

Donaldson Run Recreation Association

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2023

Handbook

Season Dates

May 13th - Sept 17th

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Elizabeth Draeger Award Recipients

For exemplary volunteer service

1989 Barbara Casio	1990 John Duran
1991 Fred Jonasz	1992 Charles Magee
1993 Alyce Lovelace	1994 Richard Hanneman
1995 Krista Amason, Iris Beckwith	1996 Bruce Hayes, Ellen Carter
1997 Rob Carter	1998 Lucia Levendis
1999 Howard Beales	2000 Bill Shontell
2001 Karen Hanneman	2002 Warren Amason
2003 Bob Ballen	2004 Beth Bailey
2005 Alyce Lovelace	2006 Stuart Raphael
2007 Gwyneth and Scott Radloff	2008 Ken Carpenter, Nita Wade
2009 Tony and Pam Taylor	2010 Rose Kehoe
2011 Madeline & Steve Fleckenstein	2012 Linda Griggs
2013 Ken Longnecker	2014 Kris Marceca
2015 Samantha Trainum	2016 Laura Weiberg
2017 June Ventura	2018 John Gustafson
2019 Mike Griffin	2020 Madeline Fleckenstein
2021 Christy Evans	2022 Michael Ledford, Trish Madden

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The handbook is for use by the members and staff of the Association.

Using it for socialization is not allowed.

EVENTS & ACTIVITIES		
Water Aerobics	6:15 am-7:00 am	June 1-Aug 31 T, TH
Water Aerobics	6:30 am-7:30 am	May 22-Sept 8 M.W.F
Midday Water Aerobics	11:15 am-12:00 pm	June 13-July 21 T, F
Swim Team clinics /lessons	11:15 am - 12:00 pm	June 19-July 14 M,W,TH
Swim or Private Dive lessons		For a list of instructors and info, visit drra.org
SOCIAL EVENTS		
Adult Sunday Brunch(18)	9:00 am-12:00 pm	Every Sunday
Annual Trivia night	7 :00 pm - 10:00 pm	May 20
Memorial Day Picnic (2)	12:00 pm -3:00 pm	May 29 DRRA closed at 7pm
First Friday-East vs West Coast IPA	5:00 pm- 8:00 pm	June 2
Lobster Feast	7:00 pm - 11:00 pm	June 24
July 4th picnic(2)	12:00 pm-3:00 pm	July 4 DRRA closed at 7pm
First Friday -New vs Old world wines	5:00 pm- 8:00 pm	July 7
Taste of Donaldson Run	6:00 pm-9:00 pm	July 29
First Friday-Favorite Virginia Beer and Wine	5:00 pm- 8:00 pm	Aug 4
First Friday - Classic European Beer	4:00 pm-6:30 pm	Sept 1 DRRA closed at 7pm
Labor Day Picnic (2)	12:00 pm-3:00 pm	Sept 4 DRRA closed at 7pm
Food Truck Fridays	June 16,July 14	5pm-7pm
All dates and times are subject to changes and cancellations. For the most current information, visit drra.org , Calendar.		

1. Sunday Brunch is open to adults 18 yrs old and above ONLY. *Children are allowed in the facility at noon.* Participants who wish to eat at the brunch should bring a brunch item to share with everyone; coffee & tea are provided.
2. Holiday Picnic - hamburgers, hotdogs, veggie burgers, and beverages are provided. Bring a side, main, or dessert dish to share. 12:00-3:00 pm. **DRRA closed at 7:00 pm.**

Dive Team Schedule

Note- please see drra.org for away B meets

- **May 22 Dive practice begins tentative 6 pm-8 pm**
- **Thur June 15 intersquad home meet 6pm-8pm**
- **Tue Jun 20, Dive Meet- Hayfield @ DRRRA 6 pm - 9 pm**
- **Tue Jun 27, Dive meet -Overlee @ DRRRA 6 pm - 9 pm**
- **Wed Jul 5, Dive Meet -DRRA @Walden Glen 6 pm**
- **Thu Jul 6, Dive B Meet - **proposed** 4 pm - 8 pm**
- **Sunday, July 9, Wally Martin - @ Oak Marr Rec Center 8 am**
- **Tue Jul 11, 6 pm - 9 pm Dive Meet - Kent Gardens @ DRRRA**
- **Sun Jul 16, Cracker Jack @ Ravensworth Farm, 8 am**
- **Tue July 18, Dive meet, DRRRA @ Hunt Valley, 6 pm**
- **Thu Jul 20, Dive B Meet - **proposed** 4 pm - 8 pm**
- **Sun Jul 23, Dive Team Divisional 6 am - 2 pm**
- **Sun Jul 23, Dive Team Picnic - End of Season 5 pm - 9 pm**
- **Wed Jul 26-28, All-star practice 11 am-1 pm**
- **Sun Jul 30, All stars @ Oakton 8 am**

