



# Pool Rules

These rules are for the health, safety, and cleanliness of our pools and swimmers.

This is not a complete list of rules. Lifeguards may enforce other rules as necessary.

- All patrons must comply with lifeguard directions.
- No running, rough play, foul language, fighting dunking or any play that involves holding breath or hanging on others. Lifeguards have the discretion on what is or isn't safe.
- Diving is ONLY allowed where designated and only face first diving.
- Only USCG approved type II floatation devices are allowed.
- Proper swim attire must be worn in the pool.
- Youth ages 8 must be accompanied by an adult, age 16 or older, within arm's length at all times. Youth must be 14-years old or older to be in the facility without adult supervision but cannot supervise a child 7 and younger.
- Infants and toddlers must wear proper swim diapers in the pool. Diapers must be changed in the provided changing rooms.
- Food, drinks and gum are not allowed in the pool.
- No glass containers of any kind; No tobacco use of any kind; No alcohol, and any coolers may be inspected.
- Do not distract the lifeguards on the stands; Please address questions to staff at the office.
- Lifeguards may clear the pool due to weather, chemical or contamination issues, during an emergency with another patron, or any situation deemed unsafe.

## **POOL WEATHER NOTIFICATION:**

If thunder and lightning are present, pools will remain closed 30 minutes past the last observation.

## **A WORD TO PARENTS**

The Department staff strives to maintain the highest standards in emergency training. Our goal is to provide patrons with a safe and clean atmosphere in which families can enjoy themselves in a recreational environment. The purpose of the staff is not to supervise your child but to prevent accidents from happening. Therefore, parents need to closely supervise their children and assist in enforcing the facility's policies for the safety and enjoyment of all patrons. The City of Corpus Christi is not responsible for injuries or accidents. All children eight years of age and younger must be accompanied and supervised at all times by a paying adult (age 16 years or older).