# Windsor Club Pool 2025 Information Sheet

## **CONTACT US**

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#### **POOL HOURS**

| Saturday, May 24           | Saturday, June 7  | Monday, August 18   |
|----------------------------|-------------------|---------------------|
| through                    | through           | through             |
| Friday, June 6             | Sunday, August 17 | Monday, September 1 |
| Weekdays:                  | Every day:        | Every day:          |
| 1 PM to 8 PM               | 11 AM to 8 PM     | 11 AM to 7 PM       |
| Weekends:<br>11 AM to 8 PM |                   |                     |

## **IMPORTANT DATES**

May 24: Opening Day (Full Members and Emeritus Members)

June 9: Waitlist Member coupon use begins (Monday-Thursday only)

Lap swim begins (7 AM to 9 AM)

Swim Lessons begin for Levels 1 and 2

July 4: Pool open to all Windsor Club members (only Full Members may bring guests)

July 5: Partial Membership begins

Waitlist Members may use coupons any day

Aug. 1: Last day of swim lessons

Aug. 22: Lap swim ends

Sept. 1: Closing Day (no guests permitted)

#### **MEMBERSHIP OPTIONS**

We know that the pool membership options can seem confusing. What's the difference between them? Here's a quick glance at each type:

## **Waitlist Membership**

- ★ Waitlist Members can begin to use the pool on Mondays-Thursdays from June 9-July 3, and then on any day beginning July 4.
- ★ Annual dues for Waitlist Members are \$100 for the 2025 season
- ★ Waitlist Members use the pool by purchasing pool coupons (\$15/coupon)
  - A coupon admits one person age 5 or older to the pool for the day
  - Pool coupons are pre-paid, and purchased in books of 10
  - A family can purchase 10, 20, 30, or 40 coupons
  - There is <u>one opportunity</u> (in spring) to buy coupons for the season
- ★ Everyone begins on the waitlist, with seniority based on the date you joined the pool waitlist
- ★ Expect to be on the waitlist for about **7-8 years**

## **Partial Membership**

- ★ Partial Members have unlimited pool use from July 5 through Sept. 1
- ★ Annual pool dues for Partial Members are \$950 for the 2025 season
- ★ Partial Membership availability is **very limited**, and varies by year
- ★ An email goes out in the spring to the most senior Waitlist Members to gauge interest
- ★ Partial Memberships are offered to interested Waitlist Members by seniority

## **Full Membership**

- ★ Full Members have unlimited pool use throughout the entire pool season
- ★ Annual pool dues for Full Membership are \$1025 for 2025
  - First-time Full Members also pay:
    - \$750: Initiation fee (one-time, non-refundable)
    - \$1500: Pool bond (one-time, refundable upon resignation)
- ★ A limited number of Full Memberships will become available in 2025
- ★ Available Full Memberships are offered to Waitlist Members by seniority

## **Emeritus Membership**

- ★ Emeritus Membership is a reward offered to long-tenured Full Members
- ★ There are no annual dues for Emeritus Membership
  - Emeritus Members are refunded their \$1500 pool bond
- ★ Emeritus Members use the pool by buying pool coupons (\$15/coupon)
  - Emeritus Members can buy additional coupons during the season
- ★ Emeritus eligibility requires having paid Full Member pool dues:
  - For at least 8 years and your youngest child is out of high school OR
  - For at least 10 years and your youngest child is 16 OR
  - You receive a special offer of Emeritus Membership

#### IMPORTANT REMINDERS

#### **BIRTHDAY PARTIES**

- ★ The pool is available for birthday parties
- ★ Birthday party scheduling:
  - Parties are scheduled for 2-hour periods
  - Contact Pool Director Gary DeMayo to schedule: garybills11@comcast.net
  - Weekday availability: check with Gary
  - Weekend availability: 10 AM to 12 PM
    - No parties on Memorial and Labor Day weekends
- ★ Birthday party fees:
  - Rental fee: \$275 (will appear on your club bill)
  - Lifeguard fee: \$55 per lifeguard (paid to lifeguard at end of party)
    - There must be 1 lifeguard for every 10 children
    - E.g., an 11-child party requires hiring 2 lifeguards
    - Lifeguards may be tipped as appropriate