Swim Team Schedule

- **Sun May 14, Swim Team Ice Cream Social 3 pm - 5 pm**
- **Mon May 15, DR Swim Team Starts 3:30 pm - 6 pm**
- **Mon May 22, Thundersquad Team Starts 4:20 pm - 5:50 pm**
- **Fri Jun 9, Thundersquad Time Trials 4 pm - 6 pm**
- **Sat Jun 10, Thunderbolt Time Trials 8 am - 12 pm**
- **Mon Jun 12, Home B Meet (Fort Myer) 5 pm - 9 pm**
- **Sat Jun 17, A Swim Meet at Chesterbrook 8 am - 11:30 am**
- **Mon Jun 19, Home B Meet (Overlee) 5pm - 9pm**
- **Sat Jun 24, A Meet at Tuckahoe 8 am - 12 pm**
- **Thu Jun 29, Swim Team Cake Bake Off 5 pm - 6 pm**
- **Sat Jul 1, A Meet v. Highlands @ DRRRA 8 am - 12 pm**
- **Mon Jul 3, Intrasquad / IM Meet Holiday Special @ DRRRA 6 pm - 8 pm**
- **Sat Jul 8, A Meet v. McLean @ DRRRA 8 am - 12 pm**
- **Mon Jul 10, Home B Meet (Arlington Forest) 5 pm - 9 pm**
- **Fri Jul 14, Lip Sync Contest 5 pm - 7 pm**
- **Sat Jul 15, A Meet at Overlee 8 am - 12 pm**
- **Sat Jul 22, Swim Team Pool Party / Banquet 6 pm - 9 pm**
- **Mon Jul 24-28, All-star practice 9 am - 11 am**

General Operating Hours

The manager on duty has the discretion to adjust or remove Lap lanes at any time

Hours	Weekdays (May 15-June 16)	Target Lap Lanes
	Activity	
5:30a-9:00a	Open to adults only (<i>bathhouse closed at 9am</i>)	
5:30a-8:45a	Early Bird Lap Swim	6
6:15a-7:00a	Water Aerobics- T & Th (starts June 1)	<i>shallow end</i>
6:30a-7:30a	Water Aerobics - M, W, F (starts May 22)	<i>shallow end</i>
2:00p-9:00p ^{1,2,3}	Open to all members and guests	
2:00p-3:30p ^{2,3}	General Swim (one dive board open)	4
3:30p-4:00p	Adult Lap Swim Lanes 5 & 6 & Swim Team Practice Lanes 1-4 (dive closed)	2
4:00p-6:00p	Swim Team Practice	0
6:00p-8:00p	Dive Team Practice begins May 22	0
8:00p-8:45p	General swim	2

1-See Holidays for Memorial Day

2-June 13 & 16 Midday aerobics starts 11:00 -12:00 shallow end

3-June 15 & 16 Pool open at 12:00 pm

Hours	Weekdays (June 19- July 28) ¹	Target Lap Lanes
	Activity	
5:30-7:30a	Open to adults only	
5:30a-7:30a ¹	Adult Early Bird Swim is open to adults only	6
6:15a-7:00a	Adult Water Aerobics-T, TH	<i>shallow end</i>
6:30a-7:30a	Adult Water Aerobics – M, W, TH	<i>shallow end</i>
7:30a-8:00a	Adult Early Bird Lap Swim in lanes 5 & -6 and Swim Team Practice in lanes 1-4	2
8:00a-12:00p ²	Swim Team Practice (dive team uses dive well @ 11:15)	0
11:15a-12:00p	Midday Water Aerobics - T & F (ends 7/21)	<i>shallow end</i>
11:15a-12:00	swim lessons,clinics ,private lesson M,W,TH	0
11:15a-1:30p ^{3&5}	Dive Practice (dive well closed)	0
12:00p-9:00p	Open to all members and guests*	
12:00p-1:30p ²	General Swim (no open dive)	0
1:35p-5:55p	General Swim	2
6:00p-8:00p ⁶	Dive Team Practice M-W-F (no open dive)	2
8:05p-8:45p	Two diving boards open	2

