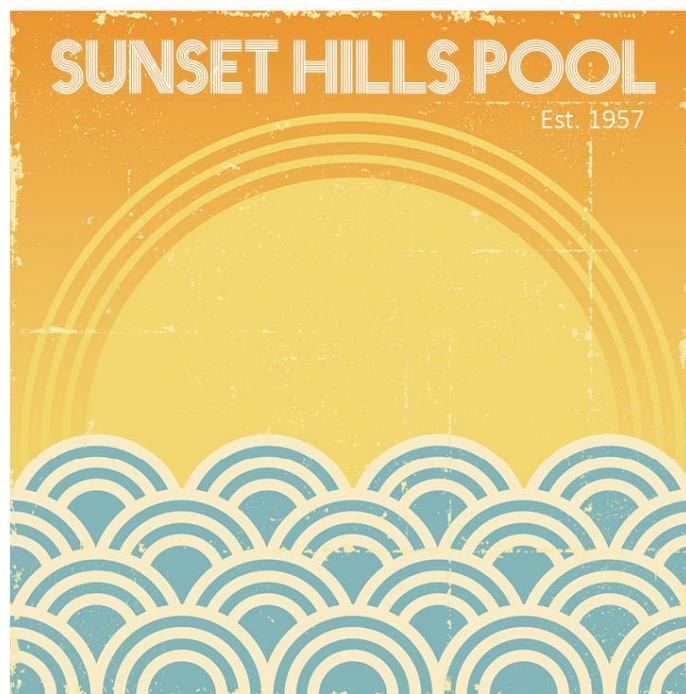


SUNSET HILLS POOL

RULES AND REGULATIONS - 2021 COVID-19 PLAN

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POOL SAFETY AND SET-UP

- Pool Staff will sanitize the entire facility at the beginning of each day and throughout the day similar to last year, however we do ask for members to assist by only sitting at tables that have been cleared and cleaned. All tables, chairs, lounge chairs, etc. will be sanitized throughout the day and during the weekend time period break. Tables & chairs will be spaced at the discretion of staff management. Lounge chairs will be spaced in a similar manner. Your assistance in clearing your table prior to leaving is GREATLY appreciated.
- The gated baby pool area should be used by members with children 6 years and below.
- Tables, chairs and loungers will be pre-arranged on the deck.
- Please ensure all members of your household are maintaining the 6 feet social distancing guidelines. This will be the responsibility of the adult(s) in each family unit. It will not be the responsibility of the staff to police the 6 feet social distance requirements.
- There will be a zero tolerance policy for roughhousing, jumping on or touching others in the water for those outside of your household. Adults are expected to closely monitor their children in the water even if they are proficient swimmers to ensure all social distancing guidelines are being maintained.
- Our staff will always do their best to practice safe social distancing. Lifeguards on the deck may not be wearing masks or gloves and reserve the right to break safe social distance standards in order to assist struggling swimmers.

HEALTH & SAFETY

Stay home if you are at risk or not feeling well. It is our priority to keep all members and staff safe and healthy so please stay home if you are under the weather or experiencing any signs of illness including fever, cough or shortness of breath.

Per CDC guidelines, if you or a member of your household test positive for COVID-19, please notify the Sunset Hills Pool Board immediately at contactus@sunsethillspool.com.

AGE MINIMUM

Children ages 12 and older may attend the pool unsupervised.

Adults are encouraged to review the rules with all children ahead of time and if the rules are not followed unsupervised children will be asked to leave the pool. "If it's a rule at school, it's a rule at the pool," will be reiterated to children this year.

The Board will review each infraction with Pool Staff and reach out to the Membership Admin to discuss possible restrictions moving forward.

GUEST POLICY

As approved by the board at the May 5 meeting, members may bring up to two (2) guests per booked session. All guests will be presented the Sunset Hills Pool Rules and Regulations - COVID 2021 policy and required to sign a waiver of liability form for each attending guest prior to entering the pool. The updated guest policy will be extended for all regular season dates excluding any special event, holiday, or non-private membership event.

Guests will be required to sign up in advance of attending the pool. Link for signup will be available on the Sunset Hills Pool website.

