**Wesley lakes Community Association**

**COVID-19**

 **POOL PROCEDURES**

**2020 Pool Opening Dates and Time**

Many communities have opted to keep all amenities closed during this time. Wesley Lakes Community Association has developed and adopted mitigation measures based on Executive Order 05.12.20.02 and the Center for Disease Control and Prevention’s guidance on operating and managing public pools, hot tubs, and water playgrounds during the pandemic.

Both WLCA pools will open on July 1, 2020. Closing dates for the pools shall be September 7, 2020. Due to on-going public health concerns, these dates are subject to change without notice.

Daily Pool Hours: **12:00 noon-1:00 pm** *(Medically Fragile/Senior Residents)*

  **1:30 pm- 7:00 pm:** *(All other residents)*

***The Board has made the decision for basketball courts to remain closed. WLCA clubhouses will not be available for rental due to social distancing requirements, limits on gatherings, and spectator safety considerations.*** Tennis courts will remain open for use.

**Pool Accessibility**

Pools will only be accessible during pool hours and **only when Pool Security Monitors (PSMs) are on site**. Due to Covid-19 Guidance from the Department of Public Health, there will be 2 guards this season, 1 at each pool.

Resident pool key fobs will be inactivated for **all** residents this season due to necessary COVID-19 precautions. Residents will only access the pool by on-site PSMs, who will have a list of all residents eligible to utilize the pool. PSMs do not have any authority over the resident list. This list is provided by the Property Manager on a weekly basis. If you pay your dues, immediate pool access is not granted. Access is granted once an updated list is provided to the PSMs. At no time will the Board or Property Manager make any calls to add you to the list. It will be done on a weekly basis, which is usually on Friday evening.

PSMs will be equipped with contactless temperature thermometers. ALL residents and guests must comply with temperature checks prior to pool use. If any resident or party in the resident’s house has a temperature of 100.4°F or greater, you or no member in your party will be allowed access to the pool for at least 14 days. PSMs will ask:

* Do you have a cough, shortness of breath, sore throat, diarrhea, muscle or body aches or a change in smell or taste?
* Have you been around someone who has COVID-19?

You must answer the questions and be patient as the PSM takes temperatures. There will be a zero tolerance for any disruptive behavior and compliance to the pool rules this season. Any disruptive behavior will be grounds for immediate suspension of use for the season. The Oxford Downs pool (123 Burleyson Drive) will be limited to 20 guests in the pool area at a time. The Wesley Lakes Community Center pool (101 Cameron Road) will be limited to 30 guests in the pool area at one time. Pool use will be limited to 1.5 hours per family if there is a wait for other residents to utilize the pool. Families will be expected to stay in a horizontal area of the pool to maintain social distancing. See example.

Swim 

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**WLCA Resident Requirements (no exceptions)**

* Sign a waiver and return to WLCA (can be downloaded on-line at www.wesleylakes.org, emails were sent to residents with email addresses on file and copies will be provided on-site)
* Residents will not be allowed in the pool area without a Covid-19 waiver on file
* Provide ID/Address
* Answer questions required by CDC Covid-19 Procedures
* Agree and submit to temperature checks for entire family (including children)
* Wear a mask when not in pool and entering bathroom/common areas in WLCA clubhouses
* Disinfect and sanitize pool loungers **prior and after use** (disinfectant/sanitizer/paper towels will be provided by WLCA)
* Shower before entering pool
* Maintain 6’ from other residents not in your household
* Limit pool toys (i.e. inflatable floats, etc.)
* Only one resident/family in the bathroom at one time
* No resident can allow another resident in the pool area (immediate suspension of pool access for the season)
* BE PATIENT, BE COURTEOUS, BE RESPECTFUL, BE SAFE & BE HEALTHY

**PSM Requirements**

* Ask Covid-19 questions
* Check pool list/address/identification
* Take temperatures and refuse entry if anyone in the family temperature is 100.4°F or greater
* Allow entry and maintain resident counts in pool area
* Ensure disinfectant/sanitizer is available and in use in pool area
* Notify WLCA of any shortage in supplies at the end of shift
* Routinely disinfectant pool gate handles, bathrooms and other frequently touch surfaces i.e. pool umbrellas, pool shower handles, etc.
* Remove any trash from pool area trash cans at end of shift and place in bins at clubhouse
* Disinfect all pool furniture/bathrooms at end of shift
* Ensure pool furniture maintains the required social distancing requirements
* Secure pool area and facilities and engage alarms at the end of shift
* Umbrellas should be down prior to leaving for the day

***Safety Alert***: Face coverings are most essential at times when physical distancing is difficult. You should not war face coverings in the water. Cloth face coverings can be difficult to breathe through when wet.

Wesley Lakes Community Association have carefully decided to give residents the option to utilize the pool this season. We have bared extra costs to ensure the basic essentials are provided to protect the health and safety of our residents. We know this is a very difficult time and we hope you and your family can enjoy some sense of normalcy this summer. We need everyone’s help in making our community the best yet!

**References**

Link to WLCA Covid-19 Waiver

Link to DPH Covid-19 Guidance-Public Swimming Pools

Link to CDC Covid-19 Information