1-July 24-28-Early bird extended to 9 am

2-July 24-28 -swim team practice for All-star only 9 am-11 am

5- July 24-28- dive team practice for all star only 11:00 am -1:00 pm

6- July 24-28- no dive team pm practice

Weekdays (July 31 -Aug 10)		Target Lap Lanes
Hours	Activity	
5:30a-9:00am	Open to adults only (<i>bathhouse closed at 9am</i>)	
5:30a-8:45a	Early Bird Lap Swim	6
6:15a-7:00a	Adult Water Aerobics -T & TH	
6:30a-7:30a	Water Aerobics - M, W, F	
10:00a-9:00¹p	Open to all members and guests	
10:00a-8:45p	General Swimming	2
1-Aug 10th, pool closed at 8pm for staff party		
Weekdays (Aug 14 -Aug 25)		Target Lap Lanes
Hours	Activity	
5:30a-9:00am	Open to adults only	
5:30a-8:45a	Early Bird Lap Swim	6
6:15a-7:00a	Adult Water Aerobics -T & TH	
6:30a-7:30a	Water Aerobics - M, W, F	
12:00a-9:00p	Open to all members and guests	
12:00a-8:45p	General Swimming	2
Weekdays (Aug 28-Sept 15) ¹		Target Lap Lanes
Hours	Activity	
5:30a-9:00a²	Open to Adults Only	
5:30a-8:45a²	Adult Early Bird Lap Swim	6
6:15a-7:00a^{2&3}	Water Aerobics- M,W,F (last day 9/8)	
6:30a-7:30a^{2&3}	Water Aerobics - T,TH (last day 8/31)	
4:00p-7:00p⁴	Open to all members and guests	
4:00p-6:45p	General Swim (one low dive open)	4

1-hours and time may change if we have limited staff

2-Early Bird may be canceled or hours limited if staffing is unavailable

3- snack bar will be closed Monday-Thursday

4- APS starts Aug 28

	Saturdays	Target Lap Lanes
Hours	Activity	
8:00a-10:00a	Open to Adults ONLY	
8:00a-10:00a^{1&2}	Adult Swim	6
10:00a-9:00p*	Open to all members and guests	
10:00a-8:45p^{3&4}	General Swimming (after Aug 26, 6:45 pm)	2

- 1- Opening at 1 pm on days of home swim meets
- 2-May 13th, **no Adult swim**, due to lifeguard in-service⁴
- 3-May 13th, pool open at **12 pm due** to lifeguard in-service training
- 4-After Aug 26th DRRA closed at 7:00 pm -General swim ends at 6:45 pm

	Sundays	Target Lap Lanes
Hours	Activity	
8:00a-12:00a^{1&3&2}	Open to Adults ONLY	
8:00a – 9:00a	Adult lap swim	6
9:00a-11:55p	Adult Sunday Brunch	6
12:00p-9:00p³⁻⁴	Open to all members and guests	
12:00p-8:45p	General Swimming (starting Aug 27, 6:45 pm)	2

- 1- All areas inside fence grounds are open to adults 18 and above only. No children allowed
- 2- starting Aug 27, the facility closes at 7:00 pm – General swim ends at 6:45 pm
- 3- July 23 facility closed 6am -1 2pm NO sunday brunch
- 4- Sept 17th DRRA closes at 5:00 pm-our last day to break down the pool

	Holidays Memorial Day, Independence Day, Labor Day	Target Lap Lanes
Pool Hours	Activity	
5:30a-9:00a	Open to Adults Only	
5:30a-9:00a	Adult Lap swim	6
6:15a-7:00a	Adult Water Aerobics – Monday class	6
6:30-7:30a	Adult Water Aerobics - Tuesday class	
10:00a- 7:00p	open to all members	
12p -3:00p	Holiday Picnic *	0
10:00a-6:45p	General swim (all diving boards open)	0

*picnic- burgers, dogs, veggie burger, chips, provided, bring a side to share

NO GUEST ALL DAY Memorial day and Labor day
JULY 4th guest allowed \$15 pp no prepaid guest passes allowed

OPERATING RULES AND REGULATIONS

The following rules and regulations are for the protection and benefit of all members and their guests. They are designed to ensure safe and sanitary operations of your Association's facilities and include safety and health requirements contained in County ordinances. Members are requested to instruct their children and guests to observe all rules and regulations and to obey all instructions of the Pool Managers and lifeguards. Failure to comply with these rules shall be considered sufficient cause for suspension of privileges as specified in these Rules and Regulations and in the Bylaws of your Association.

