

WILTONDALE POOL
WILTONDALE POOL COMMITTEE
WILTONDALE IMPROVEMENT ASSOCIATION, INC

March 2023

Dear Wiltondale Pool Members,

Even though the winter weather has been mild, we still look forward to the summer weather and the opening of the Wiltondale Pool. We are excited for another great season! Opening day is scheduled for Friday, May 26th.

Membership is now open and the deadline to join is **March 31st**. By this date, you will need to pay your membership dues in FULL. If you choose the monthly installment option, you must set up your payment plan by March 15th and pay your first monthly installment. *(Additional information for choosing monthly payments is included on page 2)*

If your full payment or first monthly installment is not made by March 31st, you will be assessed a late fee of \$100. After March 31st, online payments will not be available, and you will need to contact Pool Membership at pool@wiltondale.org to arrange for payment by check.

We plan to have another fun-filled summer with many events. A detailed event calendar will be sent out closer to the pool opening. We love our pool events and will be reaching out to the pool members before each of the events to ask for volunteers in assisting with making these events a continued success. Please look for that future email communication. If there are any changes to the hours, events, and activities, this information will be communicated via email, Facebook, and Instagram. Our season hours and Swim Team information are provided on pages 4-6.

As always, we appreciate our pool members and are excited for another great season. Please note, that we continue to have a waitlist of potential members. If you are not joining the pool this summer, please let us know as soon as possible.

We look forward to seeing everyone this Summer!

Fondly,

Wiltondale Pool Committee

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MEMBERSHIP DUES FOR 2023

MEMBERSHIP TYPE:	POOL DUES	COMMUNITY DUES
*Resident Family	\$575.00	\$75.00
*Resident Individual	\$325.00	\$75.00
*Resident Couple (Married or Single Parent with Child)	\$425.00	\$75.00
*Resident Senior	\$150.00	\$75.00
*Resident Senior- Married (60+)	\$250.00	\$75.00
Non-Resident Family	\$700.00	N/A
Non-Resident Individual	\$400.00	N/A
Non-Resident Couple (Married or Single Parent with Child)	\$500.00	N/A
Non-Resident Senior- Individual (60+)	\$225.00	N/A
Non-Resident Senior-Married (60+)	\$325.00	N/A
Caregiver	\$100.00	N/A

*Wiltondale Residents must be current on their community dues before joining the pool. Membership will not be made active until past neighborhood dues are paid.

GUEST FEES:

All Guests \$7.00

GUEST PASSES

All membership categories have the option of pre-purchasing up to 20 guest passes at a reduced rate of \$5.00 per pass until **March 31st**. Take advantage of this discount by adding guest passes to your membership when you pay your dues. The price of the guest pass increases to \$7 on April 1st. **Guest passes are only good for the current season, unused passes do not carry over.**

CAREGIVERS

For families that wish to include a babysitter or caregiver on their memberships, please select the childcare provider add-on under the family membership or the single parent/single child membership. If you do not know who your caregiver will be, please note "TBD" but be sure to log back into your account before the season starts and add the name of your caregiver.

WAYS TO PAY YOUR DUES

Option 1: Paid in full by March 31, 2023 (online with credit card**, USPS, or mailbox at the pool).

Option 2: Payment Plan (online only**, must have CC on file for monthly auto payments)

- A \$25 convenience fee is added to use this option of payment
- 1st payment is due by March 15th.
- 2nd payment automatically billed to CC on file on April 15th
- 3rd payment automatically billed to CC on file on May 15th

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- A late fee of \$20 will be assessed after 5 days if auto billing fails
- All dues & late fees must be paid in full to access the pool

**Online credit card payments include a surcharge of 3.5% per transaction.

HOW TO PAY

Online: Follow the link below to register and purchase your 2023 membership:

<https://www.esoftplanner.com/v3/planner/login.php?access=0dG81LSVxNmo65bDt3iDxZ6KoQ==>

Pay by Check - Mailbox at the Pool: Renew your membership with the link above. When checking out online, do not enter any credit card information (it still may look like that option is selected) but you will instead select the PAY BY CHECK option below it. It is a checkbox. Then deliver your check to the pool mailbox. If you stand at the pool's front gate, the mailbox is attached to the bathhouse on your left. Slip your arm through the fence opening closest to the building, lift the mailbox cover and drop your payment inside.

