POOL & DECK ETIQUETTE

OPENING & CLOSING
The pool will close immediately if thunder, lightning or tornado warnings are issued. In such cases, the pool will reopen at the discretion of the Aquatics Manager after a minimum of 30 minutes.

The following rules are not meant to be exclusive and are subject to change. Any questions about the following rules should be brought to the attention of the Aquatics Manager or the Manager on Duty.

The lifeguards are authorized to and shall enforce all rules. Immediate attention must be given at the sound of the lifeguard's whistle.

Parents or guardians should supervise their children at all times.

The club is not liable for lost or stolen items. Please safeguard your valuables.

The use of the pool is denied to any person having evidence of any contagious disease, skin infection, severe burn, or to anyone wearing adhesive tape, casts, or bandages.

Personal conduct must be such that the safety for self and others is not jeopardized. No running on the pool deck or boisterous rough play allowed.

Our family locker rooms are reserved for our members with families. Adults unaccompanied by children are to use the adult locker rooms for individual use. Children 11 or under must use the family locker rooms accompanied by a parent. Children 12-13 can use either the family locker rooms or the adult locker rooms accompanied by a parent. Please see our Youth Area Code for more details.

Adults have priority for the use of lounge chairs. Please do not leave towels or personal belongings as a way to reserve lounge chairs. Members must be present. Any personal items left unattended will be removed and turned in to the front desk.

Appropriate swimming attire is required to enter the pool. Shoes and tops are required to go inside the club.

No alcohol in pool, only allowed on deck. Food is not allowed within 10 feet of the pool. All glass containers are prohibited.

Patrons who appear to be under the influence will not be allowed in or near the pool.

We are a non-smoking facility. This applies to all outdoor areas as well.

Music must be kept personal. Please wear headphones when listening.

Lap lanes are for adult lap swimming only. No standing or talking in the lanes. Please do not hang on the lane line or safety rope.

No outside food or beverages will be permitted on the pool deck or outdoor cafe area.

Safety breaks are 15 minutes long and are called at the discretion of the lifeguards. Children ages 15 and under must exit the pool during safety breaks.

Ball playing is allowed. If it gets busy, it is at the lifeguard’s discretion to allow ball playing. All balls must be soft.

Floatation devices allowed in the pool are arm floats, puddle jumpers, infant seats, noodles, and safety vests. Parents should always be within arm’s length away of non-swimmers, even with a floatation device. No large inflatables permitted during busy times or at the lifeguard’s discretion.

Only swimmers who can swim one length of the pool are permitted in the deep end. A swim test will be administered when deemed necessary by a lifeguard.

No jumping backward, running and jumping, spinning or flips off the side of the pool. Diving is only permitted in the deep end.

Children may not play with the water spout located in the deep end. Please do not climb or jump over the barricade located in the middle of the pool.

Ladders are for exiting the pool. Do not play, sit, swing, or hang on the metal railings or ladder.

Only approved swim diapers are allowed in the pool.

No running on the pool deck.

Additional Illinois State Swimming Pool and Spa Rules and Regulations regarding bather health and safety must be followed at all times.

Please contact Cindy Blake with any questions at 847.496.2552 or cindy.blake@midtown.com