B. Notes to Schedule

1. Wading Pool. On weekday mornings, when swim and dive practice are held, the wading pool is open and may be used by siblings ages five and under, accompanied by an adult; during that time, the swimmer/diver is engaged in the practice.
2. Swim Meets.
 - On those Saturdays when competitive swim meets are held at the pool, the pool will open for general swimming at approximately 1:00 p.m. or at the Pool Manager's discretion.
 - On weekday evenings (generally Mondays), when competitive swim meets are held at the pool, the pool will close for the evening at 4:45 p.m.
 - See Swim Team Schedule at drra.org for scheduled dates and note that times can change due to weather-related delays, cancellations, or other circumstances.
3. Dive Meets.
 - On those weekdays (generally Tuesdays) when competitive dive meets are held at the pool, the dive well will close at 4:00 p.m., and both the main pool and wading pool will close for general swimming at 5:45 p.m.
 - On weekdays (generally Thursdays) when developmental meets are held, only the dive well will close at 4:00 p.m.
 - When hosting large events such as Wally Martin and Divisionals, the facility may remain closed all-day.
 - See Swim and Dive Team Schedule at drra.org, for scheduled dates. Times can change due to weather-related delays, cancellations, or other circumstances.

C. Lap Swimming

1. Lanes allocated for lap swimming areas are marked with lane lines.
2. Select the lane appropriate to your speed. Slower swimmers should choose the lane nearest the wall.
3. If there are more than 2 people per lane, circle swimming is in effect. Swim to the right of the black line painted on the bottom of the pool or guided by the lane lines.
4. When swimmers of different abilities share the same lane, slower swimmers should pause momentarily when they reach the wall (keeping to the right), so faster swimmers may go ahead.
5. To pass a slower swimmer, pass at the end of each lap, after tapping the foot of the swimmer in front.
6. If more than one swimmer is in a lane, please do not use hand paddles.
7. Lap swimming lanes should not be used for racing or for standing and visiting.
8. Complaints or suggestions for revised scheduling should be given to the Manager for consideration by the Board.
9. Adults are given preference in the use of lap lanes.
10. The Pool Managers may change the targeted configuration of swimming lanes as appropriate to accommodate demands for the use of the pool with deference to guidelines in Rule I. A.

D. Admission to Pool Area for Members and Guests

1. The pool area (also called facility) is defined as the area inside the fence surrounding the main pool, wading pool, and bathhouse.
2. Admission to the pool is based on current member information available on file.
3. Before 6:00 PM:
 - a. Children under the age of 13 who have not passed the basic swim test must be accompanied by a person 16 years of age or older;
 - b. Children between 5 and 8 (i.e., they have passed their 5th birthday but have not yet reached their 8th birthday) who have passed the basic swim test must be accompanied by someone 13 years or older.
 - c. Children between 8 and 13 (i.e., they have passed their 8th birthday but have not reached their 13th birthday) who have passed the basic swim test may enter the pool alone by signing the pool register.
4. After 6:00 PM, all children under 13 must be accompanied by a member of the Association or by a babysitter (16 years of age or older).

5. Basic Swimming Test

- a. The basic swimming test consists of swimming 60 feet freestyle, floating, or treading water for one minute, then a 360 turn and exiting the pool.
- b. The required feats must be performed to demonstrate the swimmer's ability to use the pool safely.
- c. Arrangements for this test can be made with the pool management.
- d. A Manager and/or lifeguard can request a swim test be completed by all those whom they deem questionable about their swimming abilities.

