

# Tenakill Swim Club Rules and Regulations

## 2016

### Pool Hours:

The pool will be in operation from Memorial Day to Labor Day. When necessary, the pool will be closed at the discretion of the pool manager for maintenance, continuous rain, thunder or lightning, extreme cold, high winds, health conditions, or any other reason deemed proper by the manager.

### Rules:

In the interest of providing a safe, clean, and aesthetically pleasing environment, we would like to remind all members of the following basic rules.

1. No running.
2. No roughhousing, horseplay, or throwing of objects ( with the exception of Rule 4)
3. Use ladders or stairs when exiting the pool.
4. No inflatable devices or any type permitted in pool except during designated raft hours. Outside of the designated Raft Hours, balls are allowed in the main pool. These must be used with regard to the safety and enjoyment of other members. Care must be given so as not to impede the lap lanes. Pool management and staff have the right to prohibit usage at any time.
5. With the exception of Dine-In hours, eating inside the club is permitted only in the designated Snack Shack area. In addition to Dine-In hours, non-alcoholic drinks, in non-breakable containers, are permitted inside the club, except for in the pool or on the pool deck.
6. No smoking inside the club. Smoking is permitted in the picnic area. There is a receptacle outside the gates for proper disposal.
7. Proper bathing suit attire is required when in the pool.
8. **Children must be completely toilet trained to swim in the main pool.**  
No swim diapers are permitted anywhere but the children's pool. Diaper changing is permitted only in the bathhouses.
9. Children under age 9 must be accompanied by a responsible member or guest who is 16 or older. In order to stay at the club alone, children ages 9 through 12 must first pass a swim test administered by a manager. This does not apply to a child involved in a swim lesson or swim/dive team member.
10. All children age 15 and under must leave the pool grounds at 6 pm unless accompanied by an adult age 18 or older.
11. Children must be supervised in the kiddy pool area. They must have a responsible adult with them at all times. **The supervising adult will be in addition to the lifeguard.**
12. Members may bring guests to the club. Guest passes are available at the front office and are payable by check **ONLY**. All guests need to be accompanied by a member who must remain on the pool premises with their guests. When the member leaves the club, the guest must also leave. Members are responsible for the actions of their guest(s).
13. Guests must be accompanied by a member who is at least 13 years old. If a child member is younger, he or she may have a guest who is at least 16 who will be acting in the supervisory capacity. (Example: babysitter)

**We thank you for respecting the club and look forward to all enjoying a safe and healthy summer!**

## Regulations:

1. The pool manager and his/her staff have been assigned the responsibility for maintaining the proper environment at all times. The manager has the right to suspend members or guest privileges for cause.
2. A family membership is not transferable and shall include parents and their unmarried children **when residing in the same home**. A special guest pass for others residing **in your home** during the summer may be purchased at the office. (Example: housekeeper/nanny)
3. Lost cards may be replaced for a fee of \$5 each.
4. A picnic area is provided in front of the swim club. Picnic tables and a food vendor are provided for the convenience of the members. Except for designated special events all food must be consumed in this area or in the designated Snack Shack area within the club. This rule includes candy, chewing gum, and all other food items.
5. No illegal substances are permitted on the grounds (including the parking area) at any time. Violators will be subject to expulsion from the club.
6. First aid facilities are available at the office. Any injury (regardless of how slight) must be reported to the staff member in charge.
7. Running and ball playing are not permitted in the club except in designated areas. Pushing horseplay, abusive language, or any misconduct in general is to be avoided. Violations may result in suspension of pool privileges. The length of the suspension will depend on the severity of the violation and will be at the discretion of the pool manager.
8. At times, a section of the pool may be closed off for instructional purposes. Members are expected to avoid the area involved unless they participate in the class.
9. Swimming facilities will be closed to non-competitors during swim and diving meets.
10. Extreme care should be taken in the diving area to permit proper intervals between divers. Members are reminded that swimming and diving are done at their own risk.
11. It is the lifeguards' responsibility to guard all swimmers. The guards **cannot** be expected to assume the role of "babysitter" while on duty.
12. The kiddy pool is reserved exclusively for the use of small children age 5 and under. Children must be supervised, at all times, when using this pool. **The supervising adult will be in addition to the lifeguard.**
13. Observe the "No Diving" signs posted all along the decks to prohibit diving in the shallow water. Diving entries are allowed only in the deep section of the pool near the diving boards. Please enter and exit using the stairs or ladders.
14. During a thunderstorm all present will be directed to move to the bath house area of the club. There is NO showering permitted during a thunderstorm.
15. Should an emergency occur, an air horn will sound All swimmers must leave the pool and clear the area of the pool.
16. The use of the public address system will be restricted to emergencies and public announcements. No general paging of members will be made.
17. A person who is obviously sick, has impetigo, or any other open wound will be excluded from the club until his/her physician certifies in writing that he/she is free from contagion.
18. Trash containers are provided in the dressing room and pool areas. Please use these containers and instruct children to do the same.
19. Swimmers must shower before entering the pool.

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