



SWIMMING POOL ADMISSION POLICY -REVIEWED Septemer 2023)

The safety of children whilst swimming in our pool is of utmost importance to us, and for that reason and for your information; we would like to inform you of our policy on access to the pool facilities. Leisure club staff/lifeguards cannot and are not expected to replace the care, responsibility and supervision of a parent or guardian. Lifeguards are always on duty but **are not based on pool-deck full time**.

Non-Programmed -Individual swims

- Children aged 7 years or younger must always be within arm's reach of a parent or responsible adult whilst using the swimming pool. Children 7 and under must not use the changing rooms or toilet facilities unaccompanied.
- A child (guest of member or hotel guest) aged 14 years or younger will only be admitted to the swimming pool when accompanied by a parent or responsible adult, this adult must maintain a view of the child at all times.
- Children aged 14 -17 years must register with club reception on arrival which will alert staff of an unaccompanied child.
- A responsible adult is defined as a person aged 18 years or over who is regarded as being competent to supervise a child.

Programmed Activities- such as fun float sessions

- Children will only be admitted to structured activities such as fun float subject to parental or guardianship signed approval.
- The parent or guardian of a child attending any of our programmed activities must inform our staff of any illness, special requirements or medical needs that may apply to each child.
- Parent or guardian must provide supervision for any child attending programmed activities until such time that our trained staff members assume responsibility and resume responsibility immediately after the session ends.