

# 2018 MILESTONE POOL RULES, REGULATIONS AND SCHEDULE

1. All persons using the pool do so at their own risk. Neither the **Milestone Owners Association** nor **Swim Club Management Group (SCMG)** will be responsible for missing valuables or injuries.
2. A homeowner's assessment account must be current in order to use the pool facility.
3. Every pool area visitor must **sign in** at the gate before entering the pool. All **non-resident** pool members must have a proper **pool pass**.
4. **Guest Policy:** Guests must be accompanied by a resident or a non-resident member of the pool. Members are responsible for the actions of their guests. Each guest will need to present a valid guest pass before entering the pool. Guest passes are distributed at the beginning of the pool season by the lifeguards. Additional guest passes may be purchased at the site office during regular office hours.
5. **Pool parties:** During regular pool hours, groups of 10 people or more **must register with the site manager at the Clubhouse** at least two weeks in advance to assure proper staffing for safety. Owners **may be required to pay** for additional lifeguards as determined by the pool management company.
6. **The Pool management has the authority to close the pool**, at any time, in consideration of the health and safety of swimmers. *The pool will close and all personnel, whether members or attendants, will vacate the pool area at the first sign of thunder or lightning. It will remain closed for at least 30 minutes after the last sign of thunder or lightning. No exceptions!*
7. **The pool management has the authority to dismiss anyone** from the pool if his/her actions are judged hazardous or inappropriate in any manner. Failure to comply with the dismissal, until it can be discussed with **the Board and SCMG**, may justify a longer period of dismissal.
8. **Children under the age of 10 must be accompanied by a parent or responsible guardian. Children ages 10 and 11 must have a completed Swim Test & Permission Form on file, and must successfully pass a swim test in order to attend the pool without a guardian. Lifeguards will be strictly enforcing behavioral rules and will dismiss from the pool anyone not complying with the rules. \*Baby-sitters that are 12 through 15 years are required to have the Red Cross Babysitting Certification or certification from Breath of Fresh Air to be considered guardians in the pool area. Proof of certification must be shown each time you enter the pool.**
9. Swimmers must wear bathing suits or similarly suitable attire. Children in diapers and who are not toilet-trained shall not be allowed in any pool unless wearing snug fitting plastic pants over swimmy and/or cloth diapers. No thong bathing suits allowed. No sweatshirts are allowed to be worn in the water. ***Absolutely no cut-offs, or any frayed clothing will be allowed in the pool!*** This will be strictly enforced. Lifeguards will request persons not properly dressed to leave.
10. The wading /baby pool is provided for infants through 4 year olds. Please be respectful of the age limit.  
***A PARENT OR GUARDIAN MUST ACCOMPANY A CHILD AT ALL TIMES, AS THIS AREA IS NOT UNDER THE GENERAL SUPERVISION OF LIFEGUARDS.***
11. **GENERAL RULES**
  - A No glass or breakable plastic permitted.
  - B No running, pushing, or rough play in any form will be tolerated.
  - C No entering the pool water with open sores, poison ivy or other infectious or contagious conditions.
  - D No smoking or eating while in the water or at its edge.
  - E **Parents are asked** to request that their children use toilet facilities prior to entering the pool, and to explain the sanitary importance thereof.
  - F **Children who cannot swim**, regardless of their age, must be within reach of a parent or a responsible guardian **at all times**.
  - G No disposable diapers in the water!
  - H No snorkeling equipment such as: masks, fins/flippers and snorkels.
  - I No squirt guns.
  - J No riding on shoulders.
  - K No throwing of individuals in the air.
  - L Goggles, nerf-type balls and noodles are allowed in the pool.
12. **POOL DIVING**
  - A All pool visitors dive at their own risk.
  - B Do not dive out of the deep-water area. Please ask the lifeguard where the deep-water area is located.
  - C Head and neck injuries can result from improper diving; to avoid such injuries, always use caution. There may be additional hazards for those over 175 pounds who choose to use the diving board.
  - D Only 2 running steps allowed prior to diving from the pool deck.
  - E No inward dives, back dives, back flips, or reverse dives allowed from the edge of pool.
13. **POOL DIVING BOARD**
  - A A person must be able to swim the width of the pool and tread water for 30 seconds before using the diving board.
  - B Only one person at a time is allowed on the diving board.
  - C Wait for the previous diver to reach the side of the pool before diving. Be sure diving area is clear before diving.
  - D Do not double bounce on the diving board.
  - E Dive straight off the board.
  - F No inward diving is allowed.

- G Do not swim under the diving board.
- H Diving is limited to the area designated as the diving well.
- I **Certain items are not allowed in the diving well.** These include flotation devices, goggles, and masks or play equipment.

14. **FLOTATION DEVICES**

- A Life jackets, if worn, must be fully secured in the manner that the product was created to be used.
- B Plastic or rubber safety flotation devices that are certified by the USCG are allowed in the pool with proper parental supervision.
- C Non-swimmers using vests, arm floats or other USCG approved floats must be within arm's reach of parents or responsible guardians.

15. **SAFETY BREAK**

- A There may be a **"Safety Break"**, called from time to time at the discretion of the pool management. This period will be reserved for individuals that are 18 years old or older to swim. **Children under the age of 18** will get out of the pool immediately when a break is called and will remain out of the water until given permission to go back in the pool by the pool management lifeguards.
- B Those that are not of age to swim during the Safety Break will not be permitted to put their feet in the water during that designated time.
- C During the Safety Break children 5 years old or older are **not permitted in the baby pool.**

## **MILESTONE POOL SCHEDULE**

**2018 SEASON: SATURDAY, MAY 26, 2018, THROUGH SEPTEMBER 3, 2018**

### **Daily Schedule:**

Saturday	10:30 a.m. to 8:30 p.m.
Sunday	10:30 a.m. to 8:30 p.m.
*Monday	10:30 a.m. to 8:30 p.m.
*Tuesday	10:30 a.m. to 8:30 p.m.
*Wednesday	10:30 a.m. to 8:30 p.m.
*Thursday	10:30 a.m. to 8:30 p.m.
*Friday	10:30 a.m. to 8:30 p.m.

\*On School Days (Public Schools) after Memorial Day and before Labor Day, the pool will be open from 1 p.m. until 8:00 p.m.

### **DATES FOR POOL CLOSINGS FOR THE MAKOS SWIM TEAM**

The pool will be closed for the *Makos Swim Team* at 4:00 p.m. on the following dates:

**June 27, July 11 and July 17.**

The closings are for three home meets and a banquet. If it should rain on any of the dates, the rain date would be the next day.