Pay by Check - USPS Mail: Follow the prompts above when renewing and checking out in the eSoft system. Payments by mail will only be accepted when mailed to:

**Wiltondale Pool
P.O. Box 42638
Towson, MD 21284-2638**

PLEASE NOTE: Payments postmarked, made online or dropped at the pool mailbox after **March 31st** will be subject to a mandatory \$100 late fee.

Questions or comments when renewing membership can be directed to our membership coordinator at pool@wiltondale.org

MEMBERSHIP RESPONSIBILITIES

Please remember that we reserve the right to address anyone who exhibits inappropriate behavior or language, fails to follow the instruction(s) of the staff; fails to follow any of the established policies, fails to adequately supervise children, and/or disrespects the rights of other members or the staff. As with all cases, management will be the sole arbitrator in any dispute arising from these issues.

POOL CONTACT INFORMATION

Pool Office Phone Number: (410) 337-3631

Pool Committee: poolcommittee@wiltondale.org

Membership: pool@wiltondale.org

Website: <http://wiltondale.org/pool/>

Like us on Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/WiltondalePool/>

Instagram: wiltondalepool



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2023 SEASON SCHEDULE

Pre-Season: May 26 - June 16

Friday	May 26	4:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.
Saturday	May 27	12:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.
Sunday	May 28	12:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.
Monday	May 29	10:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m. (Memorial Day)
Tuesday-Thurs	May 30-June 1	4:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.
Friday	June 2	4:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.
Saturday	June 3	12:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.
Sunday	June 4	12:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.
Monday-Thursday	June 5-8	4:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.
Friday	June 9	Pool closed for private event
Saturday	June 10	12:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.
Sunday	June 11	12:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.
Monday-Thursday	June 12-15	4:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.
Friday	June 16	4:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.

In-Season: June 17 – August 26

Saturday-Thursday	10:00 a.m. - 9:00 p.m.
Friday -Saturday	10:00 a.m. - 10:00 p.m.

Post Season: August 27 – September 10

Sunday	Aug 27	10:00 p.m.-6:00 p.m.
Monday – Friday	Aug 28-Sept 1	Closed
Saturday	Sept 2	12:00 p.m.- 8:00 p.m.
Sunday	Sept 3	12:00 p.m.- 8:00 p.m.
Monday	Sept 4	10:00 a.m. – 7:00 p.m. (Labor Day)
Tuesday – Friday	Sept 5-8	Closed
Saturday	Sept 9	12:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.
Saturday	Sept 9	5:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m. (Annual Party- ticket required)
Sunday	Sept 10	12:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Sunday	Sept 10	5:30 p.m. - 6:00 p.m. DOG SWIM

Hours posted are for the main and baby pools.

The pool closes early on swim meet nights and special events. Please continue to check our website at <https://wiltondale.org/pool/> as it will be updated in the coming months.

Baby pool is unguarded every night starting at 8pm until close.

Children ages 6 years and under are welcome to use the baby pool under adult supervision.

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WARRIORS

Calling all Wiltondale Warriors,

Registration for the 2023 summer swim season is open and ongoing! Final call for swimmers will be June 6, 2023 but don't wait because practices start May 30th.

We are THRILLED to announce Head Coach Alison Mingo will be returning for a third season leading our team. We are also actively seeking junior coaches interested in a paid position supporting our lead coaching staff. Applicants (ages 15+) should have experience with competitive swimming, good communication skills, and a desire to motivate and safely instruct groups of kids in the water. Lifeguard certification is a plus. Please email wiltondaleswimteam@gmail.com if you are interested in the application process.

We are also bringing back our Junior team option for swimmers ages 4 and up who have not yet passed the deep water assessment, but are able to confidently and independently swim a full lap across the pool. These swimmers will begin practices in-season beginning June 19th. While they are not immediately eligible to compete in meets, Junior team members are welcome at all team events and have the option of "graduating" to the competitive team at no extra cost if they complete the deep end test during the season.

All competitive team swimmers must be able to pass the deep water assessment as given by the Wiltondale lifeguards. Finally, our practice and meet schedule is below. Please reach out with any additional questions.

To sign up for this year's team please go to the [pool's payment system](#) and complete the registration process. Please reach out to wiltondaleswimteam@gmail.com if the cost of swim team is prohibitive, as there are confidential options available.

Thanks so much for your continued support of the Wiltondale Warriors.

