

CHEROKEE COUNTY

AQUATIC CENTER

General Pool Rules and Guidelines

- ALL patrons must shower before entering the pool
- No Solo Swimming
- No outside food or drinks are allowed
- Patrons known or suspected of having diarrhea, a communicable or skin disease, open wounds, inflamed eyes, nasal or ear discharge, are not allowed in the pool
- Appropriate swim attire is required; athletic shorts, or street clothing are not permitted
- Children 3 and under as well as Non-toilet trained children, or incontinent individuals must wear tight fitting plastic/rubber pants or swim diaper, and swim suit.
- Children under the age of 5, a non-swimmer, or child in a lifejacket who are not proficient swimmers must be accompanied by a supervising adult within arm's reach in the pool
- Only US coast guard approved flotation devices or non-inflatable lifejackets that attach to the body are allowed
- No spitting, spouting, or blowing nose
- Non-swimmers should stay in shallow area
- Open swim is allowed in designated areas
- Pushing, back dives, flips and spins from the side of pool are prohibited
- Swim training equipment is authorized for aquatic exercise and training only. Swim lesson equipment is for the use of programs only.
- Pool toys and inflatables are not allowed in any pool.
- Indoor facility will not close for thunder or lightning unless Manager on Duty deems necessary
- Please report any injuries, incidents or equipment problems immediately to staff
- The Lifeguard staff may enforce any safety rule or policy approved by management

Competition Pool Rules and Guidelines

- Pushing, back dives, flips and spins from the sides of the pool are not permitted
- Starting blocks are for the use of programs and official swim team use only
- Do not swim underneath the bulkheads
- Lap swim in designated areas; when more than two swimmers are in a lane, circle swim counter-clockwise
- Sitting or hanging on lane lines or safety ropes is prohibited
- Mask, fins, and snorkels are allowed for use for lap swimming