

POLICY AND REGULATIONS FOR USE OF THE POOLS

ON MOTION DULY MADE, SECONDED AND UNANIMOUSLY CARRIED, THE FOLLOWING STATEMENT ON POOL USE WAS ADOPTED AS A POLICY OF FORESTWOOD CO-OPERATIVE HOMES INC.

Date passed by the Board of Directors: June 16, 1992

Date confirmed by the Members: July 30, 1992

1. PURPOSE OF THE POLICY

1.1 This policy is adopted in good will for the following purposes:

- * to ensure that Forestwood Co-op abides by Ontario Ministry of Health and City of Mississauga regulations, where these apply;
- * to promote safe and healthy practices in the use of the pools;
- * to provide for quiet enjoyment of the pools by residents of Forestwood Co-op and their invited guests;
- * to provide clear guidelines for everyone who uses the pools.

2. CARE, UPKEEP AND LIFEGUARD SERVICES

2.1 Each year the Board of Directors, at its discretion, will contract qualified, insured services for pool care and upkeep and lifeguarding.

2.2 The key to the pool gates will be held by the Lifeguard, and only the Lifeguard will be authorized to open the gates.

2.3 The Lifeguard will have full authority to enforce this policy and the regulations herein, including the authority to deny use of the pool to offenders.

2.4 Anyone asked by the Lifeguard to leave the pool area must do so immediately. Such a decision by the Lifeguard will be in effect unless and until it is overturned by the Board of Directors.

2.5 Any complaint or appeal of a decision made by a Lifeguard in the enforcement of this policy should be directed to the Board of Directors.

3. HOURS OF USE

3.1 The pools will be open only when a Lifeguard is on duty.

3.2 Hours of use will be as determined from time to time by the Board of Directors in consultation with members and staff. Open hours will be prominently displayed in laundry rooms and pool areas and published in the Co-op's Newsletter.

4. IDENTIFICATION

4.1 Identification tags will be issued to each resident unit in the following numbers:

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- * one for each person of appropriate age listed on the housing agreement or lease;
 - * two for the use of guests.
- 4.2 No one will be admitted to the pool area unless s/he wears, prominently displayed, an appropriate identification tag.
- 4.3 Persistent violation of this policy by any household member or guest may be grounds for revoking the pool privileges of all in the household.

5. REGULATIONS

- 5.1 No more than 25 persons will be allowed in each pool and surrounds at any time.
- 5.2 Residents will be held responsible for the behaviour of their guests.
- 5.3 Parents are responsible for the behaviour of their children, whether the parents are present in the pool area or not.
- 5.4 Infants and toddlers must wear elasticized pants that will prevent leakage of any sort into the pool.
- 5.5 In order to be allowed in the pool and surrounds, children who are not accompanied by a responsible adult must be evaluated by the Lifeguard and establish that:
- * they can stand on their own in the shallow end with head and neck above the water level; or,
 - * they are able to swim two (2) lengths of the pool consecutively.
- 5.6 Running, throwing, pushing or forcing any person in the pool area will not be tolerated.
- 5.7 "Waterwings" are not safe flotation devices. A child will be allowed to wear waterwings or life jackets in the pool only while he or she is under the watchful eye and constant care of an adult who takes personal responsibility for the child's safety. No other toys or inflatables are allowed in the pool area.
- 5.8 Playpens and strollers are not allowed in the pool area. Chairs are allowed in the pool area.
- 5.9 No portable radios or tape players are allowed in the pool area.
- 5.10 Drinks, food and smoking are not allowed in the pool area.
- 5.11 Hair which is shoulder length or longer must be tied back.
- 5.12 Bathing suits are designed for pool use and are the only attire allowed'. Persons wearing "cut-offs" will not be admitted to the pools.
- 5.13 Throwing any object into the pool from inside or outside the fence will not be tolerated.