6. Guests

- a. Approval in advance is required to bring more than **eight** guests. Please call the front desk in advance for approval. Approval may be denied if the pool is at capacity or understaffed. If you wish to reserve the picnic area, see Rule I-I.
- b. The guest fee is \$10 per person, **except on the 4th of July** when it is \$15 per person. (no pre-purchased guest passes will be accepted on this date).
- c. Reduced-price prepaid guest passes may be purchased at the time of registration only and do not carry over from year to year.
- d. No guest fee is charged for children under one year of age.
- e. No guests are allowed on Memorial Day or Labor Day.
- f. Members must accompany their guests and leave when the member leaves – Exceptions are those with Board Member passes.
- g. Babysitters and Adult Caregivers - A pass for babysitters and adult caregivers is available for **\$100** for the season (**\$50** for August/September members) for use by the regular sitter or caregiver whose name is registered at the pool. The babysitter must be accompanied by the member he/she is hired to supervise.
- h. Board of Director Passes - In recognition of their contribution to pool management, members of the Board of Directors shall receive guest passes issued by the Pool President.
- i. Emeritus Members - former shareholding members who are age 63 or older - as of the pool opening date (an emeritus member) and their spouses: may, upon payment of the guest fee, enter the facility. They are allowed up to 10 additional paying guests per season.
- j. President Passes - with the consultation of the Board of Directors - the Pool President shall have the authority to issue pool passes on an exception basis to address special situations.
- k. Early bird swim is designed as an adult program for serious lap swimming. Any temporary exceptions to age can be discussed with the lifeguard on duty and adjusted at their discretion.
- l. Limitation on Guests at Early Bird Swim - No member may bring more than two guests to Early Bird Swim. Prepaid guest passes are required (NO CASH).
- m. Guests may reenter the pool with a member the same day without additional

charges.

E. Authorized Pool Programs

1. The following programs are authorized to use the pool; all other revenue-producing aquatic activities must be approved by the Board of Directors.
 - i. NVSL Summer Swim Team
 - ii. NVSL Summer Dive Team
 - iii. Pool Approved Swim & Dive Instruction (see Rule I-H)
 - iv. DRRA Fitness Programs
 - a. Water Aerobics

F. Swimming and Diving Instruction - visit drra.org activities for information

1. Swimming and diving private lesson fees must be paid to the Association (not to individual instructors) at the time of registration.
2. The swimming and diving private lesson program is subject to the oversight of the Pool Manager and subject to the following requirements:
 - a. Swimming and diving groups and private lessons offered at the pool may be offered only by approved employees of DRRA.
 - b. All private swimming and diving lessons are scheduled through the lesson instructor. Contact information is posted on drra.org.
 - c. The Pool Manager will establish minimum training and certification requirements for swimming and diving instructors and determine the eligibility of DRRA employees to provide swim and dive lessons.
 - d. The Pool Manager may limit the number of private swimming and diving lessons offered at the pool at any time and the number of students being taught by an instructor at any time.
3. As space permits, the grandchildren of shareholding (voting) members who are not residents in the member's home may participate in private swimming lessons.
4. Red Cross Life Saving and Water Safety classes may be taught if there are sufficient requests. All requests for such classes shall be made through the Pool Manager.

H. Picnic Area

1. The picnic tables may be reserved on a first-come, first-served basis. Call or stop by the front desk and complete the reservation request form. Requests are granted by the Pool Managers based on size, date, time, and other events at the time. Requests may be denied due to space and daily occupancy.
2. Reservations of less than 20 people need to be requested at least one week in advance. Reservations of 20 people or more need to be requested at least two weeks in advance. There is a maximum of 50 total attendees, members and guests.
3. All reservations are subject to the approval of the Pool Managers.

I. SWIMMING POOL HEALTH AND SAFETY

- A. Authority of Pool Managers and Staff to Protect the Health and Safety of Pool Users and to Enforce These Rules and Regulations.
 - i. General Authority of Staff - The Pool Managers, lifeguards, and other staff are in full charge of the pool and are authorized to enforce the Association's rules and regulations and to take actions to protect the safety of pool users.
 - ii. Authority to Close Pool - The Pool Manager on duty may close the pool area in the interest of safety and when weather conditions dictate.
 - iii. Eviction of Members or Guests - The Pool Managers on duty may evict for the remainder of the day any member or guest who:
 - does not comply with the rules and regulations of the Association or
 - argues with or does not obey the instructions of pool staff.
 - iv. Supervision of Volunteers – The Pool Managers have full authority over all volunteers assisting with any activity on pool premises. Under no circumstances shall volunteers have direct supervisory authority over minors.
 - v. Suspension of Members or Guests - The Pool Managers may extend the suspension period of a person evicted from the pool for up to six days thereafter.
- B. No person shall use the pool facilities unless the pool is officially open and lifeguards are on duty.
- C. All bathers shall take a shower bath using soap and warm water and thoroughly rinse off all soapsuds before entering the pools. All bathers leaving the pool area for any reason shall shower before returning to the pool. Also, bathers should shower before entering the pool after long periods of sunbathing.

