

POOL RULES

Muscatine Aquatic Center:

1. Individuals with open sores, contagious diseases, infections or bandages will not be allowed admission to the pool.
2. No metal grommets on suits are allowed. Suits must be approved by Management.
3. Individuals using the pool must wear clean swim suits. No cutoffs, gym shorts, etc. are allowed. No shoes allowed in the pool area.
4. No glass containers allowed in pool area or locker room.
5. No gum, food, drink or smoking will be allowed in the pool areas or locker room.
6. All persons using the pool must take a thorough shower with soap before swimming and after using the toilet facilities.
7. No running, pushing or horseplay in pool area or locker rooms.
8. Diving is allowed only in designated deep water areas.
9. Balls, toys, floatation devices and other objects are not allowed in the pool areas without the approval of the pool manager.
10. *Each individual wearing a personal flotation device must be accompanied by an adult in the pool, within arms reach.*
11. **Children age 8 and under must be accompanied by a person age 16 or older.**
12. Only authorized personnel will be allowed in the pool area.
13. No throwing of objects in the pool unless approved by the Pool Manager.
14. Children in diapers are not allowed in the baby pool or the main pool.
15. No sitting or hanging on the safety line.
16. Face masks and goggles are not allowed in the pool area without the approval of the Pool Manager.
17. Individuals wearing eye glasses in the pool must have them properly secured with an approved head strap.
18. Ejections will be handled by manager or assistant manager on duty.
19. No electronics in the locker rooms. Staff is not responsible for lost or stolen items.

DIVING AREA AND DEEP END RULES

1. Use of the diving board and the deep end area will be limited only to those individuals who can swim. Individuals may be required to demonstrate their swimming skills prior to using the deep end.
2. Individuals may not wear swim masks or eye goggles while using the diving board or slides.
3. **NOTE:** Individuals not abiding by the pool regulations may be refused admission to the pool or may be asked to leave.

Diving Board Rules

1. Only 1 person on the diving board at a time.
2. Only 1 bounce allowed.
3. No inward dives or back flips allowed.
4. Make sure area is clear before diving.
5. Dive straight out from board and exit to the side.
6. Only those who can swim are allowed to use deep end area.
7. A diver must wait until the preceding diver has surfaced and reached the ladder.

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Long Slide Rules

1. Follow Lifeguard Instructions
2. All Riders must be 48" tall.
3. Riders must lie on their backs at all times.
No sitting up while riding the slide is permitted.
4. Maximum rider weight 300 pounds.
5. Do not pull or propel yourself into the ride.
6. No combs or foreign objects are allowed in pockets and no jewelry can be worn while riding the slides. No cut off jeans, only swim suits allowed.
7. Riders must enter the slide in a sitting position and wait for instructions from the guard stationed at the slide starter tub.
8. All riders must ride feet first while lying on their back with arms crossed across their chest.
9. Only one rider at a time. Absolutely no trains or chains of riders are permitted.
10. No tubes, mats, or life jackets are permitted on water slide.
11. The line should form on the deck with one rider on each landing and one rider in the starter tub. Wait until landing is clear before entering.
12. Riders must be in good health. Pregnant women and individuals with heart or back conditions should not use this ride.
13. Do not use this slide while under the influence of alcohol or drugs.
14. Follow the instructions of the slide attendant
15. No running, standing, kneeling, rotating, tumbling, or stopping in the flume.
16. No diving from the slides.
17. Leave plunge pool promptly after entering.
18. Non-swimmers are not permitted.
19. Warning: Water depth is 3'6"

Drop Slides & Family Slide

Warning: Water depth for Drop Slides is 13'6"

Water depth for Family Slide is 3'6"

Warnings:

1. Water depth is 13 ft.
2. No head first sliding.
3. Strong swimming ability required.
4. Non-swimmers not permitted
5. Parental or adult supervision recommended.

Rules

1. Do not use slide while under the influence of alcohol or drugs.
2. One rider at a time. Wait until the landing area is clear before entering the slide.
3. No rotating, tumbling, or stopping in the flume.
4. Forming 'chains' is prohibited.
5. Leave landing area immediately.

Note to Staff: There is no swimming or standing in the area below the slides.

"Catching" children coming out of the slides is not permitted!