



General Rules of Poolside

These are the general rules of poolside. These are also reproduced in our Handbook.

- The club has a strict “**No Fee – No Swim**” policy. If you haven’t paid, you’re not a member and as such you are not insured. Therefore please do not embarrass your child by having the teacher refusing entry to a lesson.
- No reductions to fees can be made due to time off unless a Doctor’s certificate is provided.
- Swimmers and/or parents **MUST** advise the coach/teacher of any illness or disability the child has.
- Teachers have the authority to remove a swimmer from the water if they feel that a Health & Safety issue has arisen.
- Parents should remain on the pool premises while your child is swimming. If your child becomes injured or sick, a teacher cannot leave the remainder of the class unattended while they try to locate the parent.
- All swimmers must wear the swim hat of their group and suitable swimwear, ie. Trunks not baggy shorts, costume not a bikini. The use of proper swimming goggles is recommended. Swimmers in the squads are also expected to obtain certain other equipment such as kick-boards, pull-buoys and chinese hand-paddles.
- No jewellery is to be worn and the teachers cannot look after any valuables.



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- Your child is expected to behave to a certain standard. Disruption within the class will not be tolerated and a swimmer will be removed from the lesson if this happens. The teacher will not be responsible for the swimmer once removed from the class – therefore it is important that a parent is in attendance at the pool.
- DSC will not tolerate bullying or abuse of any kind. Teachers/coaches/officials of the club reserve the right to exclude any child found in breach of this condition.
- DSC expect swimmers to respect the property of others and of the premises we are hiring. It is generally a condition of pool-hire that any damages will be paid for. DSC will seek reimbursement from the parent of any child found to have caused any damage to any property and the offender may be excluded from the club.
- There is limited spectator space at the poolside at the Loxford pool and all spectators are expected to remain a safe distance away from the pool, especially those with other children. All parents/carers are to stay within the pool complex for the reasons stated above.