

1. **Entrance to Pool:** Key Fobs are required for entry to the pool deck. Persons age 11 years old and younger MUST be accompanied by an adult.
2. **Guest Allowance:**
  - a. ADULT: Persons 16 years and older can bring a maximum of 5 guests
  - b. TEEN: Persons 12 through 15 years of age are limited to 1 guest.
3. **ALL DECISIONS BY METROPOLITAN POOL LIFEGUARDS ARE FINAL.** Questions or comments regarding Metropolitan Pool lifeguards or pool rules should be directed to Sarah Polo:440-289-5628.
4. **NO** running or horseplay is allowed in the pool or deck area.
5. **NO** profanity, vulgar, sexually or racially offensive language is permitted.
6. Behavior or actions which, in the judgment of lifeguards, break pool rules will result in the swimmer being asked to sit out of the pool for a period of time or immediate ejection from the pool for the rest of the day and review by the Trustees.
7. Verbal or physical abuse of a lifeguard or reckless endangerment of other swimmers will result in immediate ejection from the pool and prohibited re-entry to the pool area until the matter is reviewed by the Trustees. Lifeguards have been directed by the Trustees to request assistance from the Strongsville Police when any situation might compromise a person's safety.
8. **NO** breath-holding games or prolonged breath-holding attempts are allowed in the pool or deck area.
9. Lifeguards reserve the right to administer a swim test to ANY swimmer at ANY time.
10. **Food and Beverages**
  - a. Alcohol is NOT permitted in the pool or the deck area during pool hours when the facility is open to residents.
  - b. Glass containers are NOT permitted in the pool area at ANY time.
  - c. Garbage should be thrown in trash containers provided in the deck area.
11. SMOKING is NOT permitted at any time within the clubhouse, deck, or pool area.
12. **REST BREAKS** Swimmers under the age of 18 are required to take a rest break each hour while at the pool. This means those under the age of 18 must completely exit the pool. Breaks are scheduled 15 minutes before the hour.
13. All children still in diapers MUST wear swim diapers in the pool.
14. All valuables, especially purses and wallets, should be left at home. Westwood Farms Homeowners Association is NOT responsible for money or valuables lost in the pool or clubhouse area.
15. Pool chairs are for poolside use only. Chairs are NOT to be placed in the water.
16. Swimmers must wear clothing designated as swimwear. Cutoffs and shorts are not permitted in the pool at any time.
17. In the event of thunder and threatening weather, the lifeguards have complete authority to close the pool. If the storm passes and weather conditions improve, the pool may be reopened at Metropolitan's discretion. When the temperature falls below 65 degrees, the pool will be closed.
18. Rafts and other floats are NOT permitted at any time. Noodles ARE allowed.
19. Children wearing water wings MUST be within arm's length of an adult.
20. Objects may be thrown in the pool, as determined by the lifeguards, depending on the number of swimmers and the material of the projectile. Squirt guns and other water shooting toys are not permitted.