- D. Any person who has a skin disease, nasal or ear discharge, inflamed eyes, or any communicable disease, or who is wearing any kind of bandage may not enter the pool.
- E. Persons having any considerable area of exposed sub-epidermal tissue, open cuts, blisters, etc., are warned that these are apt to become infected and are advised not to use the pool.
- F. The blowing of the nose and expectoration in the pool is prohibited.
- G. All persons are requested to stay clear of lifeguard stands.
- H. Articles of food, including candy and soft drinks, are allowed only in designated areas, and are not allowed on Pool decks.
- I. No glass of any kind is allowed on the DRRR property.**
- J. No chewing gum is allowed in the pool area.
- K. Smoking /vaping is prohibited anywhere on the grounds of DRRR.
- L. Admission to the DRRR shall be denied to anyone appearing to be under the influence of alcohol, drugs, or otherwise disruptive.
- M. No food or drinks are allowed on pool decks at any time (except for plastic water bottles refillable metal/plastic water bottles) .No Aluminum cans of any kind, including those containing water or flavored waters.
- N. Anyone entering the DRRR whose actions may be detrimental to the health and safety of any person or to himself shall be asked to leave the area.
- O. All bathers are cautioned not to become over-fatigued. A rest period is called for 10 to 15 minutes of each hour; all children under the age of 15 shall leave the main pool water until the rest period has been terminated by the Pool Managers or the lifeguards.
- P. Running, pushing, wrestling, ball playing, or causing an undue disturbance, or performing actions that are considered by the Lifeguard or Pool Manager to be detrimental to the health or safety of members or their guests is prohibited.
- Q. Approved flotation devices in the main pool (provided the pools are not too crowded, at the manager's discretion):
 - i. Coast Guard certified vests or "puddle jumpers."A responsible adult must remain in the water within arm's length of the child, wearing the life vest at all times.
 - ii. pool noodle
 - iii. kickboards for lap swimming or in use as a teaching device
 - iv. water walking equipment
 - v. ALL other Floats are prohibited in the pool except when permission is granted by the Pool Manager on special occasions, such as float nights.
- R. Outdoor sporting equipment is prohibited in the pool, including soft or hard footballs, soccer balls, baseballs, and kites.

- S. Round fabric soft water balls, SMALL torpedoes, and SMALL squirt guns are permitted in the pools when there is a limited number of people in the pool, and it does not disturb other members. *Lifeguards have the right to revoke usage when they see the need.*
- T. Facemask is not permitted at any pools
- U. Persons unable to pass the basic swimming test should not enter deep water. See Section I, K-5 defining the basic swimming test.
- V. Bathers shall not swim in the diving area.
- W. All persons shall stay clear of ladders except when entering or leaving the pool.
- V. No pets of any kind are permitted in the pool area while open. Never leave pets unattended in vehicles or tethered anywhere at DRRRA.
- W. No wheeled vehicles (except strollers or wheelchairs) or playpens are allowed in the main pool area.
- X. When driving into the DRRRA parking lot, please obey the one-direction signs at all times and a speed limit of 5 miles per hour. Faceforward parking is required, pulling as far into a space as possible.
- Y. Rules having a specific application to children:
 - **All swimmers entering either pool must wear swimsuits. All swimmers two years old and younger, and all other non-toilet trained bathers, must wear a swim diaper with the addition of tight-legged rubber/plastic pants.**
 - Changing clothing or diapers must be done inside changing rooms by order of the Health Department.
 - Proper attire is required for all ages

1. Main Pool - Children under the age of 5 years who have not passed the basic swimming test must have an accompanying adult in the water within arm's length at all times.

2. Wading Pool - Only children 5 years or younger may use the wading pool.
- i. Parents or babysitters are required to watch their children in the wading pool since the lifeguards' duties extend primarily to the main pool.
 - ii. Children shall not be left unattended.