ENTERING THE FACILITY

- All members will enter through the Main Gate.
- Each member is required to check-in at the pool office using their membership number upon entering the gates. Pool staff will verify each member and those in attendance and will sign-in via our system to ensure every member in attendance is registered.
- All guests will need to sign in, listing first and last name for contact tracing purposes.
- At this time we will not require masks to be worn by our membership or staff. This decision came out of respect for all of our membership as we understand that each of you have personal beliefs and considerations you must make regarding COVID-19. You may see members and staff wearing masks to enter, throughout the pool deck or not at all. We trust all members will respect the personal and private health decisions of others and that each of you will make choices that are right for you, your family and others.
- While waiting to check in, please maintain the 6' social distancing and observe distance markers where available.

EXITING THE FACILITY

- When departing, please take all personal belongings, put trash in the receptacle, and clean up your space so staff may clean your spot for the next person's use.
- All members, guests and staff will exit the facility using the Southeast gate next to the diving board.
- Members, guests and staff may not exit through the main entrance, nor enter through the exit. No exceptions.
- All items left behind by members after scheduled time will be discarded. There will be no Lost & Found this season.

FOOD

- Members may bring snacks, food, beverages, etc. to the pool. No glass.
- Snack shack will reopen this season. Members, guests and staff may purchase tickets from the guard shack.

- Deliveries must be received outside of pool grounds. Delivery drivers may not enter the facility and guards may not receive/sign for a member's delivery. Members should meet delivery drivers by the Southeast gate behind the diving board.
- Grills will be available for use by members renting the pavilion.

PERSONAL FLOATATION DEVICES AND POOL TOYS

Personal floatation devices such as noodles, rafts, etc., will not be allowed this year at any time. Water wings, puddle jumpers and life jackets are strictly forbidden at all times. If you have a special circumstance that requires a life jacket, please reach out to the Board of Directors for review at contactus@sunsethillspool.com.

Pool toys (rings, diving toys, balls, etc.) will be allowed this year.

DO'S & DON'TS

- DO bring your own towels or extra chairs.
- DO bring hand sanitizer.
- DO wear your swimsuit before arrival; locker room access should be for restrooms only.
- DO practice social distancing and CDC guidelines of 6 feet social distancing.
- DO avoid handshakes, hugs and other forms of close contact.
- DO educate your children about practicing safe social distancing while at the pool.
- DO bring your own food & drink.
- DO bring exact change for tickets. The Snack Shack will be open.
- DO follow signage and direction markers to ensure member safety.
- DON'T congregate in the locker room.
- DON'T leave trash or personal belongings as they will be discarded.
- DON'T go into the pavilion; Pavilion is open to reservations only.
- DON'T bring flotation devices, puddle jumpers, rafts, noodles, etc.
- Tobacco use and vaping is not permitted in the facility. Ever.

AFTER-HOURS POOL RENTALS

Pool Members may reserve the pool for after hour events. For after-hour pool rentals, pool members may invite guests to visit the pool. The Sunset Hills Pool Rules and Regulations - COVID 2021 policy is required to be followed during these events including waiver of liability forms for each member's guest. Pool hours and fees associated with the rental are listed below.

After-Hours Pool Rentals will be available during the times below:

FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
	9:00 AM to 10:30 AM	9:00 AM to 10:30 AM
9:00 PM to 10:30 PM	9:00 PM to 10:30 PM	9:00 PM to 10:30 PM

Important note: Members and their guests will have 15 minutes after the swim time ends at :30 past the hour to clean up, gather their belongings and exit the facility. Everyone must exit the facility by :45 past the hour or there will be an additional \$5 charge per minute. This is very important as the staff needs time to clean/sanitize before the end of their shift and/or when guests start arriving for Group 1.

We will be charging a flat-fee this year for after-hours pool rentals. Prices will be based on the number of people in attendance. There will not be separate guest fees for non-members. Tips to the staff are welcomed and encouraged if you feel they went above & beyond for your event!

PACKAGES	FACILITY FEE	GUARD FEE	TOTAL DUE AT THE TIME OF BOOKING
UP TO 25 PEOPLE	\$200	\$100	\$300
UP TO 50 PEOPLE		\$150	\$350

The process to start creating a reservation for After-Hour Pool Rental has been highlighted in the Weekly Splash Newsletter.

