

Princeton Mill Homeowners Association

Pool Rules

During regular pool hours there will be a lifeguard on duty. For after-hours use, PMHOA has an After Hours Swimming (AHS) program that allows residents in good standing to use the pool under prescribed guidelines if the proper forms have been reviewed and signed. Please refer to the After Hours Swimming section of the “Swim Pool” menu at the PMHOA website, www.princetonmill.com.

The pool is closed to all residents between the hours of 10:00 p.m. and 6:30 a.m. daily. The pool is also closed to residents during use by PM Sharks swim team for daily practice (weekdays 8:30 a.m. – 11:00 a.m. from the end of May through June) and home swim meets 4 pm – 10 pm during the month of June (see PM Sharks website for specific meet dates).

Princeton Mill uses a scanning system for pool entry. As such, the front pavilion gate will remain closed at all times and access to the pool may only be gained by use of a scanner card that will be issued to all recreational members in good standing (one card per family). For members who already have completed the requirements for After Hours Swimming (AHS), your scanner card will work for both the front gate scanner and inside gate scanner. Cards issued to members who have not filed the appropriate form for AHS will only operate the front gate (which means that the card will only provide access to the pool during normal operating hours).

Please note that all members who submitted AHS forms for previous seasons do not need to resubmit forms for future season.

Note – during regular pool hours as posted in the pool operating schedule for 2017, lifeguards under the supervision of our pool management company (Sweetwater Pool Management) will be on duty. This is for added safety and to enforce pool rules. Parents should understand that primary responsibility for the safety of their children belongs to them. Lifeguards are trained to watch the entire pool area and cannot watch every individual child in the pool at all times. Please watch your children closely at all times.

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The following rules are in effect for the pool at all times:

1. **Pool is to be used by Recreational members only.** Residents of Princeton Mill and Weddington who are not recreational members may not use the pool and may not be guests of Recreational members.
2. Out of town / house guests of Recreational members may use the pool as guests but must be accompanied by the Recreational member. Guests not accompanied by residents will be asked to leave the pool area.
3. **The front pavilion gate is to remain closed and locked at all times.** Entry may be gained by use of a scanner card to be issued to all recreational members in good standing. Lifeguards will report any attempts to dismantle or prop open front gate and violators will be subject to fine or suspension of pool privileges.
4. **Lifeguard has complete authority.** Any arguing with or mistreatment of lifeguards will be subject to review by the board with possible suspension of pool privileges.
5. **Proper bathing attire** required at all times.
6. **No glassware** or alcoholic beverages permitted in pool area.
7. **No pets** allowed in pool area.
8. **No bicycles, tricycles, skateboards, skates, scooters allowed** in the pool or pavilion area (must be left outside the front pavilion gate).
9. No large or Styrofoam flotation devices are allowed in the pool.
10. **Children under 12 must be accompanied by an adult (age 18 or older).**
11. **Children who are not potty trained must wear diapers, rubber pants** and tight fitting bathing suits while in the pool. No exceptions.
12. **One person at a time on the diving board.** Area beneath the diving board must be kept clear at all times.
13. **No running, pushing or horseplay.**
14. **Ten minute adult swim every hour** – to be announced by lifeguard. Adults only allowed in pool during this time.
15. People with communicable diseases, open sores or infectious eyes are restricted from using the pool.
16. Pool may be closed for safety, health or operational reasons.

Please contact the PMHOA pool coordinator with any questions or concerns using link on the Swim webpage at www.princetonmill.com. For further guidance and forms for downloading, please refer to the swim web page at the PMHOA website, www.princetonmill.com.