

# WATAUGA COUNTY PARKS & RECREATION

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## Pool Room Birthday Party Application

FACILITIES :	FEES:	
	Watauga County Resident	Non-County Resident
Blue Water or Salt Water Room Party Rental <i>*Fees reflect up to twelve (12) youth swimmers age 1-17 years old</i> <i>**Party Rentals include one (1) hour in the room and two (2) hours in the pool**</i>	\$150	\$225
Blue Water or Salt Water Room Party Rental <i>*Fees reflect thirteen (13) or more youth swimmers age 1-17 years old</i> <i>**Party Rentals include one (1) hour in the room and two (2) hours in the pool**</i>	\$175	\$263
Blue Water <b>AND</b> Salt Water Room Party Rentals <i>*Party Rentals include one (1) hour in the room and two (2) hours in the pool*</i>	\$250	\$375
<i>These Blue Water and Salt Water Rooms are available to rent for meeting space. Please see our facility reservation request form for prices that do not include party or swimming fees.</i>		

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### Applicant Information:

First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip code: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Purpose of use: \_\_\_\_\_

Estimated attendance: \_\_\_\_\_ Estimated swimmers: \_\_\_\_\_

Room Requested:

**Blue Water Room** (27 person capacity): \_\_\_\_\_ **Salt Water Room** (25 person capacity): \_\_\_\_\_ **Both rooms** (52 person capacity): \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Rental Request: \_\_\_\_\_

*If your request is Monday—Saturday please select a time for use of the pool room:*

**11am-12pm** (swim time 12pm-2pm): \_\_\_ **1pm-2pm** (swim time 2pm-4pm): \_\_\_ **3pm-4pm** (swim time 1pm-3pm ): \_\_\_ **5pm-6pm** (swim time 3pm-5pm): \_\_\_

*If your request is a Sunday, please select a time for use of the pool room:*

**1pm-2pm** (swim time 2pm-4pm): \_\_\_ **3pm-4pm** (swim time 1pm-3pm): \_\_\_

### FOR OFFICE USE ONLY

Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Fee: \_\_\_\_\_ Staff Member: \_\_\_\_\_ Receipt Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Put on Supergrid: Y / N

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### Reservations and Cancellations

1. Party date and time are confirmed only after signed agreement and payment is received.
2. All parties include one hour in the party room and 2 hours in the pool.
3. You will only have access to the party room during your scheduled time.
- 4. The WCRC does not give refunds for any reason.**
5. In the event of a lightening or thunder delay and the party has had less than one hour of swim time, the party host has the following options:
  - a. The party will receive one youth rainy day pass and up to one adult rainy day pass per child in attendance at the party. The scheduled party is welcomed to still use the party room during the remainder of their scheduled room time.
  - b. The WCRC can reschedule the party for another date and time.

\_\_\_\_\_ **Initial that you have read and understand the reservation and cancellation policy.**

### Pool Policies and Procedures

1. Proper swimming attire required and subject to WCRC staff approval.
2. US Coast Guard-approved life jackets are allowed only when a child is accompanied by a parent or responsible adult. All other floatation devices are not allowed.
3. Swim diapers are required for all children that are not potty trained.
4. Personal inflatable devices or toys (water wings, water guns, etc.) are not allowed in at the WCRC.
5. No coolers, food, glass, or beverages other than water, are allowed on the pool deck.
6. Certified lifeguards are on duty at all times.
7. In the event of lightning or thunder, the pool will close for 30 minutes from the last strike.
8. The pool must close for at least 30 minutes in the event of vomit or defecation. You will not be entitled to additional swim time unless the pools close longer than 1 hour.

\_\_\_\_\_ **Initial that you have read and understand the pool policies and procedures.**

### Party Day Details

1. The party room is only reserved for one (1) hour and pool swim time is only reserved for two (2) hours. The pool will not be closed to the public during the party.
2. Parties do not include a party/room host. On arrival, our will staff help you find your party room.
3. The host family is responsible for general clean up after their party. Failure to do so, will incur an additional cleaning fee.
4. The party room is reserved for a specific time and available for set up 10 minutes prior to your room time.
5. Open flames are not permitted in the WCRC, including Sterno burners.
6. Piñatas, silly string, glitter or confetti are not allowed .
7. Explosive devices containing glitter/sequins and/or confetti are not allowed in the WCRC.
8. No alcoholic beverages allowed.
9. Parties will not have access to a kitchen, coolers, freezers, or "prep space."

