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Cardinal Lake 2010 Pool Rules & Regulations

2010 Pool Season*

Saturday, May 22, 2010 – Monday, September 6, 2010 (Labor Day)

Regular Swim

Hours of Operation:

5/22/2010 until 6/9/2010, Monday through Sunday, 12:00 PM to 8:00 PM

6/10/2010 until 9/6/2010, Monday through Sunday, 11:00 AM to 8:00 PM

- Pool attendants are for pool security and management only. They are not and do not serve as life guards.
- Life guards are not on duty. Swim at your own risk

Definitions:

“Guest”: Anyone not living within a resident’s home. No exceptions.

General Pool Rules:

- Members (adults and children, 12 and over) must sign-in with pool attendant and register any guests prior to swimming. Home address, printed name and phone number must be provided for resident verification purposes. Previous abuse of pool facilities contribute to lengthier sign-in procedures.
- Pool keys are not allowed to be loaned or given to non-residents for use.
- Due to the size of the pool area...special events, private pool parties, children’s’ birthday parties and other group get-togethers are not allowed.
- The board of directors reserves the right to terminate pool access for misuse of membership, vandalism, after-hours entry or outstanding homeowner dues.
- Guests must be signed-in by an accompanying homeowner.
- Children under 12 must be accompanied by a parent or person over 15 years of age.
- Children using flotation devices must be accompanied by a parent or guardian over 15 years of age.
- Children under the age of 6 must be closely supervised by an accompanying adult.
- No diving
- No water guns are permitted within pool deck area.
- Persons entering the pool after closing time are considered to be trespassing. The police should be contacted by anyone who is aware of such trespassing at any time.

- Pool management has the right and responsibility to close the pool when deemed necessary for safety measures.
- No glass containers are permitted within the fenced pool area.
- Smoking is not allowed in pool or playground areas.
- Food is permitted; however, waste from the consumption of food and beverages must be deposited in the containers provided. Eating/Drinking is not permitted in the pool.
- No music is allowed, except for headphones or other such devices that can be heard only by the owner so as not to disturb others.
- No profanity, improper behavior or vulgar language is permitted.
- No running or boisterous, rough play is permitted in the pool area, or shower room.
- The pump-room portion of the cabana building is limited to staff members only.
- No bikes, skates, scooters, or rollerblades, etc are permitted inside the pool area.
- No pets or animals are permitted in the fenced-in pool area. Exceptions will be made for guide animals.
- No furniture or equipment may be removed from the pool area or inappropriately used.
- Due to size of pool, flotation devices are only allowed for safety reasons; however, it will be at the discretion of the pool attendant to limit use of these devices as necessary.
- Pool attendants reserve the right to end any playing or behavior deemed unsafe or considered an annoyance to others.
- The Cardinal Lake Pool is “**Swim at your own risk.**” Cardinal Lake assumes **no** responsibility even during regular hours when pool attendants are onsite.

Guest Policy

- A resident must accompany his guests at all times.
- All guests under 16 years of age must be accompanied by an adult or guardian, 18 years or older at all times.
- Each resident may bring up to two guests at a time.
- Each household may bring a maximum of 4 guests per visit. For example, a single resident may bring two guests. A resident couple may bring up to four guests. A resident family of six may only bring four guests.
- Entrance and admission to the pool area implies agreement to all the pool rules.

Pool Access Key

- One pool key will be provided free of charge per household.
- Replacement pool keys are \$20.00 and must be requested from the CAS, Inc. Customer Service Department by calling, 919-403-1400, and press 2. A \$20 charge will be assessed to your account.
- Pool attendants will distribute pool keys, free of charge, to new residents.
- Keys distributed by pool attendants must be signed for

Swim Diapers

- All children who are not potty-trained will be required to wear vinyl pants and Swim Diapers (such as “Little Swimmers”) under their swimsuit.
- Cloth diapers and disposable diapers **ARE NOT PERMITTED.**
- Do not dispose of diapers in the pool area.
- If a child is not potty-trained and is not wearing swim diapers, the resident/member will be assessed a fine of \$250.00 if a fecal accident occurs.
- If an accident occurs with swim diapers the resident/member will be assessed a fine of \$100.00 for the cost of chemicals to shock the pool.

