
- We cannot allow items that have previously been used in a lake in the pool for health and sanitary reasons.
- No SCUBA will be allowed and snorkeling gear requires prior permission.

## Lap Lane Policies

- One (1) lap lane will remain open for adult lap swim during open swim hours. Please ask lifeguard if rope is not present

## Gator Rules

- No more than three (3) persons on the gator.
- No diving, standing, pushing or leaping from the gator.
- No swimming or playing under the gator.
- No life-jackets or non-swimmers allowed on the gator.

## Family and Adult Spas

- Limit four (4) people in spas.
- Persons not toilet trained or wearing a swim diaper will not be allowed to use the spas.
- Children under eight (8) years need direct adult supervision.
- Adult Spa is for those sixteen (16) years and older.

## Play Structure

- No Adult riders on the blue double slide
- All riders must slide down in a sitting position.
- No climbing up into the slide from the bottom.

## Waterslide Rules

Our slide is fast! Please read the following rules for safe and enjoyable use:

- The slide will only be available during guarded hours. First time users, please ask Attendant for instruction. All sliders must ride in the sitting position. **No** laying down
- No watches, goggles, life jackets, glasses, locker keys, or other sharp objects that can scratch the slide or cause injury. Users must be 42" tall or able to swim to the steps unassisted. If a rider needs assistance he/she may not use the slide.
- Only one person will be allowed on the slide at a time. Parents may NOT hold children on their laps. **No** catching sliders at the bottom of the slide. Parents are encouraged to stand on the pool deck close to the slide.
- People who are pregnant have heart conditions or other physical impairments are advised not to use the slide
- No running, standing, kneeling, rotating, diving or stopping on the slide.
- Users engaging in unsafe behavior will not have sliding privileges.

## Pool Closures Due to Maintenance Issues

- Refunds cannot be given at the Guest Service Counter for pool closures.
- If you feel your circumstances warrant consideration, a Pool Refund Request Form is available at Guest Services or contact the Aquatic Director@763-271-7122

***MCC pool bather load is 250 People***

***Do not visit excessively with the lifeguards. Their job requires close attention to the pool for public safety***

***The management reserves the right to refuse admittance, or eject from the pool premise, any person failing to comply with any of the above health and safety***