

TOWN OF MONROE

PARKS & RECREATION DEPARTMENT

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Monroe Parks and Recreation Commission 2023 Rules and Regulations Wolfe Park Swimming Pool

Proof of full time, year round Monroe residency is mandatory. All others pay non-resident rates. Sticker parking only in paved lot from Memorial Day weekend to Labor Day. Special exceptions may be granted by the Commission.

To be admitted to pool area and locker rooms everyone must present their own appropriate membership identification card each visit or pay a daily or guest fee [good for one hour minimum]. Daily and guest visitors must show proof of payment. Loaning of cards may terminate their usage for remainder of the season without a refund. Full replacement charge for <u>each</u> missing membership card unless receipt or cancelled check is presented (see fee schedule).

Pool will be open from Saturday June 3, 2023 to Monday Sept. 4, 2023 Labor Day. Hours will be posted online and at the pool house. The hours are subject to change at any time.

Swimmers must leave the pool 15 minutes before closing time and leave the locker rooms by closing time. The Parks and Recreation Department reserves the right to schedule lessons, meets, special events, adult swims and to limit the capacity or clear the pool area for health and safety reasons. The entire pool area <u>and</u> locker rooms will be cleared from the first sound of thunder until 30 minutes after the last sound of thunder.

In accordance with the State of Connecticut Dept. of Health Public Health Code, in the event of a formed fecal or vomit incident in the pool, the pool will be closed for <u>30 minutes</u> to allow for pH and free chlorine return to proper levels. All patrons will be required to exit the pool until it has been deemed appropriate for use, and may remain in the pool area until then.

DO <u>NOT</u> VISIT WITH LIFEGUARDS ON DUTY. ALL LIFEGUARD STATIONS AND BENCHES/CHAIRS ARE FOR GUARD USE ONLY.

Children under 12 years of age must be accompanied and directly supervised by an adult (minimum 18 years old, remain gated, in the pool area). Children over the age of six are not allowed in the opposite sex locker rooms. Please utilize our family changing room.

NO running, hanging on lane lines, spitting, blowing of the nose, swearing, fighting, threatening, vandalism, smoking, horseplay, smoking, littering, food, beverages (except water in shatterproof containers), gum, glass containers, coolers or bottles allowed in either pool area, locker rooms, bathrooms or showers. Balls or other toys are not permitted to be thrown in water or on grassy area. Athletic activities will be considered only during low use/off-peak hours of activity.

Proper bathing suits <u>ONLY</u> in the pool. Cut-offs, T-shirts or shorts are NOT permitted unless they are the same material as traditional bathing suit (nylon, spandex, or lycra). Infants and untrained children MUST wear rubber pants AND swim diapers.

Inner tubes, face masks, bubbles, water wings or any other type of flotation devices (unless permanently part of a bathing suit) are not allowed in the pool. Lap swimmers only can use flippers/snorkles when in designated lap lane. Only U.S. Coast Guard approved life vests/jackets will be permitted, and require will adult supervision at all times the child is in the water.

DEEP END – USE RESTRICTED TO THOSE OF ADEQUATE SWIMMING ABILITY ONLY. No running or side diving off pavement.

No head first diving, backwards dives, flips or twists from side of pool, nor carrying, towing or throwing another person.

Rinse and soap showers must be taken before entering pool. Persons with severe infections or cuts are not permitted in the water.

Chairs and umbrellas prohibited on concrete deck space within 4' of water or lifeguard stations.

Excessive loudness of electronic equipment is prohibited.

The usage of any photographic device in the locker rooms, bathrooms or shower areas is prohibited.

The teaching of private lessons is strictly prohibited by any individuals who are not currently employed by the Monroe Parks and Recreation Department during open community swim times, and all lessons whether group or private must be part of a program offered through our registration procedures.

Violation of any rules, including disobeying the instructions or warning of lifeguard or other pool personnel, may result in loss of pool privileges without refund.

Emergency pool phone number at Wolfe Park Pool: 203-452-3764

For all pool program/activity information, please call the Parks & Recreation Department Weekdays at 203-452-2806 or visit our website at www.monroerec.org

Capacity load of 150 will be allowed in the pool area and not just in the water. Subject to change based upon lifeguard availability.

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