

Rite-Hite Family YMCA

Pool Policies

- Please follow all posted rules.
- Children in baby carriers, strollers, etc. must be actively supervised by a parent/caregiver at all times.
- Shower before entering the pool and after the use of toilet facilities. (WI Code)
- Children not toilet trained are required to wear a swim diaper covered by a tight topped suit or plastic pants. (WI Code)
- Appropriate swim suits are required. The Y is a family environment
- Please walk and do not engage in rough play.
- Please follow all requests made by the lifeguard

Steam Room Policies (18 yrs & older)

- Wear only swim wear in steam room
- ▼ Never wear long sleeves/pant legs
- Do not stay in steam room longer than 10 minutes

Whirlpool Policies (18 yrs & older)

- Always shower before entering whirlpool (WI Code)
- Swim suits only please

6-7

yrs

8+

yrs

- Never stay in whirlpool longer than 10 minutes
- People with a history of heart disease, high/low blood pressure, diabetes, seizures or are pregnant should not use whirlpool!

Lap Swim

- Swimmers are expected to share the lanes fairly and considerately. Circle swim is expected.
- Pass down the middle or stop at the end of the lane to let faster swimmers pass safely.
- Allow the lifeguard to help determine appropriate lap lane.
- Please only swim on front or side when lap use is high.
- Minors are allowed to use the lap lanes if they pass the swim test.

Equipment

- Kickboards are for instructional use only.
- Bubble belts are used for flotation for children only.
- Noodles are to be used for flotation only.
- Small soft balls may be used. HOWEVER, they must STAY in the water and may not interfere with others enjoyment of the pool.

Additional Rules

- Cameras, Cell Phones and Other electronic items are not allowed on deck.
- ▼ Street shoes are not allowed on deck.
- Photography on deck is strictly prohibited.

SCHEDULE KEY:

OPEN: The entire small pool is available for open/family swim

LIMITED OPEN: Half the small pool is available for open/family swim

NO OPEN: The small pool is unavailable for

CHILD SUPERVISION IN THE POOL

0-2 yrs Adult must be within arm's reach of child at all times.

Adult must be in the water within arms reach at all times.

Adults must be in the pool area supervising the child at all times.

Child may be in the pool area unsupervised.

If a child passes the swim test they will be issued a wristband and will be able to swim in water over their head while a parent in the pool area continues to actively

supervise

them.

SWIM TEST

Any minor wishing to swim in water deeper than chest depth without an adult must pass the swim test:

- Jump into the shallow end, ducking the head under water.
- Swim with a strong stroke 1/2 length of large pool.
- Tread water for 30 seconds.
- Swim back to starting point.
 - **Swim tests must be completed every visit. The lifeguard has the authority to withhold or remove access to any area of the pool to maintain safety.