Facility Rules

- To utilize the facility, members’ dues must be in good standing.
- Those individuals (owners and renters) whose dues are delinquent will receive a notice upon their entry that they are (according to management’s records) delinquent and will not be allowed to use the pool again, until such account is in good standing.
- Management has the right to ask any person whom they consider unruly or intoxicated to leave the premises.
- No smoking is permitted inside the pool fence, including the bathrooms and playground.
- The HOA, pool attendant, property manager is not responsible for lost or stolen articles; those left for over one week will be donated to charity.
- Gender appropriate bathrooms must be used for anyone over the age of 3 years.
- Residents/Members are responsible for informing their guests of all pool rules.
- While breastfeeding, women are asked to please be discrete and mindful of other members and patrons.
- Management reserves the right to ask any one who is not obeying pool rules to leave the facility for the remainder of the day. More serious offenses may result in lack of access to pool for longer periods.

- Overly obvious public displays of affection are not appropriate anywhere in the pool area. Members and guests are asked to respect others and remember that the pool is a family-oriented facility.

Weather Policies

- For the safety of members, the pool follows American Red Cross guidelines for thunder and lightning. From the time staff hears thunder or sees lightning, the pool will be cleared for 20 minutes. In the case of lightning, the pool deck must be cleared due to the danger of a strike.
- In the case of *consistent inclement weather*, the pool attendant will make the decision to close the pool on 2- hour increments to accommodate the ever changing weather patterns. If the weather improves, then the pool will reopen. Pool closing and/or opening times will be placed on the dry-erase board just inside the front gate of the pool.

Fecal Contamination

- In the case of fecal/vomit matter in the swimming pool, the pool will close following policies outlined by the State of North Carolina Health Department for solid fecal, vomit, and/or loose fecal matter. Maximum closing will be as necessary to correct the problem.

Intoxicated Individuals:

- Will not be permitted within the fenced in pool area. For the purpose of this rule, persons shall be considered intoxicated if they appear to be inebriated or have consumed sufficient alcoholic beverages such that they would be considered legally drunk if operating a motor vehicle. If the intoxicated individual refuses to leave the fenced in pool area, then after being asked to leave by the lifeguard, the police department will be called.
- **POOL ATTENDANTS HAVE FULL AUTHORITY AT THE POOL AT ALL TIMES.** The attendants have the authority to institute additional rules or regulations as conditions warrant. **AFTER A WARNING, THE ATTENDANTS HAVE THE AUTHORITY TO ORDER ANY PERSON TO LEAVE THE FENCED-IN POOL AREA IF THE ATTENDANTS DETERMINES THAT THE PERSON IS VIOLATING ANY OF THE POOL RULES.** Persons remaining in the fenced-in pool area after being directed to leave by the lifeguard shall thereafter be deemed to be trespassing and the police department will be called.
- **Violation of these rules** by residents, members or guests may result in fines, suspension of pool privileges and/or imposition of other legal sanctions. It is each resident's/member's responsibility to comply with the pool rules.

Swimming Pool Personal Hygiene and Attire:

- It is recommended that all persons shower before entering the pool.
- Admission to the pool may be denied to any person having a skin infection, rash, nasal, eye or ear discharge, sore or inflamed eyes, communicable disease, excessive sunburn, open sores or infants and toddlers without swim diapers.
- Spitting, spouting water, blowing the nose and similar unhygienic actions are prohibited in the pool.

- Chewing gum is prohibited in the pool.
- Swimmers, including infants and toddlers, must wear appropriate bathing attire. No cut-off, dungarees, thongs etc. are allowed.