

# South Park Country Club

## Members Rules and Responsibilities

Lifeguards and staff are on duty to enforce rules and regulations and respond to emergencies.

**Members are responsible for their children/grandchildren and guests at all times.**

### Registration

- All members including their children/grandchildren and guest must sign in and sign out with the table lifeguard before entering the swimming pool area and sign out when leaving pool. Lifeguards must account for every member and guest at the pool.
- Guest fees of \$8.00 per person will be charged for guests entering the swimming pool. Guests under the age of 5 swim free.
- Members' children and grandchildren over the age of 21 are considered a guest and a \$8.00 guest fee will be charged.
- Caregivers, employed by a member to supervise their children must pay the guest fee of \$8.00 to enter the pool area no matter their attire.
- Members' children and/or grandchildren 12 years of age or younger will not be allowed inside the fenced pool areas without the supervision of a member 15 years of age or older. Failure to comply with this rule will result in a parent/guardian or grandparent being called to pick up the child.
- **Violations of any of the rules or regulations may result in a fine and/or loss of pool privileges.**

### Pool Rules

- All persons using the swimming pool must abide by the pool safety rules as posted in the pool area.
- No glass of any kind is permitted in the pool area.
- Cell Phones and camera use are prohibited in changing rooms.
- Smoking is only permitted outside the pool area. This includes electronic cigarettes, chewing tobacco and snuff, cigarettes, pipes, and cigars.
- Suntan lotion and oils can damage the furniture and stain the pool. Please place a towel between you and the pool furniture.
- The pool furniture is to remain in the pool area at all times.
- The pool may be closed at any time due to safety reasons, necessary repairs, and maintenance.
- South Park Country Club assumes no liability for any personal injury to any member or their guest.
- South Park County Club assumes no liability for any loss or damage to the property of any member or guest.
- Bathing suits are not allowed in Sherman's or dining room. You must be in dry clothing (no cover ups, etc.).
- If crowded, no inflatable toys or mattresses are allowed (except for infant floatation devices.)

- The lifeguard may require a swim test for any swimmer who swims in the deep end of the pool. Any swimmer who fails the test will not be permitted in the deep end of the pool.
- Children may play with inflatable toys, but may not use them as their life saving device.
- Pointed objects, throwing of toys in the air, water pistols that shoot more the 24 inches, or any activity deemed unsafe by the lifeguard is prohibited.
- The lifeguards on duty, have the responsibility for supervision and control of all matters relating to the swimming facilities.
- The lifeguards on duty, may refuse privileges to anyone who, in his or her judgment, violates the swimming pool rules.
- SPCC is a family friendly pool. Please refrain from excessive personal displays of affection.
- **Violations of any of the rules or regulations may result in a fine and/or loss of pool privileges.**

## Pool Access

- If the Manager deems it in the best interest of the Club, they may reserve the use of the swimming facilities for swim meets, exhibitions, special functions, or any other appropriate purpose.
- No person may enter the swimming pool area except when the pool is open for use per the posted schedule or when a lifeguard is on duty.
- Swimmers must leave the water upon request of a lifeguard.

## Dress Code

- Appropriate swim wear must be worn. Thongs, shorts, and cut offs are prohibited.
- Inappropriate, immodest, or sexually explicit attire is prohibited.
- Infants not toilet-trained must wear swim diapers.

## Children/Grandchildren

- All children/grandchildren under the age of twelve (12) years must be accompanied by a responsible adult member (15 years of age) at all times when in the pool area.
- The kiddie pool is for the use of children under six (6) years of age.
- Children in the kiddie pool must be accompanied by a responsible adult at all times.
- Swimmers not “toilet trained” must wear an approved swim diaper. Regular diapers, disposable or cloth, are not permitted in the pool. Diapers must be changed in the changing rooms, not at poolside.
- Please put all soiled diapers containing feces in a separate plastic bag before disposing it into a garbage can. If you do not have one, please see a lifeguard and one will be provided.

## Illness, Medical Conditions

- Persons are not permitted in the pool if they have a cold, cough, fever, infection of any kind, inflamed eye(s), skin rashes, or are wearing bandages.
- Persons with physical or neurological disabilities, must be accompanied by a responsible adult and must advise the lifeguard of such conditions.

## Prohibited Activities

- Running, wrestling, pushing, dunking, "rough-housing," and towel-snapping are not permitted anywhere in the pool area, including the locker rooms.
- No more than one (1) person is permitted on the diving board at any one time and persons must dive only off the front of the board.
- Diving is not permitted until after the previous diver has surfaced and moved to the side of the pool. Hanging on the diving board is not permitted.
- Hard, non-flexible diving sticks, swim discs, water cannons, large inner tubes, tubes with metal stems, paddles/oars, hard flying discs, tennis balls, large spongy footballs, basketballs, golf balls, hard plastic balls, or any hard type ball are not allowed in the fenced area of the pool.
- No diving in any water 5 feet deep or less.
- Non-swimmers are prohibited in 5' area of pool unless they are wearing an approved personal floatation device.

## Pool Toys

- Snorkels, fins, masks, kickboards, weights, children's pool toys and inflatable devices are permitted in the pool at the discretion of the lifeguards.
- Children may play with inflatable toys, but may not use them as a life saving device.
- Pointed objects, throwing of toys in the air, water pistols that shoot more the 24 inches, or any activity deemed unsafe by the lifeguard is prohibited.

## Food and Beverages

- All food and drink must be purchased from the Clubhouse or concession stand except when both are closed.
- Food may be consumed only in designated areas and may not be taken into the pool.
- Glassware is not permitted anywhere in the pool area.
- Gum chewing is not permitted anywhere in the pool area.
- Members and their guests are responsible for placing all their trash into the containers provided.
- Poolside service may be available when applicable.

## Diving Board Rules:

- One bounce on the board. All jumps and dives must be from the front end of the board.
- One person on the board at a time. Next in line must wait at the bottom of the ladder until the person in front of them exits the board and swims to the ladder.
- Swimmers must exit from the ladder or under the buoy line.
- A parent or responsible guardian may enter the water to assist a beginner swimmer that want to jump off the diving board only after the lifeguard on duty has been notified that a beginner swimmer will be entering the deep end,
- Goggles and masks are prohibited on the diving boards.
- Coast Guard approved PFD's are permitted.

## **Kiddie Pool:**

**For use by children 6 years of age or younger and requires direct supervision. There is NO lifeguard supervision. Parents/grandparents and/or guest are responsible for their children's safety.**

- A walking path surrounding the kiddie pool must be maintained. Refrain from blocking the pathway with chairs and personal items.
- Children must be accompanied by an adult who must be within the kiddie pool fenced area at all times (not in the snack bar area or outside on a lounge/chair). Random checks will be conducted by the lifeguards and any child in the pool area not supervised will be removed from the kiddie pool area.
- Appropriate swim diapers must be worn if child is not toilet trained. Diapers, whether disposable or cloth, are not allowed in the main pool or kiddie pool at any time.