

Mountville Community Swimming Pool Rules and Regulations

Phone 285-2747

The following rules and regulations have been established for the protection and benefit of all persons using the facilities. Adherence to the following rules and guidelines for this facility will ensure a safe and enjoyable experience by all patrons. Instruct your children appropriately and require them to observe all rules and to obey the pool managers and pool employees at all times.

The managers and other authorized personnel are the absolute authority in the enforcement of all rules and regulations of the Mountville Community Swimming Pool.

Any violation of these rules shall be considered cause for the immediate suspension of full privileges for the offending person indefinitely, with no admission fee refund.

A. Schedule:

1. The pool may be closed due to weather, pool maintenance, or other management reasons. In such case, no portion of the admission fee shall be refunded. Using the pool when no regular lifeguard is in attendance is forbidden, and the pool may not be used when the facility is closed.

B. Swimming Pool Liability:

1. Every precaution has been taken to ensure your safety, however, all who use this facility, do so at their own risk
2. Immediately report all accidents and/or injuries to the pool manager or lifeguard on duty.
3. The management is not responsible for any damage or theft of personal property.
4. Replacement or repair costs of any willfully damaged pool property will be charged to the responsible offender or parent of the person causing the damage, in addition the person causing the damage will be prohibited from using the facilities for the remainder of the summer.

C. Swim Wear:

1. Only conventional, non-frayed swimming suits will be allowed in the pool. The pool manager's opinion shall be final.
2. Children who are not toilet trained must be properly diapered with swim diapers before entering the pool. Children under four (4) must be supervised by an adult.

D. Swimming Pool Regulations:

1. Daily paying patrons under the age of 18 must be accompanied by a paying adult to enter the pool area. This adult must stay within the pool area to supervise such youths.
2. Daily paying patrons must register at the entrance area; and, when leaving the pool facility for a short period, must have his or her hand stamped in order to avoid repaying to re-enter.
3. All pass holders must present their pass at the entrance area and must pick them up when leaving the facility. Each individual must present his or her own pass. Replacement fee for lost, stolen, or damaged passes will be \$5.00 per pass.
4. All members between the ages of 12 to 15 must display minimum swimming skills as defined by pool management, unless accompanied by a responsible guardian of at least 16 yrs. of age with approved pass.
5. All pool users are expected to shower and use toilet facilities before entering the pool.
6. Diving board regulations:
 - a. Must be able to swim 25 yards.
 - b. Only one person on the board at a time
 - c. Do not jump up and down on the board unless you intend to jump or dive.
 - d. Do not dive or jump into the water until the previous person has cleared the area below the boards.
 - e. Dive or jump only from the end of the board – straight out.
 - f. After surfacing, immediately clear the area in front of the board by swimming to the nearest ladder.

- g. No one shall enter the diving area except from the diving board.
- h. No catching of objects off of the board.
- i. No handstands off of the board.

- 7. An adult must accompany children wearing a floatation device in either pool.
- 8. The roped-off (shallow) area of the main pool is open to children 10 years of age and less, with their parents.
- 9. The wading pool is open to children 10 years of age and under. Guardians are required to provide direct supervision of their children under age 5.
- 10. Only soft, plastic toys are permitted in the wading pool, with parent supervision.
- 11. Remove all toys from the wading pool when they are not being used.

E. Other Regulations:

- 1. No person shall engage in indecent or otherwise offensive conduct, or use profane or vulgar language on pool grounds.
- 2. Smoking is permitted only in designated areas.
- 3. No alcoholic beverages shall be permitted on the grounds.
- 4. No glass containers will be allowed on the grounds.
- 5. No running, pushing, wrestling, ducking, snapping towels or annoying other persons on pool grounds.
- 6. No Nerf balls on busy days.
- 7. No squirt guns.
- 8. No pets will be allowed in or around the pool facility.
- 9. No loitering around the pool entrance, snack bar, locker rooms or outside the fence on pool grounds.
- 10. Deposit all refuse in containers provided.
- 11. Admission may be refused to anyone with skin abrasions, a cold, a cough, inflamed eyes, athlete's foot, infections or persons wearing bandages.
- 12. Gas grills are available for your use by contacting the pool manager. A \$10.00 deposit is required to use the grill. You must provide your own cooking utensils. The grill must be cleaned after use. The \$10.00 deposit will be returned after the grill has been cleaned. Do not bring any cooking devices to the pool.
- 13. Only authorized personnel are permitted in the snack bar, office, or storage areas of the pool.
- 14. No expectorating (spitting) or nose blowing while in the pool, or on the pool grounds.
- 15. Do not talk to the lifeguards unless necessary. Doing so will interfere with their effectiveness and possibly endanger the lives of others.
- 16. Obey lifeguards at all times.
- 17. The MCSF Board of Directors may add to or revise these rules at any time.