## WILTONDALE POOL RULES AND POLICIES

**IN-SEASON POOL HOURS** 

Monday-Thursday, Saturday\*: 10am-9pm

Friday: 10am-10pm

Sunday: 10am-9pm

\*On Adult Nights, the pool closes at 6:30pm. See annual Membership Letter for dates of and hours of operation for Pre-Season and Post-Season.

## No one is permitted on the pool grounds when the pool is closed.

ASSUMPTION OF RISK: Swimmers using the facilities at Wiltondale Pool assume all risk of any injury.

**CHILD SUPERVISION:** Children under the age of 11 years must be actively supervised by a responsible person 13 years or older. If you did not include the name of your regular baby sitter or caregiver when paying your annual dues, the regular guest fee will apply. Children under 5 years old must be accompanied by a responsible person 13 years or older in the restrooms.

**CHILDREN WHO WEAR DIAPERS:** Infants and toddlers who are not toilet trained are restricted to the BABY POOL ONLY. Baltimore County Swimming Pool Regulations require the use of "SWIMSUIT DIAPERS" for children who are not completely toilet trained. If a fecal accident occurs in either pool, it must be reported to the staff immediately. Diaper changing is NOT allowed poolside, on the patio, or on the grassy areas. Diaper changing is allowed only at one of the diaper changing stations provided in the dressing rooms. This is a Baltimore County Health Department requirement.

**DEEP WATER TEST:** Any person swimming in water above his/her shoulders must be competent enough to do so. Our staff will give swimmers a "deep water test," which consists of the individual swimming the full length of the pool. The individual cannot stop and must use an acceptable swim stroke. The staff has identifying ankle bracelets for children under the age of 13 who pass the test.

**FLOATS AND TOYS:** No floats or toys will be permitted in the main pool except on float nights. They are allowed in the baby pool. All Styrofoam objects are prohibited. GLASS: NO GLASS containers or glass in any form will be permitted on pool grounds.

**GUESTS:** It is the obligation of the pool member to personally know and sign in his/her guest(s) each time he/she arrives at the pool. All members are responsible for the actions and behavior of their guest(s) for the entire day. NO GUEST WILL BE ADMITTED OR BE PERMITTED TO REMAIN UNLESS ACCOMPANIED BY A POOL MEMBER.

**SAFETY:** NO running, pushing, dunking, carrying people on one's shoulders, or throwing of persons or objects at any time. No jumping into the pool while carrying a child.

**PERSONAL PROPERTY:** The management is not responsible for personal property left in the pool area. All articles found will be in the "Lost and found" for a period of 30 days. After this time period, all articles will be donated to a charity.

**FOOD AND BEVERAGE:** All food and beverages MUST be consumed on the patio areas ONLY. The consumption of water in plastic bottles is not restricted.

**USE OF THE GROUNDS:** The use of intoxicants, tobacco products, and illicit drugs is strictly prohibited. The responsible consumption of alcoholic beverages is allowed only during specific events. There will not be gambling and unnecessary noise. Dogs and other pets are not permitted on the pool grounds. A reward will be paid to anyone providing information that leads to the arrest and conviction of any person (s) who has defaced, damaged, destroyed, or stolen pool property. This also includes the playground area and the entire pool complex. If the offender (s) is a member of the Wiltondale Pool, his/her membership and/or the family's membership could be terminated.

**PERSONAL CONDUCT:** Members and their guests will conduct themselves with civility at all times. Disorderly conduct or the use of inappropriate language will not be tolerated.

**VIOLATION/ENFORCEMENT:** Anyone in violation of these rules can have his membership suspended or revoked. The staff and management can, at their discretion, take action deemed necessary and proper for personal safety and protection of property. Management will be the sole arbitrator in any dispute arising from violation of these or any other rules.

## USE OF THE BABY POOL AREA:

1. Any child using the baby pool cannot be older than 6 and must be closely supervised by a parent or baby sitter. Baby sitters must be at least 13 years old.

2. Due to safety restrictions, the baby pool cannot be used in the early mornings while swim lessons are being held. This pool can only be used when we officially open.

3. Plastic rings, floats, and toys may be used in the baby pool. NO STYROFOAM OBJECTS.

4. Squirt guns are discouraged but, if used, should be closely monitored by the parent or baby sitter.

5. DIAPER CHANGING IS NOT ALLOWED IN THE BABY POOL AREA FOR HEALTH REASONS. USE THE CHANGING TABLES PROVIDED IN THE DRESSING ROOMS!

## USE OF THE MAIN POOL:

1. All persons must wear appropriate swimming attire. No cut-offs or dirty clothing.

2. All people are encouraged to shower before entering the pool.

3. Floats are not permitted in the main pool except on the scheduled float nights.

4. Lap lanes are intended for those who are swimming laps. If anyone is swimming Laps, everyone else must leave the lap lanes.

5. If the pool becomes too crowded, the management reserves the right to limit the number of swimmers. ANY SITUATION NOT DESCRIBED ABOVE WILL BE EVALUATED AND ACTED UPON BY POOL MANAGEMENT AND/OR POOL COMMITTEE. WE APPRECIATE YOUR COMPLIANCE.