

Gabriel Commons Pool Rules

For Safety in the Pool Area, We Prohibit:

- Diving headfirst into any area of the pool.
- Food in the pool or drinks in floating cupholders.
- Glass/breakable containers (plastic cups are in covered bins in pool house).
- Children under 14 unaccompanied by a responsible person age 18 or older.
- Animals (with the exception of trained & certified service dogs).
- Objects that do not float in the pool (except diving rings or coins; remove after use).
- Using the pool from 10 p.m.-10 a.m.

For Pool Cleanliness:

- Take a shower at home (best practice) before going in the pool.
- Stay out of the pool for two weeks if you have diarrhea or symptoms of other diseases communicable by water.
- Contain long hair by using an elastic hair tie, clip, or bathing cap.
- Apply sun block after swimming, not before. The pool has shade in the afternoon.
- Use a special swim diaper on babies or any child not yet reliably potty-trained.
- Clean up your own food/beverages; carry out trash and recycling.
- No smoking in the pool area.

In Consideration of Others:

- When others are present, use moderate volume of voices and music.
- Be considerate of others when using of water toys and/or splashing in the pool.
- Adjust any activity to ensure others present can enjoy the pool area too.
- Inflatable or other pool floats should not exceed 5' X 2.5' in size.
- Check that everyone is out of the pool area before locking the gate when you leave. Turn the "Pool Open" sign over to read "Pool Closed" once the gate is locked and combination scrambled.

Responsibilities of Pool Area Users:

- Residents are responsible for their own safety and that of their children and guests; the Gabriel Commons Association is not responsible for accidents.
- Please sign our pool usage log each time you're at the pool. Keeping track of usage helps the Pool Committee administer the pool for the greater good of the community.

Enjoy the pool, be safe & volunteer if you can. It takes a village... Revised 04/14/2026