After you register, look for continued communication through TeamSNAP as we update our roster each week. Go Warriors!

Looking forward to seeing you,
Kelly Seidel
Director, Wiltondale Warriors

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Pre-Season:

May 30th-June 1st : Tuesday - Thursday 6:00-8:30pm

June 5th - June 15th: Monday - Thursday 6:00-8:30pm

Swimsuit vendor will be available during time trials - more details to follow.

****Monday, June 5th (Rain Date): Parent Meeting and Swimsuit vendor****

Thursday June 1st: Parent Meeting at 6:30pm

Practice Times for Pre-Season (Competitive Team only):

6:00pm-6:30pm: ages 6 and Under

6:30pm-7:00pm: ages 8 and Under

7-7:45pm: ages 9-10

7:45-8:30pm: ages 11-up

Time Trials

Saturday June 3, 2023 10am-12pm: ages 9 and up

Sunday June 11, 2023 10am-12pm: ages 8 and under

In-Season (Competitive and Junior Teams):

June 19th - July 21st: Monday – Friday 8:00-11:00am

Practice Times for In-Season (TBD):

8:00-8:45am: ages 9-10

8:30-9:30am: ages 11-up (first 15 minutes of dryland exercises)

9:30-10am: ages 8-under

10am-11am: Junior Warriors (½ hour sessions - M/T/Th/F only)

Fun Fridays:

June 23rd : Bagels and Banners

June 30th : Donuts and Donations

July 7th : Popsicles and Prizes

July 14th : Rita's and Raffles

Swim Meet Schedule:

June 12th : @ York Manor (Away)

June 14th : vs. Valley (Home) – Team and Individual Photos –

June 19th : BYE

June 21st : vs. Campus (Home)

June 26th : vs. Stoneleigh (Home)

June 28th : @ Hampton (Away)

July 3rd : BYE

July 10th : ENCC (Home)– SENIOR NIGHT!

July 12th : @ Pine Ridge (Away)

July 17th : @ Woodcroft (Away)

Saturday, July 22, 2023: Championship Meet at Loyola

End of Season Celebration to be held on July 23rd

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WILTONDALE POOL RULES AND POLICIES

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. No sitting or hanging on the lane lines.
4. No diving in the shallow end.
5. Only 1 person allowed on the diving board at a time. Diver must wait their turn until swimmer is at the ladder.
6. No swimming in the deep end when the diving board is in use.
7. No jumping or diving off the diving board side wall.
8. Lap lanes are intended for those who are swimming laps. If anyone is swimming laps, everyone else must leave the lap lanes.

SAFETY: NO running on the deck, pushing, dunking, carrying people on shoulders, or throwing of persons or objects at any time. No jumping into the pool while carrying a child. No balls are allowed in the main pool. Prolonged underwater swimming, breath-holding or games including such behavior is prohibited.

PERSONAL CONDUCT: Members and their guests will always conduct themselves with civility. Disorderly conduct or the use of inappropriate language will not be tolerated. No playing in the bathrooms or rough housing allowed.

Violation 1- warning **Violation 2-** benched for 5 minutes **Violation 3-** benched until guardian is notified.

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 babysitter 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. Parent / Guardian must closely always watch children. Parent / Guardian must always accompany a non-swimmer in the water.

GLASS: NO GLASS containers or glass in any form will be permitted on pool grounds.

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.

OFFICE: Only pool managers, guards, pool committee members, and swim team coaches and committee members may enter and occupy the pool office.

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 a continuous 25

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meter/yard swim using the front crawl and treading water for 1 minute with entire head above water. The staff has identifying ankle bracelets for children under the age of 13 who pass the test.

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, in the baby pool area 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.

FLOATS AND TOYS: For the purpose of supporting non-swimmers, inner tubes, water wings, and all other flotation devices are not permitted at any time. No floats will be permitted in the main pool except on Float Nights. Toys and small floats specific to assisting toddlers and small children swim are allowed in the baby pool. All Styrofoam objects are prohibited. For safety purposes, only a life vest approved by the United States Coast Guard is to be used. If a child uses such a life vest, a parent or guardian must accompany the child in the water at all times.

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 GUESTS WILL BE ADMITTED OR BE PERMITTED TO REMAIN UNLESS ACCOMPANIED BY A POOL MEMBER.

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.

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

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 may be terminated.

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.

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 the WIA Pool Committee. We appreciate your compliance.

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