

Wellington Park HOA Newsletter May 21, 2020

2020 Pool News:

I know the talk of the neighborhood is about when our pool will open. I apologize for not communicating sooner but there is still some information we don't know yet as we are regulated by the state not only for the pool but now for Phase 2 Covid requirements. Although the board has been working on putting a plan together to ensure everyone's safety, we are still waiting on other entities to give us information that will affect when we can open.

First & foremost, we must have a pool attendant at the pool each day to manage the water quality which is standard practice regardless of Covid. At this time, we do not have a pool attendant - you may have seen the signs advertising for one. Until we have secured an attendant, we cannot open. If you know anyone who would be interested in working as an attendant, they can apply on the Pool Professionals website.

Until then, we have arranged for the pool, pool deck and clubhouse restrooms to be cleaned and ready to open, when other safety items are completed and ready.

Some of the recommended safety items we are implementing to maximize everyone's health and safety include installing touchless soap & towel dispensers in the bathrooms and a touchless hand sanitizer unit at the entrance. These items are in high demand and we are waiting to hear when the company will be able to install them. If we can't get them in the next few days, we may still open but will have alternatives to use in the meantime.

Pool hours will be reduced due to the need for extra cleaning and limited attendant time. We will also decrease the number of people in the pool area to 36, per phase 2 rules. To ensure everyone has an opportunity to use the pool, we will initially limit visits to 2 hours. Additionally, only one family will be allowed in the bathroom at a time.

We have limited the number of pool chairs to 36. If you use a chair or a table, please use the disinfectant spray that will be available to clean the area before you leave. There will be a sign in sheet to keep track of the number of people in attendance.

We are encouraging people to wear masks when they are not in the pool and to bring your own hand sanitizer and disinfectant wipes in case the pool supply runs out. We appreciate you not bringing guests during this phase of opening as well.

Signs will be posted to remind you of the rules but we must rely on everyone's cooperation. Anyone violating the rules or harassing the Pool Pros attendant will be suspended from using the pool for one month. The Pool Pros attendant is there to make sure the chemicals in the pool are at appropriate levels, keep the bathrooms tidy and replace needed materials. They are not making the rules but helping to enforce them.

If you see someone consistently violating the rules or have questions contact our Sentry Community Manager Amy Johnson at <u>ajohnson@sentrymgt.com</u>.

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