

## **Swimming Pool Admission Policy**

## MAIN POOL

All children under the age of 8 years must be accompanied by a "responsible person", aged at least 16 years.

The "responsible person" must go into the water with the children they are accompanying. Whilst in the pool, the "responsible person" must maintain watch over the children for whom they are responsible and be in close contact with those of their children who are non or weak swimmers.

Children aged **4** to **7** must be accompanied by a "responsible person" on a maximum **TWO** to **ONE** basis.

Children under the age of **4** must be accompanied by a "responsible person" on a **ONE to ONE** basis.

Non or weak swimmers are restricted to the shallow end of the pool.

A non or weak swimmer is defined as someone who is not able to swim 25m in a reasonable style and tread water for 30 seconds.

Individual customers are required to inform pool staff of any illness or disability that may affect them during their visit.

Non-swimmers must wear arm bands or other suitable buoyancy aids. These aids must be "kite marked" or carry a BS EN number and must be provided by the "responsible person".

## **SMALL POOL**

The small pool is a designated area for well behaved children who are under the supervision of a "responsible person".

All children under the age of **8** must be accompanied by a "responsible person" aged at least 16 years, on a maximum **TWO** to **ONE** basis.

The "responsible person" must go into the water with the children they are accompanying. Whilst in the pool, the "responsible person" must maintain watch over the children for whom they are responsible.

Under normal circumstances, non-swimmers must wear arm bands or other suitable buoyancy aids. These aids must be "kite marked" or carry a BS EN number and must be provided by the "responsible person".

A child may take off their arm bands when learning to swim. It is the responsibility of the "responsible person" to ensure the child is safe.

A non or weak swimmer is defined as someone who is not able to swim 25m in a reasonable style and tread water for 30 seconds.

Individual customers are required to inform pool staff of any illness or disability that may affect them during their visit.

Swimmers are advised not to swim for periods of more than 2 hours at any one time. Prolonged immersion in water may cause irritation to the eyes, and drying out of the skin and hair.

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