OTHER IMPORTANT DETAILS FOR AFTER-HOURS POOL RENTALS

- Every person in attendance counts towards the number of people at the pool, whether they are swimming or on the deck.
- The pavilion and grills will be available for member use. You are welcome to bring any food and beverages for your event. **NO GLASS ALLOWED.** All food and beverages must remain at least 6 feet away from the pool at all times
- If the pool is closed due to severe weather on the day of your event, we will work with you to reschedule your event during the season.
- All guests must be registered in your Sign Up Event in order to enter the facilities.
- No floaties, life jackets or puddle jumpers are allowed.
- All displays, signs and decorations must be pre-approved by the Pool's Social Chairperson. No decorations or other items may be attached to floors, walls or ceilings without the approval of the Pool's Social Chairperson.
- Tobacco use and vaping is not permitted in the facility. Ever.
- The host is responsible to clean up the pool at least 15 minutes before their party's end time. Members and their guests will have 15 minutes after the swim time ends at :30 past the hour to clean up, gather their belongings and exit the facility.

Q&A

Am I required to wear a mask at the pool?

Masks will not be required.

What is the max load at Sunset Hills Pool?

190 is the current max bather load at Sunset Hills Pool. Directed Health Measures (DHMs) issued from May 6 through May 31, 2021, state the following: "Gathering occupancy for indoor and outdoor facilities are not restricted." Sunset Hills Pool will reopen at our maximum capacity of 190 people.

The baby pool should be used by children 6 years old and below.

Can my extended family come to the Pool? What about my kid's friends?

Yes! Guests may attend regular season dates and times at the pool. Members may bring up to two (2) guests per booked session. All guests will be presented the Sunset Hills Pool Rules and Regulations - COVID 2021 policy and required to sign a waiver of liability form for each attending guest prior to entering the pool.

How long do we intend to impose these restrictions for using the pool?

We believe this system is necessary for as long as Covid-19 remains a threat to the health and safety of our community. The board convenes regularly to review pool usage statistics, evaluate reported community Covid-19 cases, and compile feedback from membership and will adjust the rules accordingly with the safety of our membership as our number one objective.

Can I bring my pool toys on the weekends or my kids' puddle jumper?

Members may bring pool toys (diving toys, rings, etc.) to the pool.

Flotation devices (noodles, floaties, rafts etc.) will not be allowed at the pool this summer.

Can I have food delivered to the pool?

Yes, but you must meet the delivery driver outside the pool gate. Deliveries will not be allowed inside the facilities.

Will the diving board and slide be open for use?

Yes. We encourage members to practice social distancing guidelines and to line up in groups of 3 or less.

Resources

[CDC Agency Guidance Review DATE: March 10, 2021](#) (March 10, 2021)

[COVID-19 State of Nebraska Directed Health Measures \(DHM\)](#) (Updated DHMs May 24, 2021)

[Guidance for Public Pools, Hot Tubs, and Water Playgrounds During COVID-19](#) (Feb 1, 2021)

[CDC Community Mitigation Framework](#) (May 23, 2021)

www.dhhs.ne.gov/coronavirus (April 28, 2021)

[CDC Cleaning and Disinfecting Your Facility](#) (April 5, 2021)

[Coronavirus COVID-19 Information](#)

[Sunset Hills Pool Rules and Regulations](#)

[Latest News | Office of Governor Pete Ricketts](#)

[Reopening Prudently | Office of Governor Pete Ricketts](#) (May 29, 2020)

https://www.douglascountyhealth.com/images/COVID-19/COVID-19_Outline_of_Changes_to_Upcoming_DHMs_Phase_II.pdf (June 1, 2020)

Sunset Hills Pool Member By-Laws: Can be viewed at the bottom of the Rules & Regulations tab on our website (www.sunsethillspool.com)

Summary

We remain committed to holding our operation to a different standard for the health and safety of all members. The outline above will be tweaked as we needed throughout the summer season, but it is meant to ensure a safe and enjoyable environment for all members. The Sunset Hills Pool Board believes it is best to start with several best practice policies identified from 2020 in place and then ease over time rather than try a "business as usual concept" and then scramble when issues arise. In determining when and how operations are adjusted, the number one consideration will be the safety of our membership. Should you have any questions, please email contactus@sunsethillspool.com.