#### **COUPONS**

- ★ Pool coupons provide entry for 1 person (age 5 or older) for the day
  - Children under 5 years old do not require a coupon
- ★ Pool coupons cost \$15 for the 2025 season and are sold in books of 10
- ★ Waitlist Member coupon use:
  - Must pre-purchase coupons (0, 10, 20, 30, 40)
  - o Cannot purchase additional coupons in-season
  - May only use coupons on Monday-Thursday from June 9 to July 3
  - May use coupons any day from July 5 to September 1
- ★ Emeritus Member coupon use
  - May pre-purchase coupons
  - May purchase additional coupons in-season
  - May use coupons during the entire pool season
- ★ Coupons are non-refundable and non-transferrable
- ★ There are no physical coupons!
  - The front-desk attendant tracks coupons purchased and used
- **★** Expect an email in May with information on purchasing coupons

#### **HOLIDAY RULES**

- ★ July 4: Independence Day
  - The pool is open to all Windsor Club Pool members
  - No coupons required for Waitlist and Emeritus Members
  - Only Full Members are permitted to bring guests.
- ★ September 1: Labor Day
  - No guests permitted

## **LAP SWIMMING**

- ★ The pool is open for lap swimming during designated lap-swim periods:
  - o June 9 through August 22: Monday through Friday, 7 AM to 9 AM
- ★ Full Members do not need a lap-swim pass
- ★ A lap-swim pass provides Emeritus and Waitlist Members unlimited access during lap-swim periods
  - A lap-swim pass is \$150 for the 2025 season
  - Each swimmer requires their own lap-swim pass (minimum age 16)
  - Email <u>pool@windsorclub.org</u> & <u>office@windsorclub.org</u> to purchase a lap-swim pass
- ★ Lap-swim passes must be paid for prior to your first use
- ★ A pool coupon can be used to lap swim
- ★ Please be considerate of fellow lap-swimmers: no more than 2 per lane!

## **SABBATICAL SEASON**

- ★ Sabbatical season eligibility:
  - o Full Members who have paid annual pool dues for at least 1 year
- ★ Sabbatical season terms:
  - No pool dues
  - Cannot use pool
  - Cannot purchase pool coupons or lap-swim passes
- ★ You may only remain on sabbatical for 1 season, and then must either return to Full Membership or resign

#### **SWIM LESSONS -- GROUP**

- ★ Group swim lessons will be on weekdays, June 9 to Aug. 1, 9 AM to 11 AM
- ★ Group swim lesson fees:
  - Full Members: \$50 per child, per week
  - Waitlist and Emeritus Members: \$70 per child, per week
- ★ Waitlist Member families who have participated in a day's swim lessons may continue to swim in the pool from 11:00 AM to 12:00 PM without the use of a pool coupon.
- ★ Expect an email in late May with scheduling and sign-up information

#### **SWIM LESSONS -- PRIVATE**

- ★ Swim instructors are also available for private lessons
  - Contact instructors directly to schedule private lessons:

■ Genna Famolare: 978-735-9695

■ Julia Lawton: 617-831-3517

Jordan Ronell: 781-499-3762

- ★ Private swim lesson fees:
  - \$30 per 30 minute session
  - There will be an additional fee if 2 or more children are taking a private lesson together.
    Please ask the instructor for details.
  - Fees are paid directly to the instructor at the end of the lesson

## **POOL RULES**

## **Special 2025 Pool Rules**

- ★ All qualified Club Members must comply with any restrictions or requirements ("special 2025 pool rules") imposed by the state, city, Club, or Pool Director related to health and safety. Such special 2025 pool rules may include, but are not limited to, capacity, time, and access limitations, social distancing and face coverings, use of bathrooms, and notification of positive COVID-19 tests. Failure to comply with these restrictions or requirements may result in suspension or termination of pool use privileges for an individual or family.
- ★ These special 2025 pool rules may be modified by the Pool Chair, in consultation with the Pool Director and the Board.
- ★ All standard rules described below apply and are in effect in 2025, except where inconsistent with these special rules, in which case the special rules apply.

