

2010 Pool Rules

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The Lifeguards, Directors/Chairperson, Amenities Managers, and Pool Checkers on duty have full authority at the pool at all times. They are authorized to institute additional rules and restrictions as conditions warrant.

1. All Country Walk Residents must obtain a photo ID card in order to obtain access to the pool. To obtain a photo ID Card, please contact the NMS office at 770-222-2000. Please note: Lost ID cards will be replaced at a fee of \$20.00 per card.
2. CW Photo ID Card must be shown to the Pool Monitor at the gate Each and Every time you enter the gate.
3. **Swimming at your own risk without a lifeguard on duty is not permitted.**
4. The 2010 pool hours are posted separately on the website.
5. Each household will be given 25 "Free" guest passes per pool season. Guest passes will be maintained at the pool gate by the pool checker. The resident admitting the guest will be asked to sign in the guest, initial and date the book each time a guest pass is used. **After the 25 "Free" passes are used, a fee of \$5.00 per guest will be charged.**
6. Residents between the ages of 13 and 17 may sign in up to 2 guests at any one time with a note from the homeowner. The note must contain authorization / approval of the request to bring in the guest. Residents over the age of 18 may sign in up to 6 guests at any one time. Any resident bringing in more than 6 guests at a time must make arrangements with the Amenities Manager to do so.
7. Homeowners must make arrangements with the Amenities Manager and /or Pool Monitors to have their children brought to the pool by a babysitter.
8. Homeowners planning to have a party in the pavilion **must** reserve the time with the amenities manager. Parties can only take place during the following times:
 - Weekdays – 12:00 PM – 4:00 PM and 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM
 - Weekends – 12:00 PM – 4:00 PM
 - Parties cannot exceed 4 hours
 - No Parties are allowed on holiday weekends except Social Committee functions.
 - Homeowners having a party in the pavilion and pool area are required to hire additional lifeguards based on the number of persons at the party.
 - 1 guard per 7 – 15 party guests
 - 2 guards for 16 – 30 guests
 - NO PARTY CAN EXCEED 30 GUESTS DUE TO THE FIRE CODE

Basic Rules

1. The children's pool is for the use of children 5 years of age and younger only. ALL CHILDREN MUST BE UNDER THE DIRECT SUPERVISION OF AN ADULT OR BABYSITTER AT ALL TIMES IN THIS POOL.
2. Residents must be at least 13 years old in order to enter the pool without a parent or guardian.
3. Deck chairs must be kept a minimum of five (5) feet from the pool edge.
4. NO GLASS CONTAINERS OF ANY KIND are allowed in the pool / pavilion area.
5. NO KEGS of BEER are allowed in the pool / pavilion area.
6. NO chewing gum will be allowed in the pool / pavilion area.
7. Unauthorized personnel are not permitted on the lifeguard stands at any time.
8. Running / horseplay in the pool / pavilion area is extremely dangerous and will not be tolerated.
9. Fifteen (15) minutes at each hour is designated as "break time". Everyone under the age of 18 must leave the pool during this time. This includes young infants with their parents.
10. NON POTTY TRAINED CHILDREN must wear a swim diaper. Swim diapers may be purchased from the pool monitors.
11. Non-swimmers will not be permitted in the deep end unless accompanied by an adult.
12. Beach balls are acceptable in the pool. No other balls are permitted in the pool / pavilion area.
13. All radios, boom boxes, etc. must be battery operated. NO ELECTRICAL CORDS ARE PERMITTED IN THE POOL AREA. The volume should not disturb others in the pool area.
14. NO pets are permitted in the pool / pavilion area at any time.
15. Proper swim attire must be worn to enter the pool. Cut off shorts are not proper swim attire – cotton fibers clog the filters. All undergarments must be concealed from view. NO string or thong swim suits allowed. Violators will be asked to leave the pool area immediately.
16. Food and beverages are not allowed within 5 feet of the pool edge.
17. It is the responsibility of all swimmers to pick up their trash.
18. Proper use of pool furniture is expected by all adults and children.
19. **INTOXICATION RULE: Anyone who appears to be under the influence of alcohol and is in danger of injuring themselves or others, is loud or boisterous, or acts in a disorderly manner, will be ejected from the pool / pavilion area immediately.**
20. Lost and found items should be turned in and / or retrieved from the pool monitor.
21. The HOA reserves the right to withdraw pool privileges from any person who abuses the Lifeguards, Amenities Managers, Pool Monitors or Pool RULES. If the person is a minor, his/her parents will be notified. All rules and consequences will be strictly enforced.
22. The HOA and the Amenities Managers reserve the right to change and/or add to the pool rules at any time.

Discipline

THIS DISCIPLINE PLAN AND THE CONSEQUENCES WERE DETERMINED BY THE COUNTRY WALK BOARD OF DIRECTORS.

Disciplined pools are safe pools. Therefore, discipline will be maintained at all times. NO SWIMMER will be exempt from discipline. Discipline will be described in two (2) categories and dealt with accordingly.

VIOLENT BEHAVIOR

Violent behavior includes but is not limited to: fighting, verbal harassment of the pool staff, vandalism, tripping, vulgarism, stripping, theft, or anyone under the influence of alcohol or illegal substances.

The following consequences will be imposed:

1st OFFENSE: Immediate ejection from the pool and a two (2) week suspension of privileges will be given.

2nd OFFENSE: Offender will be referred to the Board of Directors for permanent ejection from the pool for the remainder of the season.

NON-VIOLENT BEHAVIOR

Non-violent behavior includes violation of any pool rule, public display of affection, running, roughhousing in the pool or pavilion area, and loud boisterous conduct.

The following consequences will be imposed:

1st OFFENSE: Verbal reprimand.

2nd OFFENSE: Removal of pool privileges for a period of two (2) weeks, with notification of the Board of Directors and the homeowner. Continued misbehavior will result in loss of pool privileges for the remainder of the pool season.

THERE WILL BE NO EXCEPTIONS TO THESE RULES OR CONSEQUENCES. ANY PERSON WHO IS EJECTED FROM THE POOL AREA AND REFUSES TO LEAVE OR THREATENS THE LIFEGUARD WILL BE REPORTED TO THE POWDER SPRINGS POLICE.