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Westerville Community Center Watering Hole Rules & Regulations

In addition to our facility policies and procedures, the following rules will provide a safe, user-friendly environment for our patrons.

General Rules

- Children ages 6 and younger must be accompanied by a responsible person 18 or older in proper swim attire, and the responsible person must be within arm's reach at all times while supervising the child in the water. Children ages 9 and younger must be accompanied by a person 13 and older who has a valid admission.
- Please check the pool schedule to ensure your aquatic needs are met. The pools have varied open times in order to accommodate a variety of different users. Schedules are available at the front desk, checkpoint, and pool bulletin board.
- The hot tub is for patrons 16 years of age and older.
- No use of a public facility for private gain.
- Infants and children requiring diapers must wear both diapers & rubber pants and/or swim diapers.
- Water wings are not permitted. Other floatation devices and/or toys permitted at the discretion of the Manager on duty.
- U.S Coast Guard approved life jackets are permitted.
- Running, rough play or inappropriate conduct and language is not permitted.
- Food and glass are not permitted in the pool area or locker rooms.
- Appropriate swimming attire is required in the pool.
- Please do not sit, hang or play on pool ladders, lane lines, diving boards or starting blocks.
- Patrons may not enter any pool until there is a lifeguard on duty. Patrons must exit the pool at the request of the lifeguard.
- Any guidelines deemed necessary for the safety and comfort of the patron will be enforced.

Slides

- Participants must be 48" tall to use the slides.
- Slide users must remain on the starting deck until signaled by the attendant to proceed down the slide.
- Upon splashdown riders must exit the pool by the steps immediately.
- Slide users must ride feet-first, either sitting up or lying down.

Diving Boards

- Only one person is permitted on the diving board at a time.
- Only one bounce is permitted on the board.
- Patrons must dive straight off the end of the diving board.
- Persons using the diving boards must be able to swim two widths of the diving pool. No lifejackets are permitted off the boards.
- No inward, gainer, sailor, or reverse dives are permitted.