

High Point Elks Swimming Pool Letter for our 2018 season

Dear Member,

Can you believe it! The summer season is almost here and everybody is looking forward to another great pool year. Included in this letter are all the things “you need to know.” Through this letter and attachments we hope to communicate information regarding hours, rules, and any changes for this year so that every Member has a safe and enjoyable time at the pool.

Opening day will be Friday, May 25th at 4pm (pool closes at 9pm). **You are encouraged to bring a prospective Member. Guests of pool Members are FREE opening weekend (Friday, Saturday and Sunday).** No in town guests are allowed on Memorial Day. We will have our traditional opening day FREE Hot Dog Cookout beginning at 6pm. The pool will remain open through Labor Day, September 3rd.

We look forward to a great time at the Pool this year. There will be plenty of planned activities (School's Out Cookout, 4th of July, Labor Day, etc.) and an exciting Swim Team season. Summer Volleyball leagues will also start soon after the pool opens. League signup sheets will be posted at the main pool entrance.

2018 updates/changes: Children of Pool Members under the age of 2 as of June 1st are now FREE!

Guests will be required to wear wristbands which must remain on during their visit. The entire pool deck and shelter areas are NON-SMOKING. Reminder – guests are only allowed to visit 3 times per season.

Enclosed you will find registration cards for you and your family to be completed as instructed. We invite all Members in good standing who are current with Lodge Dues to join the pool. We are pleased to announce there will be no increase to pool dues this year. They will remain \$75 per person. Guest fees will also remain at \$10 per person per visit. We are also offering the 10 visit guest card for \$75. This card can only be purchased by a paid pool member and will be available from the Lodge office. Lockers are available on a first-come, first-serve basis. Rental cost is \$5 for the season. Locker numbers and combinations will be provided by the lifeguards.

Lifeguards WILL NOT be allowed to collect any membership fees at the pool. Payments can be made at the Lodge office Monday thru Friday 10am - 4pm. Pool cards will be available upon your first visit to the pool with proper identification.

Please note that in order to use the pool opening weekend **you must have your Lodge Dues current and pool dues paid by 2pm on Friday, May 25th.** **There will be nobody to collect dues until the following Tuesday, May 29th.** All major credit cards are accepted for pool dues/fees.

POOL HOURS

Monday thru Thursday	11:00 AM to 9:00 PM
Friday	11:00 AM to 10:00 PM
Saturday & Sunday	10:00 AM to 9:00 PM

On weekdays, when Guilford County Schools are in session, before the last day of school and before the first day of school next year, our hours will be 4pm - 8pm. **The pool closes at 4pm for home swim meets.** Home swim meet dates will be posted on our website once they are finalized. Pool closings could vary depending on weather conditions and/or number of people using the pool. Early closing, if any, will be at the discretion of the Pool Committee.

Alcoholic beverages may be purchased from the Lounge. **No alcoholic beverages may be brought to the pool at any time (unless purchased in Lodge Lounge).** *Any infraction could result in our ABC license being revoked.*

Fraternally yours,
The Pool Committee

Summary of Swimming Pool Regulations for our 2018 season

All eligible persons must be listed on pool card for admittance. Those eligible for admission and to use the pool:

- Members in good standing with this Lodge, and/or their spouse and their unmarried children under the age of 21 that are living in the Member's home.
- An unmarried member can have as his/her guest a girl/boyfriend and his/her unmarried children under the age of 21. Exceptions only as are otherwise provided in these rules.
- **The Member will be responsible for any person on their card as well as any person signed in by a person on their card.**

The Member will use his/her Elk pool card for identification for admittance to the pool. You will pick up this card upon your first visit to the pool with proper identification. Spouse and/or children of Elks will show their pool card and sign in, and members will sign their guests in at the front desk. You will receive 2 cards in this mailing. Additional cards can be purchased \$5 for members on your card 16 and over. These must be purchased through the Lodge office.

- All members, spouses, children and guests must sign in upon entering pool.
- Out of county (other than counties Davidson, Randolph, Guilford and Forsyth) overnight houseguests shall be admitted at any time during regular hours.
- **Admission fee for each Guest is \$10.** Guests must be registered at the front desk and wear the supplied wristbands at all times while in pool area. **Members are responsible for their guests. Guests must leave when the sponsoring Member leaves the Lodge grounds.**
- An individual Guest may only be allowed 3 times per pool season.
- Limit of 3 (three) guests per member on a given day, unless otherwise approved or as part of a shelter party.
- **No in town guests are allowed on holidays (Memorial Day, July 4th and Labor Day)**
- Elk's members must be 16 years of age or over to sign in guests.

Shelter Party Rentals

There is a fee of \$70 for a party that is 2 hours or less (\$90 for 3 hours or less) with a maximum of 20 guests (swimming and / or non-swimming). There is a fee of \$5 per person over the allotted 20 guests. Elk pool members are not counted as guests. A non-refundable deposit of \$40 is required to reserve the shelter.

- Please contact the office for availability and reservations.
- No parties will be allowed on Saturday or Sunday until after 3pm.
- No parties are allowed on holidays.

Please visit hpelks.com/pool for our complete list of Pool Regulations

Come join the fun with the High Point Elks Swim Team

We offer a competitive summer swim league. All swimming abilities welcome!

- 5 meets plus City Championship meet
- Junior Elks program for those learning to swim
- Swim lessons offered by experienced coaching staff
- Fun activities and team bonding
- Give back through our annual "Swim for Cancer" fundraiser

Come to one of our registrations to learn more, meet the coaching staff and bond with the team. Registration dates and additional information will be listed on our website in the coming weeks.

Contact Char Edwards (cahaase1@yahoo.com) or Lodge (hpelks1155@triad.rr.com) for more info
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