THE KROGER AQUATIC CENTER AT THE HEIGHTS

2021 Handbook

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Dear Friends,

The YMCA of Greater Dayton and the City of Huber Heights are eagerly awaiting the days of summer and a fun-filled season at the Aquatic Center. We are confident you and your family will love this facility. You will find that our goal is to provide a safe, clean environment, where you can enjoy the days of summer. The rules and guidelines set forth in this handbook will help us to maintain a healthy environment. Your safety and satisfaction are our greatest concerns. If you have any questions or concerns, please let us know.

**Hours of Operation**

*Open annually Saturday of Memorial Day weekend through Labor Day*

Monday-Sunday 12:00pm-8:00pm

*If Huber Heights City Schools are in session*

Saturday and Sunday Only 12:00pm-8:00pm

There will be no refunds due to the patron should the pool close for any reason.

**Monday, Wednesday and Sunday- will be Resident’s and Season Pass Holders only**

12-1pm – Season pass holders will always check in first, then residents may check in with proper ID.

1pm – 8pm-- General Admissions except Monday, Wednesday, and Sundays

We will have a cut off for Capacity due to restrictions for COVID.

Covid Policies will apply and posted in the facility.
2021 Season Pass Rates

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(tax is not included)

Definition of a Family for Season Passes

Family season passes include 4 family members with each additional youth family member costing $10.00 each. A family is defined as either two adults in a household and two children under the age of 18, or single adult and 1-3 children under the age of 18 residing in the same household or claimed on their most recent federal income tax return (proof may be required at time of purchase). Neighbors, visitors, baby sitters, etc. are not included. Anyone 18 and over and not in high school are required to purchase an adult pass.

Season Pass Cards

Season Pass cards must be presented for entry.

Season Pass cards are non-transferable and must only be used by the purchaser.

Borrowed Season Pass cards will be invalidated with no refund of fees.

There will be a $5 charge for replacement membership cards.

Membership card will not be given out until the member’s picture is taken.

Day Pass Rates

Guests who are not season pass members may use the pool daily for the following rate per day. Day Pass fees are non-refundable.

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(60 Years of age or older)

(18-59 years of age)

(3-17 years of age)

(Children two and under are free.)

To receive the resident rate, guests must provide proof of residency. This would include a valid State ID, Driver’s License, utility bill, etc.
A ratio of at least one adult to three children must be maintained for children less than 7 years of age.

Photo Disclaimer

Entry into the Kroger Aquatic Center At The Heights grants permission for use of his/her photograph or video image in advertising and promotion without payment to holder.

Youth Water Safety Policies and Procedures

Swim Test Policy and Patron Identification

An identification system will be used for all patrons to better classify swimmer age and ability. Children ages 7 and under will be given a **Red Necklace** which means that they must be within arm’s reach of an adult at all times. Children ages 8 and 9 that have not passed a swim test will be given a **Yellow Necklace**. Yellow signifies that a parent must be on site and in good visible distance of the child at all times. Any parent wishing to have their child swim tested may do so during adult swim periods.

The swim test will consist of a 25-yard swim followed by a period of unassisted treading in the deep end of the pool. Upon successful completion of the swim test, the child’s name, date of birth, address, and parent name will be logged as a reference for future visits. Children who have completed the swim test will be given a **Green Necklace**.

Children ages 10-15 years old who have not passed the swim test and cannot use the diving board will receive a **PURPLE Bracelet**. This will signify that they can use the facility without an adult onsite.

Swimmers who can pass a swim test:

* Under Age 10: An adult MUST remain on-site at the pool.
  * Age 10 and older: May use the pool on their own but may be required to complete a swim test to access certain areas of the pool. We reserve the right, regardless of participant’s age, to deny access to areas of the facility we deem unsafe for that individuals swimming ability.

Swimmers who are unable to pass a swim test:

* Ages 7 and Under: An adult must always remain within arm’s reach of their child at all times.
  * Ages 8-9 Years: An adult must always remain-on-site at the pool with a reasonable line of sight to the child.
Child wearing a Coast-Guard approved personal flotation device (PFD):

- Parent MUST be on-site but may monitor their child while using another part of the swimming pool. Parent must have a reasonable line of sight to child always.

If a child that cannot swim is not wearing a Coast-Guard approved PFD:

- An adult MUST remain within arm’s reach of their child at all times.

General Facility Policies

- **Lost or Unsupervised Children:** Any child found to be separated from his/her parents and found by Aquatic Center Staff will be reunited with his/her parent or guardian as quickly as possible. At that time the parent will be notified that should the child be found to be unsupervised again throughout the day they will be asked to leave for the day. This will be documented on a patron misconduct form. Should repeat violations happen from the same family they will be subject to permanent ban from the facility.

Any person using slides on the play structure shall ride the slide from a supine (facing up) position with your hands behind your head.

Children 9 and under must be accompanied by an adult or a responsible person 16 years or older.

Infants and toddlers are required to wear swim trunks over swim diapers.

