

Brookcliff Pool Rules

Pool Admission

- All Full Members and their families must enter their code each time as they enter the pool area. It is the responsibility of the member to insure that their guests abide by the rules. Any misconduct by a guest or member will result in the guest and / or member denied use of the pool.
- Pool gate access codes remain the same year after year. Codes will be activated at the beginning of each pool season when dues are paid. If a member needs to be reminded of their code, they may email info@brookcliff.org - and should include their name and address.
- Access codes are not to be given to anyone other than family members residing in Brookcliff. Providing pool access codes to any non-family member is subject to revocation of pool access.
- All pool guests must sign in at the guest log located at the lifeguard stand.
- Children under 13 years of age must pass a swim test administered by a lifeguard in order to swim without a parent present. The swim test must be renewed each year.
- Children under 8 years of age will not be allowed in the pool area without being accompanied by a responsible adult 18 years or older.
- Any member 14 years of age and under may only have one guest at the pool during lifeguard hours without a parent. Parent must be a member in good standing.
- Only those Members who have signed the [liability waiver](#) may be in the pool after hours. This means only the parent/member who is over 21 and has signed the waiver can be there with their children, after hours when there is no lifeguard.
 - Children under 21 are not allowed on their own.
 - Guests are not allowed.
 - Children of one member are not allowed to be at the pool after hours with another member who is not their parent.
- Misuse of “extended hour” swimming privileges (when lifeguard is not present) is subject to revocation of pool access.
- Do not open the gate for anyone outside of your party; even if you know them. Each member group accessing the pool must use their code to enter.

Pool Rules

- No smoking inside the pool area.
- Running, pushing, or any other “horseplay” that could cause injury to those involved are prohibited.
- No jumping from side of pool backwards.
- Rafts are not allowed in crowded pool.
- No slapping or hitting with swim fun noodles.
- No ball playing or throwing if it interferes with others in the area. No tennis balls allowed.
- Bathing suits required. No cut-offs or gym-shorts.
- No breakable or glass bottles are permitted in the pool area. Soft drinks must be in unbreakable containers.
- No food or beverages in the pool.
- No breakable toys in the pool area.

- No sparklers or fireworks of any type in the pool area.
- No pets in the pool area.
- No foul or abusive language.
- Do not chew gum while in the pool area.
- Do not throw trash in the pool. Containers are provided for refuse.
- The telephone in the pool area is for emergency use only.
- Toddlers must wear leak proof underpants.

Penalties for Breaking Pool Rules

The lifeguards, at their discretion, will be responsible for enforcing all rules while on duty. The support from all members is strongly encouraged.

1st violation	A warning will be given.
2nd offense	Out of the pool for 15 minutes, seated next to the lifeguard.
3rd offense	Off the pool and recreation area grounds for the remainder of the day (and parents are notified of violations).

- Flagrant violations will be reported to the pool chairperson.
- At the time of the third dismissal from the pool area, minors will not be allowed back in the pool area for two weeks unless accompanied by their parents and / or another responsible adult.
- Habitual violations will result in restriction from use of the pool for a designated time – including permanent restriction.

Pool Parties

- Anyone wishing to have a party at the pool should contact info@brookcliff.org
- Parties are scheduled events with more than five in the group and require an adult to be present and an additional lifeguard as well.
- These same guests can only be guests one time per week.
- Brookcliff residents who are Civic or Non-Members may not be guests of the pool unless specifically invited to a neighborhood-sponsored event. Guests of members may not bring other guests.