



NorthvilleSwimClub.com  
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## 2021 Club Rules

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The Northville Swim Club is for the exclusive use and enjoyment of its members and guests. These Rules are intended for the safety and protection of all. The Northville Swim Club operates under the authority of the Oakland County Department of Health and the State of Michigan. Users are subject to all rules and conditions.

### GENERAL RULES

1. Neither alcoholic beverages nor glass containers are permitted anywhere on NSC property at any time.
2. Vehicles must be driven slowly and carefully on the entrance road and when entering the parking area, always moving to the right, counter-clockwise.
3. Bicycles must be parked in the bicycle rack only.
4. Only authorized persons are allowed in pump or equipment rooms, or behind the front desk.
5. Conversation with lifeguards while guarding is not allowed.
6. Any concerns should be shared with the manager on duty.
7. Staff has the authority to enforce all club rules and may remove any person that violates these rules from the pool or grounds without warning.
8. Smoking is prohibited within the fenced-in area of the club.
9. Pets are not permitted on NSC property.
10. NSC is not responsible for lost or stolen items. Please leave all valuables at home.

### CHECK-IN

1. All members must provide their membership numbers and record the full names of all attending family members (and guests) at the front desk when entering and leaving the Club.
2. ALL members must have a current family photo with all members in one picture or individual photos of each family member on file at the front desk.
3. A valid photo identification will be required of all members who do not have a family photo on file.
4. Guest Passes:
  - a. The Guest Pass fee is \$5.00 per person per calendar day, regardless of whether they swim or not.
  - b. Members can purchase Passes by credit card at the front desk and/or may use earned Passes to pay for guests per policy.
  - c. There is a limit of 30 guest passes per year per membership, whether earned or purchased.
  - d. Members are required to acquaint all guests with all rules and policies.

### **RULES RELATED TO ALL POOLS**

1. All swimmers are required to take a shower using soap each time before entering the water.
2. Persons wishing to sit on the side of the pool must soap/shower any body parts that will go in the water or will be splashed by water.
3. Those leaving the pool for any amount of time or using the grassy area must re-shower before entering the pool.
4. Individuals with skin abrasions, colds, coughs, inflamed eyes, infections or wearing bandages are not permitted to swim.
5. Infants and toddlers not yet potty trained must wear diapers made especially for swimming.
6. Personal flotation devices, snorkels, masks or goggles that cover the nose, or fins/flippers are not permitted in any pool.
7. A long whistle from the Lifeguard means clear the pool until further notice.
8. Pools will be closed if there is lightning or thunder and will remain closed up to 30 minutes after the last occurrence of either lightning or thunder.
9. NO gum, candy, or food is allowed in any of the pools.
10. Removal of drain covers, grates, etc. is prohibited.

### **MAIN POOL**

1. Swimmers are not permitted to hang on or jump over any lines dividing the pool.
2. Lines dividing the pool for specific activities are not to be trespassed.
3. Back dives, handstand dives, flips, or any other unsafe entries are not permitted.
4. Shoulder rides, throwing people, or other unsafe stunts are not permitted.
5. Dunking, splashing, games, or other activities are not permitted if they restrict the free and comfortable swimming of others.
6. On designated float nights (see website calendar), no oversize/multiple person floats are allowed.

### **DIVING POOL**

1. Once you climb the ladder to any diving board, you may only exit by jumping into the pool; climbing down ladders is prohibited.
2. Divers must wait on the deck for the previous diver to leave the board and wait on the board for the previous diver to swim to the ladder.
3. Divers may bounce only once for each dive.
4. Divers must go straight off the end of the boards.
5. There is one designated ladder for each board. Divers must use the correct ladder for each board when exiting the pool.
6. Free swimming is not allowed in the diving pool except during designated non-diving times. After diving, divers must swim directly to the ladder without delay.
7. Hanging, sitting, handstand, or other unsafe dives are not permitted.