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### Orange and Blue Waterslide Operating Policies

1. All riders must be at least **48"** tall for both slides ( We check riders to make sure they meet this height requirement)
2. All Riders must ride feet first while lying on their on their back with arms crossed across their chest. Do not go down the slide head first. Do not sit up while riding the slide.
3. Riders must enter the slide in a sitting position and wait for instructions from the lifeguard.
4. Only one rider at a time. Absolutely no trains or chain of riders are permitted.
5. No running, standing, kneeling, rotating, tumbling or stopping in the flume. Arms and hands must remain inside the flume at all times. Riders should remain in proper riding position until forward movement is terminated. At no time should the rider attempt to stand up while on the slide or prior to coming to a complete to stop in the splash out area.
6. No combs or foreign objects are allowed in pockets and no jewelry can be worn while riding the slide. No cut-off jeans or swim wear with exposed zippers, buckles, rivets or metal ornamentations; only approved swim suits allowed.
7. No diving from the slide

\_\_\_\_\_ **Initial that you have read and understand the waterslide policy.**

### WCRC Climbing Wall Operating Policy

1. Swimmers only may use the climbing wall upon verification of passing the WCRC swim test. Those who have not passed are not permitted to use the climbing wall. Only one climber is allowed on the climbing wall at a time.
2. Climbers must read, understand, and obey all posted rules, instructions and warnings.
3. Only feet-first entries are allowed when entering in the water. No exceptions!
4. Climbers may not use the wall without the direct supervision of a lifeguard in close proximity of the structure.
5. Climb must begin from the water.

\_\_\_\_\_ **Initial that you have read and understand the climbing wall policy.**

### Swim Test Policy

For complete access to the Lap Pool, Water Basketball, as well as the Climbing Wall an individual must:

1. Complete a full 25-yard swim demonstrating a coordinated stroke with rhythmic breathing and kicking.
2. Perform a front facing total entry with a submersion and recovery. Demonstrate complete comfort in finding the surface upon submersion by turning to the nearest exit point.
3. Upon successful completion of the submersion test the individual will then have to tread water comfortably for 30 continuous seconds.
4. Lastly, the individual must demonstrate the ability to independently exit the deep end of the pool with no hook, hold, grab or ladder-based assist.
5. When the lap pool is the only public swim aquatic space available, swimmers who have not passed the swim test successfully will be required to use a lifejacket at all times.
6. Swimmers may only attempt the WCRC Swim Test once per visit to the recreation center.

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### Code of Conduct Policy

1. The WCRC is dedicated to providing a safe and welcoming environment for all members and guests. To promote safety and comfort for all, all individuals are asked to act appropriately at all times when in our facility or participating in our programs.
2. We expect all members to act maturely, to behave responsibly, and to respect the rights and dignity of others. Our Code of Conduct outlines prohibited action, but the actions listed below are not an all-inclusive list of behaviors considered inappropriate in our facilities or programs.
3. Use of alcohol or illegal chemicals on WCRC property, in WCRC vehicles, or at WCRC-sponsored programs is strictly prohibited.
4. All WCRC property has a strict tobacco-free, e-cigs, and vaping-free policy.
5. Carrying or concealing a weapon or any device or object that may be used as a weapon is strictly prohibited.
6. Harassment, bullying, or intimidation by words, gestures, body language, or any type of menacing behavior will not be tolerated.
7. WCRC has a zero tolerance for verbally abusive behavior, including angry or vulgar language, swearing, name-calling, or shouting.
8. WCRC has a zero tolerance for physical contact with another person in an angry, aggressive, or threatening way.
9. Children under the age of 12 must be accompanied by an adult (18 years or older) at all times.
10. Sexually explicit conversation or behavior and sexual contact with another person will not be tolerated.
11. Inappropriate, immodest, opaque, or sexually revealing attire is prohibited.
12. Theft or behavior that results in the destruction or loss of property will result in prosecution.
13. Loitering within or on the grounds of the WCRC is prohibited.
14. Solicitation within or on the grounds of the WCRC is prohibited.

\_\_\_\_\_ **Initial that you have read and understand the code of conduct policy**

### Wrist Band Policy

1. Each party reservation will receive colored wrist bands upon check-in the day of the party.
2. The amount of wrist bands given will correlate to the capacity of each room: Blue Water: 27 Salt Water: 25 and Both rooms: 52.
3. All Individuals participating in the pool party MUST wear the wristbands at all times during the event whether they're swimming or not. (This includes WCRC members & guests)
4. If a WCRC member wants to stay longer after the party, they must check back in at the front desk.
5. After the party has ended, PLEASE do not leave wristbands laying on the pool deck or in the party rooms.

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- In addition, the WCRC reserves the right to deny access or membership to any person who has been accused or convicted of any crime involving sexual abuse, is or has been a registered sex offender, has ever been convicted of any offense relating to the use, sale, possession, or transportation of narcotics or habit forming and/or dangerous drugs, or is presently under the influence of dangerous drugs, chemicals, narcotics, or intoxicating beverages.
- Anyone failing to follow posted rules or directions from staff is subject to immediate removal from the premises.
- Members & guests are encouraged to take responsibility for their personal comfort and safety by asking any person whose behavior threatens their comfort to refrain from such behavior. Anyone who feels uncomfortable in confronting a person directly should report the behavior to a staff person immediately.

Printed Name \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

***The above signee agrees they have read this document in it's entirety and accepts responsibility for all dependents and guests.***