

Panther Valley Property Owners Association

RECREATION REGULATIONS / POOL RULES

1. All residents of Panther Valley are eligible to join each year provided that PVPOA assessments and any other applicable charges are paid to date.
2. Upon application approval, all individuals in the family will be issued a digital pool pass. Children under the age of twelve (11 and under) are required to be accompanied and supervised by a parent, guardian, or a responsible adult. A responsible adult must be at least eighteen (18) years of age, able to supervise and control the child(ren) in his or her care while at the pool. This is required because unattended or not properly attended youths can be a distraction to the guards in performing their functions.
3. All persons entering the swimming pools must identify themselves to the attendant and have a valid PVPOA digital pool pass on file as proof of membership.
4. Guests may be permitted to use the facilities on a daily basis upon the request of a member who must accompany them and register them.
5. Lifeguard reserves the right in the event of abuse of any rule or regulation to restrict use of facilities by any member or guest until such time as the matter can be dealt with by the representatives of the PVPOA.
6. Members shall stay with and be responsible for the conduct of their guests.
7. All PVPOA athletic equipment used at Recreation Centers must be signed for and the amount specified as a security deposit left with pool attendant. All equipment must be returned by the time the pool closes.
8. Lifeguards will enforce these rules and this may temporarily deprive any member or guest of the privilege of using the facilities as a result of any activity which is dangerous and/or disturbing to other people. Continued disregard will be referred to the Covenants Committee. The Covenants Committee may issue a permanent suspension of pool privileges.
9. The pools will be used only when open. Use of the pool at any other time will be deemed trespassing and violators will be prosecuted.
10. No pets are permitted inside the fenced area.
11. Bicycles, skateboards, roller blades, etc., will not be used inside the fenced area. Strollers and wheelchairs will be allowed but must be kept a safe distance from the pool's edge.
12. NO GLASS or metal containers are allowed in the pool area. Alcohol is strictly prohibited, but other beverages in plastic containers are permitted.
13. Towels, umbrellas etc., will not be used to reserve pool chairs when leaving the pool area.

14. Management reserves the right to limit the number of persons using the pool, or to close the pool due to breakdown, operating difficulties, health problems, water shortages, weather conditions, or other unforeseeable conditions.

15. The Association and its members and staff shall not be responsible for the loss or damage to any personal property. Bathhouses are provided for the convenience of the swimmers. No facilities are available for checking of clothing or other valuables, and PVPOA cannot be responsible for the loss or damage to any clothing or other articles left in the bathhouses.

16. Swimmers must be out of the pool fifteen (15) minutes prior to the scheduled closing time to enable the lifeguard(s) to prepare the area for closing.

17. At least one parent must be present at the pool while their children age twelve (12) and under are in the pool area, unless another individual who will be present in the pool area advises the Pool Supervisor with written permission that he/she has assumed responsibility for the child's safety and behavior. This is required because unattended youths can be a distraction to the guards performing their functions.

18. Parents, guardians and responsible adults are responsible for the conduct of their children in the pool. They shall instruct their children in the regulations and be responsible for their observances.

19. In the pool area, no foreign objects, rafts, life preservers, buoys, etc., may be used in the pools except if used for medical purposes. Children may use swimmies and other flotation devices if used so as not to create a disturbance for other swimmers and must be supervised by an adult. For medical purposes, please advise the guards.

20. NO Diving, repetitive jumping, running, roughhousing, or ball playing is allowed. The exception to this is basketball playing, which is allowed in the designated areas. Abusive language or breach of the peace and quiet will not be tolerated. Radios, cassette players, etc., are not permitted unless used with headphones.

21. All diapered infants and toddlers must use a diaper designed for pool use.

22. Smoking is strictly prohibited at all times.

FOOD BROUGHT INTO THE POOL FACILITY IS STRICTLY RESTRICTED TO THE DESIGNATED AREAS.

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