



Member Manual 2026

Welcome!

Welcome to Shell Rock Aquatics. We are so excited that you have chosen to join us for our 2026 season. Our mission is to provide a safe and fun environment for you and your family this summer. Within this manual you will find information on hours, swim lessons, private pool parties, water aerobics, and other fun activities and events. It is our privilege to serve the community, we are so happy to welcome you to Shell Rock Aquatics.

Please note this manual does not address every situation. All parts of this manual are subject to change.

Sincerely
Shell Rock Aquatics Pool Board
Pool Manager

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Hours/Schedule

Open 7 days a week!

11:00 am - 11:50 pm water aerobics

12:00 pm - 12:50 pm lap swim

1:00 pm - 8:00 pm open swim Monday through Thursday

1:00 pm - 7:00 pm open swim Friday through Sunday

Pool Breaks will occur at 2:30, 4:00 and 5:30. They will be 15 minutes long and anyone under the age of 18 will be required to exit the pool. The pool will be closed to the public during the weeks of public swimming lessons from 4:50 - 6:30 Monday through Thursday.

Admission Fees

There is a service charge for all card purchases.

Daily Admission

Individuals Age 1 and up: \$5.00

Individuals Under 1: free

All individuals entering the facility must pay admission. There will be no refunds issued for bad weather.

Lap swim

All individuals must be 18 or older

Non season pass holders: \$3.00

Water Aerobics Class

Class will be held at 11:00 am Monday through Thursday. Class will have an instructor and will cost \$4.00. Water Aerobics is not included under your pool pass.

Individual Pass

Shell Rock Residents: \$75.00

Non Residents: \$100.00

Family Season Pass (up to 5 people)

Shell Rock Residents: \$190.00 (\$40.00 each additional person)

Non Residents: \$250.00 (\$40.00 each additional person)

Family Pass Definition- One or two adults related to each other by marriage. Any child who is related to either or both of the adults by blood, marriage, adoption, legal guardianship, or claimed as a dependent on your income tax form. All of whom occupy a single dwelling unit on a regular and continuing basis.

Babysitters and or caregivers may be added to your pass. This will be an additional \$40 to any and all pass members.

Private Pool Parties

Individuals may rent the facility for \$150.00 for one hour. This includes unlimited individuals up to capacity, full use of the facility, and all amenities. Facility rental is after 7 pm or before 12 on Saturdays and Sundays. A deposit of \$75.00 will be required at the time of rental. The facility will be closed to the public for private parties. The closing will be announced and posted no less than two weeks in advance.

Swim Lessons

Public Lessons

Public lessons will be held Monday through Thursday for two weeks. Both morning and evening lessons will be provided. Please contact Shell Rock Aquatics for more information. Public lesson fees are \$50.00 per individual per session.

Private Lessons

Private lessons are held according to lifeguard availability and scheduled on a first come first serve basis. One session consists of four half hour time slots. Please contact Shell Rock Aquatics for more information. Private lessons fees are \$70.00 per session.

Closings

Weather related

1. Temperature - Shell Rock Aquatics will not open if the air temperature feels less than 70 degrees fahrenheit.

2. Rain and storms - if it is raining at 11:30 Shell Rock Aquatics will not open for lap swim. If it is still raining at 12:30 we will not open at 1:00 for open swim. The manager will re-evaluate again at 2:30 if it has cleared and looks to stay clear. We will open at 3:00 for an open swim. If it is still raining the manager will re-evaluate again at 5:00. If it has cleared we will open for family hour and evening swim. If it has not cleared Shell Rock Aquatics will be closed for the evening and all evening activities will be canceled. The exception is public swimming lessons, which will be determined by the manager.
3. Thunder and Lightning - Shell Rock Aquatics will open if there is light rain and no thunder or lightning. If Thunder or lightning occur while the facility is open the pool will be cleared and patrons allowed to wait for a half hour. If it continues beyond a half hour the facility will close. All staff will be required to stay until excused by management

Shell Rock Aquatics Code of Conduct

Shell Rock Aquatics strives to provide a positive environment for people to observe and participate in various events, programs, and services. Enjoyment, skills development, physical and mental wellness, and good sportsmanship are encouraged in everything we do.

We hold the following standards of behavior:

- To demonstrate and encourage good courtesy and respect toward others at all times.
- To maintain a positive attitude while participating in programs, events, and services.
- To demonstrate self-control, self-discipline and to resolve any conflicts positively.
- To keep the tone, volume, language, and gestures appropriate and positive.

Consequences for unacceptable behavior will vary based on the severity of the action(s) and any previous history of poor behavior. Responses by Shell Rock Aquatics staff may include but are not limited to:

- Verbal warnings
- Immediate dismissal from facility
- Suspension (short-term)
- Suspension (long-term)
- Criminal charges

An appealed decision will go to the Pool Board, and if requested, the City Council. Decisions made by staff are immediately effective, and are final unless changed by the Pool Board or Council.