#### **Qualified Club Members**

- ★ Qualified Club Members are Full Pool Members ("Full Members"), Partial Pool Members ("Partial Members"), and Emeritus Pool Members ("Emeritus Members") and Waitlist Pool Members ("Waitlist Members") who have purchased pool coupons or lap-swim passes.
- ★ Only qualified club members may use the pool. Qualified club members are permitted to bring guests to the pool, subject to the limitations described below.
- ★ All qualified club members must sign in with the attendant when they arrive at the pool.

#### **Guests**

- ★ Every non-qualified visitor must be signed in as a "quest" by a qualified club member "host."
- ★ Every guest must be accompanied by their host at all times.
- ★ There is a maximum of 5 guests per qualified club member family per day.
- ★ Each guest aged 5 and older will be assessed a fee of \$15. This fee may be covered by a coupon in the event that the host is an Emeritus Member or Waitlist Member. Guests aged 4 and younger will not be assessed a fee.
- ★ Full Member families are permitted two caretaking adults at the pool on any given day. "Caretaking adults" are parents, relatives, and childcare providers (subject to the applicable rules below). Any additional adults will be assessed a \$15 fee.
- ★ Only Full Members are permitted to bring guests on Independence Day.

★ No qualified club member, including a Full Member, is permitted to bring guests on Labor Day.

#### **Childcare Providers**

- ★ A childcare provider for the family of a qualified club member may bring that family's children to the pool. A childcare provider may also bring guests of that family's children provided that those guests are aged 5 or older. A childcare provider may not bring his or her own guests.
- ★ A childcare provider of a Full Member will not be assessed a fee if that childcare provider is one of the two caretaking adults responsible for children on a given day. A childcare provider of a Full Member who is not one of the two caretaking adults on a given day will be assessed a \$15 fee.
- ★ A childcare provider of any qualified club member who is not a Full Member will be assessed a \$15 fee.

## **General Guidelines**

- ★ Children aged 9 and younger must be accompanied by an adult aged 16 or older in the pool area at all times.
- ★ Parents or childcare providers are expected to closely supervise their children at all times, especially non-swimmers.
- ★ Any child using a Coast-Guard-approved flotation device in the pool must be accompanied by an adult who is also in the pool.
- ★ Reckless or inappropriate conduct, running, rough or dangerous play, pushing or pulling others into the pool, or other similar behavior is not allowed.
- ★ Babies and toddlers who are not toilet-trained must wear waterproof diapers.
- ★ Per ordinance of the City of Newton, diapers must not be changed in the pool area. There are changing tables conveniently located in the restrooms. This rule will be strictly enforced. Failure to comply with this rule will be grounds for suspension from the pool.
- ★ Per ordinance of the City of Newton, all food must be consumed either outside of the concrete pool area or in the designated pool deck area. This rule will be strictly enforced. Failure to comply with this rule will be grounds for suspension from the pool.
- ★ No glass is permitted in the pool area.
- ★ Umbrellas must be closed during periods of high winds, in the judgment of the Pool Director.

- ★ The Pool Director's judgment in all health and safety matters is final. The pool staff (including the Pool Director and lifeguards) are authorized to remove individuals from the pool area and Windsor Club grounds who do not follow the instructions of the pool staff.
- ★ Unsafe, inappropriate, and disrespectful behavior, including but not limited to abusive language or conduct toward staff, will not be tolerated. This type of behavior may be grounds for suspension of pool privileges for both the individual and the family.
- ★ Everyone who uses the pool must be familiar with the Pool Rules as described here. Failure to comply with the Pool Rules shall be sufficient cause for immediate suspension of pool privileges by the pool staff. Severe or repeated violations of the Pool Rules may be considered sufficient cause for cancellation of membership without refund, based upon a written report from the Pool Director, a hearing with the right of appeal, and at the discretion of the Pool Chair and Committee.