

## POST OAK RECREATION POOL RULES

1. All PORA facilities are for members and their accompanying guests only. Members are required to bring their access card to utilize the pool facilities. Accessing the facilities without assigned access card may result in immediate expulsion from the facility. Access cards may not be shared outside of designated members/helper personnel listed on the membership application form. Limit 4 access cards per family.
2. No smoking in the pool area.
3. Children that are not potty trained must wear a swim diaper in the pool at all times.
4. Personal conduct in any area of the pool facility must not jeopardize the safety of any individual. No throwing of objects that may endanger other persons.
5. No running or diving in restricted areas.
6. Only one person on the diving board at a time.
7. The lifeguard may close the diving board for pool games for period up to 20 minutes. The diving board cannot be closed immediately following adult swim.
8. In the event of thunder or lightning, the pool must be cleared of all swimmers for a minimum of 20 minutes and for a maximum up to the discretion of the on-duty lifeguard. During SAYOR it is recommended that the pool be cleared for a minimum of 20 minutes.
9. Absolutely no glass is allowed in the pool area.
10. When departing, members and their guests must clean up their area throwing away all trash and replacing all chairs in their proper positions.
11. Lap swimmers have priority in the swim lane at all times, no exceptions. It is the responsibility of the parents to keep their children out of swim lane while it is in use. No sitting/hanging on lane ropes or deep-end rope.
12. Post Oak Square and Post Oak Springs residents that are not active members of PORA are not allowed to be guests of a PORA member.
13. No pets are allowed in the pool area.
14. Children under the age of 11 may only use the pool with a parent, guardian or babysitter present. Babysitters must have prior approval by one of the PORA Pool Coordinators. A babysitter is defined as an individual at least 13 years old, who is hired by a PORA member. The babysitter must be attentive to the child's whereabouts and be capable of providing emergency care if needed. Children under the age of 11 cannot use the pool while a parent is playing tennis; the parent, guardian, or babysitter must remain inside the pool area at all times.
15. Violation of any of these rules may result in the member expulsion from the pool, and their membership reviewed for possible termination. Termination of a membership due to a violation of pool rules is subject to the PORA Board of Directors; the membership fee is not refundable.

## LIFEGUARD DUTIES AND AUTHORITY

1. The lifeguard is in charge of the pool during lifeguard hours. Members are required to comply with all lifeguard instructions.
2. The presence of a lifeguard does not replace the presence of adult supervisions. Parents must exercise due caution in allowing children to use the pool. It is recommended that parents act as if lifeguards are not present.
3. The lifeguard does not supervise the wading (baby) pool. A parent must accompany their child in the wading pool.
4. During on-duty lifeguard hours, the lifeguard may call "adult swim" up to once per hour, for a maximum of 15 minutes and a minimum of 10 minutes. During "adult swim" the lifeguard may take their or complete other tasks as long as the maximum adult swim

- period is not exceeded.
- Adults 18 years of age and older may utilize the pool during Adult Swim. No person under 18 years of age is to be in the pool at this time excluding infants under 12 months held in their parent's arms.
  - Only lifeguards, supervisors or board members may enter the pump room or guardroom except during emergencies.

#### EXTENDED HOURS POOL RULES

##### NO LIFEGUARD ON DUTY

- Pool hours are 7:00 AM -9:00 PM daily, May 1<sup>st</sup> to September 30<sup>th</sup>.
- Extended Hours refers to the time the pool is open but no lifeguard is on duty.
- Members must sign the Extended Hours Liability Release form before receiving their access card.
- The diving board is closed and cannot be used when no lifeguard is on duty.
- No alcohol consumption during extend hours.
- Members must be at least 18 years old or accompanied by a parent. No babysitters. NO EXCEPTIONS.
- Clean up is your responsibility.

##### POOL GUEST POLICY

- Guests cannot be a resident of Post Oak Square or Post Oak Springs.
- A member family may bring up to 5 guests at one time. More than 5 guests will be considered a party and requires the approval of the PORA Pool Coordinators.
- Repetitive guests cannot be invited more than three times per year.
- All guests must be accompanied by a member at all times.
- No guests are allowed in/at the facility under any business or paid capacity.
- Person(s) that do not qualify as an approved guest will be ask to leave the facilities immediately along with the member(s) who invited them.

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Pool rules may be changed, amended or modified by the PORA Board or the lifeguards as warranted or needed. Common sense will apply. Any PORA Board Member, Pool Coordinator or Pool Management Company employee has the authority to evict anyone that violates PORA Pool Rules.

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