Swim diapers must be worn per the Center for Disease Control (CDC) recommendations. No changing diapers on the pool deck (changing tables are provided in the bathhouse).

The Kroger Aquatic Center at the Heights will follow CDC guidelines for fecal incidents which may include closure of the pool.

We recommended that you not swim alone.

Proper swim attire is required (NO cut off shorts, jeans, jean shorts, sweats or sweatshirts).
Private lounge chairs are permitted in the grass areas of the facility only. Aquatics Center chairs must remain on cement.

**NO COOLERS** are permitted in the facility.

**NO OUTSIDE** food or drinks are allowed in the facility. Food or drink is permitted in authorized areas only. Do not leave belongings at concession tables. Concession tables are available for eating and drinking.

NO alcohol is permitted.

NO smoking permitted on property including e-cigarettes.

Diving in shallow water less than 12 feet deep is prohibited.

Caution shall be exercised in the use of diving boards.

One diver on the diving board at a time.

No competitive dives allowed.

Admission to the facility is refused to all persons having any contagious disease, infectious conditions, and open wounds.

Animals are not permitted in the facility area.

Please **NO VIDEOTAPING**.

Flotation devices must be Coast Guard approved.

No balls, Frisbees, bicycles, scooters, or skateboards are permitted inside the facility.

The City of Huber Heights or the YMCA is not responsible for lost or stolen articles, and The Kroger Aquatic Center at the Heights staff will not hold any personal property at the front counter.

Any obscene language will not be tolerated, inappropriate clothing, or display of unacceptable items will be required to be removed or covered up.

Day Pass guests are only permitted to leave the facility and re-enter the facility **ONE** time per day.
Patrons must have hand stamped prior to exit to be allowed to re-enter. The Kroger Aquatic Center At The Heights staff reserves the right to remove a patron from the facility or ban them from future entry if behavior is deemed to be disruptive to the public use of the facility.

Aquatic Features Guidelines

All patrons are required to follow all posted signs containing guidelines and requirements for each aquatic feature. Height, weight, and age requirements will be firmly enforced.

Pool Closing Policy

Management reserves the right to close the Kroger Aquatic Center at The Heights with no refunds due to the patron for the following reasons:

- Inclement weather.
- Air temperature below 72° at the time of opening.
- Low attendance - Less than 25 Patrons during any one-hour period. Patrons will be provided a one-hour notice that the facility will be closing.
- Water contamination (i.e. fecal accidents, etc.).
- Maintenance issues.

All efforts will be made to announce closings or schedule changes on the facility website. www.hhoh.org

Reopening Policy

If the Kroger Aquatic Center at The Heights is closed due to inclement weather early in the day, the Aquatic Center will stay closed until 3:00pm. At that time, a decision will be made whether to reopen the facility or stay closed for the remainder of the day. If the facility re-opens, the hours will be 4:00pm-8:00pm.
**Lightning Policy**

The Kroger Aquatic Center at The Heights is continuously monitoring weather patterns through an electronic lightning detection system. This system can detect storms up to 100 miles away.

Please understand, the safety of our patrons is our highest concern. Therefore, if thunder and/or lightning are detected within 20 miles, the pool will be evacuated until thirty minutes after the last thunder is heard. If thunder or lightning occurs again within the thirty-minute period, another thirty-minute time limit goes into effect.

**Pool Breaks**

Pool breaks will occur at 15 minutes before the top of every hour. All patrons 17 years of age and younger must exit the pool for a 15-minute break. Patrons may not sit on the edge and must remain 6 feet away from the pool during a pool break. The splash pad is exempt from this rule.

**Adult Swim**

Patrons 18 years of age or older are permitted in the pool during pool breaks. Children under 5 years old may be with an adult during adult swims but must be within an arm’s length of the adult who must be in the water with them at all times. The child must be under direct supervision of the adult.

**Party Rentals –**

Wondering where to host your summer party celebrations? The Kroger Aquatic Center at the Heights is a great place! There are two options for hosting a party at the Aquatic Center. Party rentals are available 7 days a week.

You supply the guests; we set you up on an Island in the middle of the lazy river with a personal lifeguard host. For 3 hours you will have a private swimming area along with access to the remainder of the park. Limit of 20 guests. Your party will also receive 5 large pizzas and four 2-liters of pop. Must cancel within 48 hours or no refund will be given. Payment is due when reserving the island.

Due to inclement weather parties can be cancelled we will notify party as soon as possible and try to get party rescheduled as soon as possible.
COST: Island Party $300 due at booking

To reserve a party, all fees must be paid at time of reservation. Parties must cancel 48 hours in advance, or no refund will be given.

Rental guests are permitted to bring a birthday cake for their guests, but no other food or drinks are permitted to be carried in.

The Kroger Aquatic center has a concession stand available during regular pool hours. They sell pizza, nachos, pretzels, hotdogs, brats and a wide variety of snacks and candy. They also carry a wide variety of drinks.

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