

# GLEN COVE SWIM CLUB, INC. RULES & REGULATIONS

The following rules and regulations for the recreational area are for the benefit and protection of all members to assure safe and sanitary operation of the facilities. Your cooperation in abiding by these conditions will afford pleasant relaxation and recreation for all concerned.

## **MANAGEMENT**

The Board of Directors has delegated authority to the Pool Management Company (**Atlantic Pool Company**), its representatives, and its staff for the enforcement of these rules and regulations. Parents will instruct their children to observe all rules and regulations and to obey the instructions of the lifeguards. The Pool Management Staff will take whatever action deemed necessary for the safe and orderly operation of this facility.

## **FACILITIES**

The Swim Club consists of one swimming pool (25 yards in length) with a diving area and a swimming area consisting of six competition lanes, a separate wading pool, a bathhouse with showers and restroom facilities, picnic area (including a grill), and a parking lot.

## **POOL HOURS AND CLOSINGS**

1. While school is in session (May 27 - June 14, 2024 and August 19 - September 2, 2024):

Monday – Friday	4:00 pm – 8:00 pm
Saturday	11:00 am – 8:00 pm
Sunday	12:00 pm – 7:00 pm

2. When school is out for the summer:

Monday, Wednesday, Friday	12:00 pm – 8:00 pm
Tuesday, Thursday	11:00 am – 7:00 pm
Saturday	11:00 am – 8:00 pm
Sunday	12:00 pm – 7:00 pm

3. The pool will be closed any time due to thunder, lightning, or any other inclement weather conditions, including temperatures below 70 degrees.
4. The pool will be closed if someone vomits or defecates in the pool. The pool water must go through a complete cycle through the filter system. This typically takes about 4 hours.

5. Pool closings such as failure of pool equipment, vandalism, or any other reason will be announced on the website and social media. Lifeguards must contact a member of the Board of Directors to make this announcement.
6. The pool will also close if the phone does not work. Atlantic Pool will not furnish a cellular phone until the telephone is fixed. This situation is not covered by the insurance carrier for the Atlantic Pool Company.

### **ENTRY TO THE POOL**

1. No person shall use the pool unless it is officially open and lifeguards are on duty. Persons entering or using the pool area other than during designated hours of operation, unless specifically authorized by a member of the Board of Directors, shall be considered trespassers and subject to criminal and civil prosecution.
2. No person shall be allowed to use the pool facilities until identified by the lifeguard with a current pool picture pass. Only members that are paid in full for their Glen Cove Swim Club and applicable homeowners association dues will receive a pool picture pass to use the facilities. Season pass holders will also receive picture passes after proper payment and photographs have been received by the Swim Club Membership Coordinator.
3. Admittance to the bathhouse and pool will be refused to any person having a cold, sore or inflamed eyes, ear or nose discharge, a communicable or contagious disease, an open sore or wound, a skin disease, or excessive sunburn.

### **GUEST POLICY (see also: Glen Cove Swim Club Guest Rules)**

1. Guests must be accompanied and signed in by an adult (16 years and older) member, unless the guest is an adult caregiver for a member under the age of 16. This member is responsible for the conduct of his or her guests. This responsibility includes financial liability for any damages. There is a limit of five (5) guests per member in one day, unless a planned event is coordinated with the Pool Management and Board of Directors.
2. Each member household that has paid their annual dues on time (by March 31) will receive a free 10-guest pass. After it has been used completely or if a guest pass is needed, members may purchase a 10-guest pass for \$20 or pay \$3 per guest per day.
3. A guest is a person who is not a member of the Glen Cove Swim Club and/or does not hold a valid, current season pass. Please note that Glen Cove residents are not eligible to be guests.

4. People who do not live in a members' house, including both friends and relatives are considered guests of current, paid members.

**RULES**

1. Swimmers and bathers should shower before entering the pool.
2. The following are not allowed in the pool or pool area (during regular operating hours):

Chewing gum	Pets	Alcoholic beverages
Glass	Profane language	Smoking or vaping
Skateboards and bicycles	Rough play or fighting	Smokeless tobacco
Roller blades	Spitting or spouting water	Stereos or Radios without headphones*
Street footwear in the pool	Blowing nose in pool	

\*Music may be permitted during less crowded times at the discretion of lifeguards and the Board of Directors.

3. Persons unable to display to the lifeguard their ability to swim the length of the pool (i.e., 25 yards) will not be allowed in the deep water or the pool without an adult (18 years old or older).
4. To ensure maximum attention to pool safety by lifeguards, members are requested to stay clear of guard stands and not to converse with the lifeguards who are on duty in the chair or on the deck. The guards are there for your safety – NOT FRATERNIZATION.
5. There will be a 10-minute break every hour for those under 16 years of age.
6. Diving Board: Only one bounce on the diving board is allowed. Only one person is allowed on the diving board at a time. Do not enter the water until the diving area is clear of swimmers. Dive in a direction straight off the end of the board. Do not hang on the diving board. The diving board may be closed when the pool is crowded so that members and their guests may use the full area of the pool for swimming. The diving area will not be used for general swimming without first closing the diving board. Closing of the diving board will be at the discretion of the lifeguards.
7. Diving in the shallow area is not allowed.
8. Glass articles or containers are not allowed in the bathhouse or pool area.
9. Flotation devices for children are not allowed in the pool unless an adult is accompanying

and attending to the child when in use.

10. Rafts, beach balls, inflatable mats, fun noodles, and inflatable toys will be allowed in the main pool during less crowded times at the discretion of the lifeguards and the Board of Directors.
11. The Pool Management and the Swim Club Board of Directors have the authority to exclude any person from the pool area for misconduct or failure to obey pool rules. Anyone under the age of 18 who is excluded from the pool will be required to have their parent or guardian accompany them before they will be allowed back to use the pool.

## **CHILDREN**

1. An adult must accompany children under the age of 12 in order to use the pool facilities even if the child can swim the length of the pool. Children will not be permitted to enter the pool area to wait for a responsible adult.
2. There must be a ratio of one adult for five children while using the main pool.
3. Children age five (5) and under are allowed to use the wading pool. Supervision of children in the wading pool area is the responsibility of the parents/guardians who must remain in the wading pool area with their child or children at all times.
4. Children in diapers must wear protective pants or swim diapers under a swimsuit. Disposable diapers that are not designated as “swim diapers” are not allowed in the wading or main pool. If a child is in the pool without protective pants or swim diapers, the parent will be asked to remove the child immediately.

## **LOST AND FOUND**

Lost articles will be placed in the lost and found area at the entrance to the bathhouse. Articles not claimed within seven (7) days will be disposed of. The Swim Club is not responsible for loss of or damage to personal belonging, bicycles, or automobiles on Swim Club premises.

## **GLEN COVE BOARD MEMBERS**

<b>President</b>	Erik Martin	412-606-4126
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