



POOL RULES for HEALTH & SAFETY

GENERAL

- Persons violating regulations are subject to eviction from the park without a refund.
- Water Park management can implement and enforce more stringent rules than listed here.
- The Tinley Park-Park District reserves the right to add rules as deemed necessary.

ENTRY

- Everyone age three and older must pay the admission fee.
- An adult over the age of 18 must accompany children ten years of age and under at all times. No child under the age of 11 can enter the Water Park without adult supervision.
- Admission to the pool is prohibited to all persons having any contagious disease, infectious condition or appearing to have an infectious condition. These include colds, fever, ringworm, foot infections, skin lesions, diarrhea, vomiting, inflamed eyes, ear discharges, etc.
- Persons with excessive sunburn, abrasions that have not healed, adhesive tape or bandages of any kind cannot enter the water.
- Patrons with special needs should make their needs known to pool staff.
- Do not bring valuables into the Water Park. We are not responsible for lost or stolen items.
- All persons are encouraged to shower before entering the pool area.

BEHAVIOR

- White Water Canyon Water Park is a zero-tolerance facility. Personal conduct within the pool facility must not jeopardize safety. Inappropriate behavior including but not limited to running, boisterous or rough play, smoking, swearing or acts of intimidation is prohibited. The Water Park staff has the authority to contact the Tinley Park Police to enforce all rules and laws.
- Parents or guardians are responsible for supervising their children. Lifeguards are on duty only to enforce rules and respond to emergencies.
- No one should swim alone.
- Non-swimmers and those wearing life vests must have a chaperone 18 years or older within arm's reach at all times.
- Cigarettes and other forms of tobacco prohibited. Gum is not allowed in the park.

POOL SAFETY

- Personal floatation devices worn in the pool must be Coast Guard approved and be worn correctly. Coast Guard approved life vests are available inside the park free of charge when you leave your driver's license for collateral.
- Water wings are prohibited in the water park.
- Life vests are not allowed on the water slides or diving board. Max slide load is 300 lbs.
- You must be 48" or taller to ride the body and tube water slides.
- Tubes are provided for your use on the tube slides. Single tubes are for single riders and double tubes are for two riders.
- You must be 48" or taller and know how to swim to ride the drop slide or dive from the diving board.
- **DO NOT** dive into shallow water less than five feet deep. Exercise extreme caution in the use of the diving facilities.

FOOD DRINK

- No alcohol permitted in the Water Park. A person under the influence of alcohol or exhibiting erratic behavior cannot enter the pool area.
- Patrons may not bring outside food of any type or coolers into the park. Patrons are required to return these items to their vehicles before entering the park. Staff may search bags, purses, diaper bags and large containers. Plastic water bottles with unbroken seals may be brought in.
- Glass of any type, including baby food jars, is not allowed in the water park.
- The water in the pools and spray ground is not suitable for drinking. Avoid swallowing this water, including the water from the spray ground apparatus.

CLOTHING

- There are no refunds because of the failure to have appropriate swimwear.
- All children who are not toilet-trained are required to wear a swim diaper in all bodies of water, including the spray ground.
- Swim diapers are available for purchase inside the park; we require a swimsuit over the swim diaper.
- **Only appropriate swimsuits** may be worn in the pool, lazy river and spray ground. Non-appropriate swim attire includes, but is not limited to, sports bras, sport shorts, basketball shorts, cutoff jeans, underwear, thong bikinis and swimsuits deemed to be unfitting for family environment due to tightness, transparency or cut.
- Only clean footwear, baby strollers or wheelchairs allowed in the pool area and bathhouse. Water shoes permitted in the spray ground.
- Full-size lockers are available in the locker rooms. Patron must bring their own lock to secure their belongings and must remove locks when leaving the park each day. Management cuts and removes locks remaining on lockers after closing. Locks are available to purchase for \$8 at the front gate.

WEATHER

- Swimming is prohibited at outdoor swimming pools when lightning is present and for 15 minutes after the last lightning observed.
- The Water Park Manager can close the park at his/her sole discretion of in the case of rain, lightning, or any unsafe condition. The pool may re-open when the danger has passed.
- Facility hours may be adjusted or park sections closed due to air temperatures, inclement weather, attendance or staffing.

All state and local health laws apply.

Portions of these rules are taken directly from the IDPH Illinois Swimming Pool and Bathing Beach Code and are not subject to change.

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