

## **RULES AND REGULATIONS OF HOLLY TREE COUNTRY CLUB, INC.**

The rules and regulations of Holly Tree Country Club are enforced by the General Manager under the guidance of the Board of Governors. All infractions of the rules and regulations are referred to the General Manager. Rules may be amended from time to time. All changes of the rules and regulations set forth by Holly Tree Country Club are made through the Board of Governors.

### **SWIMMING POOL**

1. All members, adults and children, must sign the register upon entering the pool area. All guest(s) must also be register. Members are responsible for the actions of their guests and children. A copy of the current rules may be obtained at the clubhouse office. Each member may utilize the clubhouse facilities for dining during normal operational hours by charging to their respective member number.
2. Always take a cleansing shower prior to entering the pool.
3. No one will be allowed to enter the pool deck area without proper swim attire. A sundeck is provided for those who are not swimming. Cut off clothing must be hemmed. No jeans, leather belts or other leather goods are allowed in pool. No leather-soled shoes are allowed on pool deck.
4. Life guards may require swimmers to demonstrate their swimming ability prior to allowing them to swim beyond the shallow end of the pool or use the diving board.
5. Children who can pass the lifeguard swim test and display safe behavior, and are at least 10 years old may be allowed to use the pool without parental supervision. The swim test will consist of:
  - a. Swimming the length of the pool using the freestyle stroke.
  - b. Treading water in deep end for 3 minutes.
  - c. Jumping off the diving board and swimming to the ladder.
6. Anyone supervising children must be at least 14 years old.
7. Children in the baby pool are the parents responsibility at all times. Children may not get left unattended in the baby pool. Children in the fenced-in baby pool are not under the supervision of the life guard.
8. Children that are not potty trained must wear a swim diaper. If a child has an accident in the pool requiring the pool to close, the member will be required to pay an "Accident Fee" of \$150 to cover the additional treatments to the pool.
9. No running, pushing, dunking or horseplay.
10. Children with water wings must stay in shallow water. They may not go into the diving area or use the diving board.
11. No smoking is allowed in the pool deck area.
12. No more than one person is allowed on the diving board at any time.
  - a. Diving rules:
    1. Dive from the end of the board only.
    2. Wait until the proceeding diver swims clear.
    3. No double bouncing allowed on the board.

13. No mask or snorkels allowed without the life guard's permission. No large floating aids during crowded periods.
14. No climbing on the guard towers or disturbing guards while on duty. Emergency equipment is for the use of life guards only.
15. The club is not responsible for valuables, bathing suits, towels, or any other articles left at the pool facility.
16. Telephone calls are restricted to two minutes and no long distance calls allowed.
17. Adult swim is limited to people 21 years of age and older.
18. All juniors participating on the Holly Tree Swim Team must be members of the club.
19. Life guards shall have the discretionary authority to discipline children using the following guidelines:
  - a. 1<sup>st</sup> offense = Sit out of pool for 10 minutes.
  - b. 2<sup>nd</sup> offense = Leave pool area for the remainder of day.
  - c. 3<sup>rd</sup> offense = Loss of pool privileges for one week.
  - d. 4<sup>th</sup> offense or flagrant abuse of rules = Must meet with club management with parents.
20. Personal coolers are allowed with the following items: water, medication, baby needs, and snacks.
21. Holly Tree recommends that all swimming lessons be provided by the life guards or HTCC Hurricanes swim coaches only.