Rules and Regulations

All rules will apply to all activities operating within the pool facility. **These rules are subject to change as we determine the safety needs and concerns of the new facility.**

1. In order to provide a safe and enjoyable experience for all patrons, the City of Shell Rock and Shell Rock Aquatics reminds users of the zero tolerance policy against profanity, disrespectful actions toward staff, thefts, and violence at the falls. If patrons engage in these actions, they will be asked to leave the facility. This includes all locations of the facility including concession areas and parking lots.
2. No floatation devices except life jackets. No inner tubes, floats, water wings, baby floats, noodles, etc. Flotation devices will be allowed after 5 pm every day. Water wings are not allowed.
3. No running, pushing, fighting, dunking or other rough play in or around the pool.
4. Profanity will not be tolerated.
5. No diving in the shallow end where the deck is clearly marked.
6. No smoking or other tobacco products, alcohol, drugs, or glass containers will be allowed in the facility or on the property of Shell Rock Aquatics. We are a no tolerance facility.
7. No camera or cell phone usage in locker room area.
8. All swimmers wishing to swim in the deep end will need to pass the water competency sequence. This will include jumping into water above their head, treading for 30 seconds and then swimming across the short length of the pool and back. Acceptable swim strokes include front crawl and breaststroke. Swimmers passing the water competency sequence will be recorded. Swimmers failing the water competency sequence may try again a different day.
9. Administration and concessions are for employees only. There are no exceptions.
10. Lifeguard stations are for lifeguards only. There is no climbing and diving or jumping from these stands. There are no exceptions.
11. Facility phone is for emergency use only. Emergency is determined by staff.
12. Food and beverages are allowed only in the concession area. Absolutely no food or beverage on the pool deck or in the pool.
13. No outside food or beverage will be allowed in the facility with the exception of water bottles.
14. Persons having a contagious disease or an open wound will be prohibited from entering the pool.
- 15. All patrons must shower before entering the pool.**

16. Appropriate swimwear will be required in the pool which includes swim diapers.
17. Patrons using the waterslide must be 48 inches tall. No exceptions.
18. Children 5 and under must be within arm reach of an adult when in or around the water.
19. Children under the age of 10 must be accompanied by an adult or person age 14 or older.
20. Children left unsupervised will be dismissed from the facility.
21. Patrons who are wearing offensive or overly exposing clothing may be asked to leave the facility.
22. Pool staff reserves the right to restrict any person(s) from using these facilities because of conduct which is determined to be unsafe. This includes all rules listed in this document.

Diving Board Rules

1. Diver must wait until the area is clear of the previous diver.
2. One person on the board at a time.
3. One bounce absolutely no double bouncing.
4. Jump or dive straight off the end of the board.
5. All swimmers must pass the above stated water competency sequence.
6. No life jackets allowed.
7. Limit 250 lbs.

Water Slide Rules

1. One person on the slide at a time.
2. Water slide users must enter the slide in a sitting position and wait for instruction.
3. Water slide users must ride on the slide on their back, feet first, with arms and legs crossed.
4. Water slide users should exit the splash down area immediately after completion of the ride.
5. Clothing with buttons or hooks will not be allowed on the slide. Life jackets are not allowed.
6. Water slide users must be 48 inches tall.
7. Weight limit of 300 lbs.
8. Water depth of the splash down is 3'6".
9. No catching.
10. No propelling yourself into the ride.

Water Climber

1. All swimmers must pass the above stated water competency sequence.
2. Water climbers shall be restricted to 1 person at a time.

3. No headfirst entries, flips, or acrobatics. Patrons violating this rule will be banned from the climbing structure.
4. Enter water with knees bent and arms extended for safety.
5. Climb only on the handholds starting in the water.
6. No climbing on the back of the structure.
7. No rough play, dunking, pushing, or pulling on climbers.

Basketball and Volleyball

1. No hanging on the net.
2. No using the ball as a floatation device.
3. No diving, rough play, dunking, pushing, fighting.

Disciplinary Action - Guards and Managers have the authority to vary from this typical scale, particularly for dangerous, threatening or abusive behavior.

1. 1st warning will require sitting out for 5 minutes
2. 2nd warning will require sitting out for 10 minutes
3. 3rd warning will require dismissal for the day.
4. 1st dismissal from the pool will be for one day.
5. 2nd dismissal from the pool will be for one week.
6. 3rd dismissal from the pool will be for the season.

There will be no refunds upon dismissal from the facility. This includes both day passes and season passes.

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Any action violating our no tolerance policy will result in immediate dismissal from the facility for the day. The length of a dismissal from the pool facility will depend on the severity and history of the violation, and may range from one day to the season.

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Lockers

We have lockers for patron use. We encourage all to use these lockers for their belongings and free up chairs, loungers, and tables for patron use.

For any questions please contact us at Shell Rock Aquatics 319-885-6400 or by email, shellrockpool@gmail.com. We are happy to help and answer any questions.