

## TEANECK SWIM CLUB, INCORPORATED

### RULES AND REGULATIONS

THE FOLLOWING RULES AND REGULATIONS ARE FOR THE PROTECTION AND BENEFIT OF ALL MEMBERS. THESE RULES HAVE BEEN ESTABLISHED TO ASSURE SAFE AND SANITARY OPERATION OF THE POOL FACILITIES AND ARE IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE SWIMMING POOL CODE OF NEW JERSEY {1976} N.J.A.C. 8:26 AS REVISED 2004, NEW JERSEY STATE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH. PARENTS ARE REQUESTED TO CAUTION THEIR CHILDREN THAT EVERYONE MUST OBSERVE ALL RULES AND OBEY INSTRUCTIONS OF THE POOL MANAGER AND OTHER EMPLOYEES. ANY FAILURE TO COMPLY WITH THESE RULES SHALL BE CONSIDERED SUFFICIENT CAUSE FOR IMMEDIATE SUSPENSION OF POOL PRIVILEGES FOR THE OFFENDING MEMBER FOR A PERIOD OF FROM 1 TO 14 DAYS AND CAN ALSO BE CONSIDERED SUFFICIENT CAUSE FOR CANCELLATION OF MEMBERSHIP.

#### 1. POOL HOURS

- a. Daily: 10:00 A.M. to 7:45 P.M. (grounds close 8:00 P.M.)
- b. The pool and its facilities will be open on the Saturday preceding Memorial Day and will follow the schedule mailed to the membership prior to each season.
- c. Monday through Friday an area of the pool may be reserved for group instruction. In advance of the event, a notice will be posted on the bulletin board when activities are planned for Saturday and Sunday.
- d. The pool may be closed for maintenance operations, health conditions, weather, or any other reason deemed appropriate by the Pool Manager.

#### 2. MEMBER OBLIGATIONS

- a. Members must display their membership card (or proof of membership) to the check-in room receptionist when entering pool.
- b. If a membership card is lost, notify the check room receptionist or Pool Manager.
- c. No transfer of membership cards will be permitted.
- d. Membership does not entitle a member to any special privilege.
- e. There will be a service charge of \$10.00 for replacing lost cards.

#### 3. RULES OF CONDUCT

- a. Members will drive slowly and carefully on approaching roads and parking areas. Parking lot speed will not exceed 10 mph. Members' cars shall be parked in the pool parking lot. Parking on side streets is absolutely prohibited. Excessive speed, noise, or any form of annoyance to our neighbors is forbidden.
- b. All bicycle riders will use bicycle stalls, and ride carefully; keep off private property, and respect the property of our neighbors. Bicycles must be chained to the racks.
- c. No food or refreshment or coolers may be brought into the swimming pool areas or onto the grass. Food may be consumed only in the picnic area, water bottles by the lounge chairs excepted.
- d. No intoxicants, including beer and wine, may be brought onto club grounds.
- e. No abusive language will be tolerated.
- f. Members are required to obey instructions or directions given by any member of the staff during an emergency.

#### SUSPENSION OF PRIVILEGES

Incidents of a serious nature which are subject to IMMEDIATE SUSPENSION without prior notification include:

1. Disrespectful behavior towards the staff in the performance of their duties
2. Intoxication/drug induced behavior
3. Failure to meet financial obligations
4. Trespassing or gaining entry without proper card or pass
5. Alcoholic beverages on the grounds
6. Fighting

Incidents of a less serious nature will be recorded on the incident report form by the manager on duty. In the recording of the incident, the manager will review past events for possible repeat offenses.

Infractions include, but are not limited to:

1. Bringing glass containers onto the property
2. Bringing food or beverages outside the picnic/refreshment stand area
3. Failure to properly dispose of garbage after using the picnic/refreshment stand area
4. Repeated horseplay

Enforcement:

First Offense = warning slip

Second Offense = Immediate suspension for ONE day

Third Offense = Suspension for TWO days

Fourth Offense = Suspension for FIVE days

Fifth Offense = Suspension for SEVEN days & Review of the Family membership by Board of Trustees.

#### 4. GUESTS

- a. Each member family shall be permitted to purchase guest passes at the office. Books will contain 10 (ten) passes. See e below.
- b. A guest pass shall consist of admission to the pool area for the entire day.
- c. All guests must be registered by a member and accompanied by a member at all times. All guests must be registered by name on each guest pass. Members cannot register a guest and then leave the pool grounds.
- d. All rules of members will be applicable to their guests.
- e. Guests' rates per day (all subject to Federal and State Taxes):
  - (1) Weekdays: 1 guest pass per person
  - (2) Saturday and Sunday: 2 guest passes per person
  - (3) Memorial Day, July 4th, and Labor Day: 3 guest passes per person
- f. Members must be 16 years of age or above in order to register and accompany a guest.