### **BABY POOL**

1. This pool is for children not yet in 1st grade who must be accompanied by a supervising adult who remains in the fenced-in area at all times.
2. Please leave the gate to the baby pool closed at all times.
3. There is no lifeguard in the baby pool area. Swimming liability is assumed by the adult responsible for each child.

**SLIDE**

1. Only sitting, feet-first slides are allowed.
2. Only one person is allowed on the slide at a time. You may not climb the ladder until the slide is clear.
3. Once on the slide you may not climb down the ladder.
4. You must wait for the landing area to be clear to slide.
5. Once in the water you must clear the landing area quickly.
6. Slide manufacturer recommends users be 48" or taller.

**COMMON AREAS**

1. Please do not litter. Use recycling bins where available and designated.
2. Recreation equipment signed out at the front desk must be returned in the same condition as when it was loaned.
3. Gas grills are available. Users are responsible for cleaning after each and every use.
4. The playground, basketball and volleyball court areas are unsupervised. Use of these areas is at your own assumed risk. Only age appropriate play is permitted.
5. Umbrellas are to be operated by STAFF only. They are not to be monopolized.
6. Lane lines are to be installed or removed by staff only.
7. The Cabana and Snack Shack are for the comfort and convenience of members and guests. Please share and maintain appropriately.
8. Overall, NSC facilities are for the use and enjoyment of all. Consideration of others is requested at all times.

**BATHHOUSE AREA**

1. No horseplay of any kind is allowed in the locker rooms or shower rooms.
2. Locks on lockers are not allowed for overnight use and will be removed.
3. Using cameras or cell phones is prohibited while in the bath house area.

**POOL DECK**

1. Food and beverages are NEVER allowed on the concrete pool deck. Please only consume food and beverages in the grassy areas, under the cabana, or on the elevated wooden deck.
2. Street shoes are not allowed on the deck between the red line and the pools.
3. Chairs or other obstructions are not allowed between the red line and the pools.
4. Running, pushing, wrestling, ball playing and other undue disturbances are prohibited on the deck.
5. Suntan lotions are permitted on the deck, but the user must take a soap shower before entering any pool.

**AGE RESTRICTIONS**

1. Adults are those persons 18 years of age or older and/or who have graduated from High School.
2. The baby pool is for children not yet in 1st Grade who MUST be accompanied by a supervising adult at all times.
3. To use the 3-meter diving board, children must have passed a pool safety/diving safety test.
4. Children who have not completed the 5th grade must be accompanied by an adult at all times.
5. Children entering 6th grade must pass a water safety test to remain at the pool without an adult and must comply with all rules. A child or teen that violates the rules may lose the right to attend NSC without supervision at NSC's discretion.
6. Staff may at times announce that the lounges, chairs, and umbrellas are for adult use only.

7. Adult swims may be announced at the lifeguards' discretion, usually on the hour, and may last up to fifteen minutes.
  - a. During adult swims, children must remain behind the red line at all times.
  - b. ALL children must shower with soap again to re-enter the pools following Adult Swims.
  - c. Infants are permitted in the main pool during adult swims when with an adult.

**2021 HOURS OF OPERATION**

- The pool is open between Memorial Day and Labor Day. Full-time hours begin when Northville Schools are dismissed for the summer: Monday-Friday: 12-10pm, Saturday-Sunday: 11am-10pm.
- All posted hours are weather permitting and dependent upon staff availability. Special hours, such as when the pool is closed for swim meets or special events, will be posted on the website: [www.northvilleswimclub.com](http://www.northvilleswimclub.com).

**2021 BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

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NOTE: Club policies pertaining to Guest Passes, Associate Memberships, Discipline, Private Parties, Snack Shack operations and other areas of mutual concern are available on the website.

*All members and Guests are asked to be familiar and comply with these rules. Any other procedures not specified in this document necessary for the safe and secure operation of the facility and its users are reserved to the discretion of the Management and the Board of Directors of the Northville Swim Club.*