



River Park Aquatics Center Pool Rules

GENERAL RULES:

- Children under twelve (12) years of age must be accompanied, and supervised, by a parent or responsible person sixteen (16) years of age or older.
- Bathing suits are required. **NO** jeans or khakis aloud in pool. Lifeguards/staff may refuse access to any patron, not in appropriate swimwear, at any time.
- Only Coast Guard approved personal flotation devices are permitted. **NO** inflatables!
- Any individual not potty-trained is required to wear an approved swim diaper or plastic pants with elastic waist and legs, along with another layer, such as bathing suit. Plastic pants may be purchased, please ask staff.
- Person with open cuts, blisters, inflamed eyes or skin and contagious diseases are not allowed in the pool area/ locker rooms.
- Do not enter the pool/allow a child to enter, if experiencing or recovering from diarrhea or signs and symptoms of stomach disease in the last seven days.
- Outside food and drink **MAY** be carried in. All food and drink must be kept in designated areas, it **MUST** be at least 6 feet away from pool.
- There is **NO** alcohol/glass permitted in the aquatic center.
- There is **NO** smoking (lighted or unlighted) in the aquatic center.
- Chewing gum is not permitted in the pool.
- State Health Code requires all guests to shower before entering the pool.
- **NO** Pets/Animals are allowed in the aquatic center, except service dogs.
- **NO RUNNING** on the pool deck or in the locker rooms.
- Profane, offensive language is not allowed!
- Spitting in the pool is **NOT** allowed.
- **NO** diving in the pool.
- The aquatic center will close when lightning and thunder are seen or heard in the area or when the early warning alarm goes off. Patrons must leave the aquatic center and seek a safe structure. The aquatic center will reopen 30 minutes after the last thunder is heard or when the early warning alarm sounds the all clear.
- Patrons must refrain from engaging lifeguards in unnecessary conversation.
- Bathing load is 108 patrons

LAP POOL:

- Lap lanes are designated for lap swim **ONLY**.
- Masks/fins are only to be used for lap swim.
- Lap Swimmer are permitted to have a water bottle at poolside.
- Dive blocks are for swim team member use only. You **MUST** be accompanied by a swim coach/ instructor.
- **NO** hanging on lane lines
- No lifejackets allowed in lap lanes.
- Lap swimmers may be asked to share lanes if there are people waiting to swim.

BEACH ENTRY-PLAY STRUCTURE:

- No jumping is allowed from the play feature steps.
- No diving, too shallow.
- No hanging on lines.
- No hanging/ climbing on play structure.

WATERSLIDE:

- User must be 48" or taller to ride slide.
- Swimmers must ride the slide one at a time, feet first, on their back.
- Adults may not catch a swimmer at the base of the slide.
- Swim tests may be required, at the lifeguard's discretion, before waterslide use is allowed.
- Lifejackets are not permitted on the slide.
- Individuals who are pregnant or have heart or back conditions may not ride the slide.
- Swim goggles are not permitted on the slide.

RESERVATIONS:

- **Groups of 10 or more must complete an Aquatic Center reservation form (with prior approval) at least 2 weeks in advance of visit.**

Certified lifeguards are on duty during all operating hours at River Park. The safety and enjoyment of all is our goal. Lifeguards/staff reserve the right to disallow any behavior deemed unsafe or inappropriate. Please respect the lifeguard's decisions. For more information or if any questions please contact 239-213-3040.