#### 5. HEALTH AND SAFETY

- a. All bathers must shower before entering pool. A shower must also be taken to remove suntan oil before entering pool or after participating in active physical activity.
- b. NO SMOKING permitted inside the main gate.
- c. Admission to the pool shall be refused to anyone with colds, coughs, inflamed eyes, infections, or wearing bandages or casts.
- d. No pets allowed on the club property including parking lot area before, during, or after the swimming season.
- e. No glass containers of any kind will be allowed in the club. Only plastic or aluminum containers are acceptable.
- f. No running, pushing, wrestling, ball playing, or causing undue disturbance in or about the pool area. Unnecessary expectoration, spouting of water or rowdiness shall not be permitted.
- g. One of the prime purposes of our club is to teach non-swimmers to swim. No type of flotation device will be permitted in the main pools. Children using floatable devices shall be watched at all times in the kiddie pool.
- h. Children under 12 years of age will not be permitted within the club area unless accompanied by a member at least 16 years old.
- i. All children under 16 years of age must be accompanied by their parent(s) or responsible adult member after 6:00 P.M.
- j. Use of the kiddie pool shall be limited to children 6 years of age or under. Children must be supervised by an adult other than the guard on duty. No rigid plastic or metal toys will be allowed in the kiddie pool.
- k. No cutoffs will be permitted. A swimming suit must be worn by all bathers. Bathing attire which, in the judgment of the Manager, is "voluminous," or considered a safety hazard, is prohibited.
- l. Shoes or sneakers will not be worn on all pool perimeters. Sandals may not be left on the pool deck
- m. No chairs permitted on pool decks.

#### DIAPER POLICY

- At the Teaneck Swim Club our policy on diapers is for pure health reasons and no other. This policy applies to all young and old alike.
- No person is permitted in, or on the deck of, the main pool or the lap pool wearing any type of diaper.

- **Parents MUST keep children who wear diapers out of the main pool.** The child must be toilet trained and at least 3 years of age to use the main pool.
- Rubber pants and/or swim diapers are not acceptable in the main pool.
- Diapers along with rubber pants that cover the diaper with elastic waist and leg bands to contain all fecal matter must be worn in the kiddie pool under a bathing suit.
- Adults are obliged to stay out of the main pool if a diaper is worn.
- If caught disregarding this policy you will be asked to leave for the day. If at any time there is refusal to leave the grounds your membership will be revoked for at least one (1) week. If caught a second time your membership could be revoked for the rest of the swimming season.
- We remind you as a member you are obligated to inform your guest of this policy and any other rules of the club. Not informing your guest of the rules and important policies could result in the loss of your membership for a week or longer.

#### **NEW JERSEY STATE BATHER RULES & REGULATIONS**

1. Any person showing evidence of any communicable disease, sore or inflamed eyes, cold, nasal or ear discharges, or any other communicable disease shall be denied admission.
2. Any person with excessive sunburn, open blisters, cuts, or bandages shall be denied admission.
3. Do not enter water if you are experiencing or recovering from diarrhea or have had any signs or symptoms of gastrointestinal (stomach) disease in the past 7 (seven) days.
4. All children in diapers must wear plastic pants with snug fitting elastic waist and legs. Children in diapers are prohibited from bathing in the main pool. No changing of diapers in pool area. Do not wash out soiled diapers in the bathing water.
5. Children should be encouraged to use the restroom before entering the water. Immediately report any "accidents" you observe in the bathing waters to a lifeguard or CPO (Certified Pool Operator) Manager.
6. No animals, except for service animals, shall be allowed in the swimming pool, wading pool, hot tub, or spa area, dressing rooms, or other parts of the enclosure.
7. No glass containers permitted on pool property.
8. All persons shall shower before entering the water.
9. Conduct, which endangers the safety and comfort of others, shall be prohibited.
10. Outdoor bathing shall be prohibited during an electrical storm. **GROUND WILL BE EVACUATED COMPLETELY.**
11. Persons suspected of being under the influence of drugs or alcohol shall be prohibited from entering the water.

#### 6. PICNIC GROUNDS

- a. Picnic area will be available to members and their guests during the regular pool hours.
- b. Members and their guests are to clean up their refuse in the area before leaving. Please keep garbage cans covered at all times.
- c. Do not cut, break, bend, or damage tables, trees, bushes, equipment, or any other part of your property.

#### 7. GENERAL

- a. **All persons using the club facilities do so at their own risk. The club will not be responsible for any accident or injury in connection with such use.**
- b. **The club will not be responsible for loss or damage to personal property. It is recommended that no valuables be brought into the club area or left in locker rooms.**
- c. Any person coming to or leaving the club (other than in a car) in swimming attire must wear an outer garment over swimming suit.

THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES FURTHER AUTHORIZES THE MANAGER TO MAKE DECISIONS REGARDING HEALTH AND SAFETY ISSUES NOT SPECIFICALLY COVERED IN THESE RULES AND REGULATIONS.

IN ADDITION, FAILURE OF ANY MEMBER TO GIVE THEIR NAME AND MEMBER NUMBER, WHEN REQUESTED, TO THE MANAGER OR DESIGNATED SUPERVISOR SHALL BE CONSIDERED SUFFICIENT CAUSE FOR IMMEDIATE SUSPENSION OF POOL PRIVILEGES FOR THE OFFENDING MEMBER FOR A PERIOD OF FROM 1 TO 14 DAYS AND CAN ALSO BE CONSIDERED SUFFICIENT CAUSE FOR CANCELLATION OF MEMBERSHIP.