

## **Marion Outdoor Pool Rules**

These rules are implemented to ensure the safety and comfort of pool users. For children, please pay particular attention to the Watch around Water safety rules below.

- A number of safety rules to avoid behaviour that may result in danger to yourself or to others: no backflips, backdives or bombs; no shoulder rides or dunking; no tennis or hard balls allowed in the pools; no pushing and no running on paved areas or around the pool; no diving in the smaller pools or in shallow water
- The Marion Outdoor Swimming Centre is a smoke, vape and alcohol free area, and anyone under the influence of alcohol or drugs is not permitted in the Centre
- Regarding hygiene, please use the shower and toilet facilities prior to entering the pool. If you have suffered any diarrhea within the last two weeks, please refrain from using the pool to avoid the spread of infection.
- o Abusive, disruptive or offensive behaviour and language are not permitted
- o Appropriate swimwear to be worn by all patrons, including small children
- o Please refrain from eating in or near the water
- No glass containers or objects
- No pets or animals permitted into the Centre with the exception of Guide dogs
- No cameras in the public change rooms
- Only persons approved in writing by the Centre are permitted to conduct coaching and private lessons at the Centre
- For lap swimming, please choose an appropriate swimming lane as signposted and keep to the left
- Management reserves the right to refuse entry



**Watch around Water safety rules** Watch Around Water is an educational and public awareness raising campaign to address the growing concern regarding supervision of children at public aquatic facilities.

**Children under 5 years old:** must be accompanied into the Centre by a responsible parent / guardian; must be constantly and actively supervised during recreational play within arm's reach

**Children under 10 years old:** must be accompanied into the Centre by a responsible adult (over 16yrs min), and must be constantly and actively supervised within line of sight at all times

**Children over 10 years old:** parents must use their knowledge of the child's swimming ability and general development to determine the level of accompaniment required.

Any unsupervised child will be removed from the water. An unsupervised child of poor swimming ability, regardless of age, will be removed from the water if there is concern for the safety of the child.



