

# Osborne Park Pool



## Pool Rules

### GENERAL RULES

- If a child is unable to swim 25 meters, the parent/guardian MUST be within arms reach at all times.
- U.S. Coast Guard Approved Lifejackets that are properly fitted are required for “Non-Swimmers” to enter water deeper than 3.5 feet. No other flotation devices are permitted in the water.
  - No water wings, tubes, noodles, suits with built-in floats, or other Non-Coast Guard approved devices are permitted.
- All children under 48” tall must pass our “Swimmer” test to go in water over 3.5 feet deep or to use the big slides.
  - The test consists of swimming 25 meters without touching the wall, floor, or lane line.
  - Aquatics staff may revoke a passed test at any time.
  - The test must be re-taken every calendar year.
- Any child under the age of twelve (12) years must be accompanied by an individual 16 years of age or older for admittance into the pool area and use of the pool facilities.
- No Diving, prolonged breath holding, or running anywhere in the pool area.
- Swim diapers are required for small children or people with incontinence.
- Throwing balls, toys, or any other objects is prohibited anywhere within the Osborne Park Pool premises.
  - This includes the pool deck, grassy areas, & water.
- Aquatic Staff may establish additional rules for safety.

**Portions of the pool may be closed at times; look for posted signs.**

### WATER SLIDE RULES

- Slide feet first or lying down at all times.
- Stopping, changing position, and forming “chains” is prohibited.
- Life jackets or any other flotation devices are prohibited.
- Exit the landing area of the slide immediately.
- All slide users must follow the directions of the slide operator.
- Maximum rider weight is 300 lbs.

### LAP LANE RULES

- Lap lanes are reserved for lap swimming and water testing **only**.
- No hanging on the lane lines.
- Lanes may be added/removed at the managers discretion.
- Lap lanes must be shared.

**If you cannot share, you cannot swim.**

**Failure to comply with the rules could lead to suspension or revocation of swim privileges!**