Z. Diving Rules

1. Only one person will be permitted on a diving board at a time.
2. Do not dive from a diving board until the previous diver has exited the pool or cleared the diving area.
3. Dive in a forward direction only. This does not prohibit standard dives that are made facing the diving board.
4. Any horseplay on a diving board is strictly prohibited. This includes repeated jumping up and down on the end of the board.
5. Divers, upon surfacing, shall swim either out of the diving area or to the nearest ladder in the diving area and leave the pool.
6. Goggles or any eyewear are not permitted when using diving boards.

II. **ASSOCIATION GROUNDS AND GENERAL**

for more detailed information, visit drra.org lifeguard rules

- A. Members and guests shall observe traffic signs in driving to the Corporation's property and shall not trespass on property adjacent to or near the Corporation's property.
- B. Members shall drive slowly (no faster than 5 miles per hour) and carefully on the driveway and parking lot.
- C. The Association is not responsible for loss or damage to personal property.
- D. The cost of any damages to the Association property caused wilfully or as a result of failure to obey the operating rules and regulations will be charged to the responsible member of the Association and will be charged to the sponsor-member if a guest is responsible for the damage.
- E. All bicycle riders are to ride carefully and shall use the area designated for the parking of bicycles located in the parking lot.
- F. Alcoholic beverages are not permitted on the Association's property, except as authorized under Bylaws Article I, Section 3(b).
- G. All refuse shall be placed in the containers provided for this purpose.
- H. Abusive, offensive or profane language is prohibited on the Association's property.
- I. Late Payment of Fees.: Full Summer members must pay their dues by the designated due date. Shareholders who miss the due date incur a late penalty.
- J. The foregoing penalty is in addition to the provisions for termination of membership set forth in Article X, Section 6 of the Bylaws.
 1. The foregoing penalty may be modified in specific cases only by the Board of Directors if a good and sufficient reason for late payment is established to the Board's satisfaction
 2. No member or associate member may use the Association's facilities until dues, together with the penalty set forth above, have been paid.

- K. Partial Payment of Dues
1. A member moving from the Metropolitan area is entitled to the following refund of annual dues paid: full refund if moved before the pool opens; 50% refund if moved before July 15.
 2. A member returning to the Metropolitan area after July 15 pays only one half of the year's dues.
 3. No adjustments in dues are made for absences for vacation periods.
- L. Handicapped Access to the Pool. Handicapped pool users may enter the pool area in a car driven to the back gate located by the lower end of the gravel service road. If you wish to use the service road to bring a handicapped person to the pool, call the pool desk ahead so the staff can open the back gate. Cars must return to the parking lot after unloading and may not remain parked by the service road entrance. Authorized handicapped vehicles are permitted to park in designated spots at the back gate area as directed by pool management.
- M. All requests for letters of recommendation for former employees shall be directed to the Pool Manager. DRRRA's policy provides only for verification of job title and dates of employment. DRRRA will not confirm salary information. Requests for reference checks on current and former employees should be referred to the Pool Manager, the President, Vice President, or Treasurer.
- N. The volleyball area is to be used exclusively for the game of volleyball. All players must shower before entering either the main pool or the wading pool.
- O. The Operating Rules and Regulations may be revised as required by the Board of Directors. The most current version will be posted to drra.org with a revision date.
- P. ***Violation of Rules. Use of the facilities may be suspended for a voting member, a voting member's spouse, an associate member, and guests of a member (i) who does not comply with the rules and regulations of the association; (ii) who argues with or does not obey instructions of pool staff; or (iii) who uses aggressive, abusive, profane, lewd or threatening language towards staff, members, or guests." Pool use privileges of a voting member and/or his or her spouse may be suspended under Bylaws, Art. VI, sec. 3(c) based on the conduct of an associate member or guest of that voting member or his or her spouse.***

Heavy Rain, Lightning/Thunderstorm Conditions Policy

Safety for all of our members and staff is our highest priority. Inclement weather is a routine occurrence, and we have policies to follow during extreme weather events. These policies are not negotiable, and we ask that you take them seriously for your safety and those around you when they happen. Listen to the Pool Manager on duty and follow their instructions. Failure to listen or take safe shelter may lead to injury or worse. Disregarding these policies may lead to the loss of membership privileges.

- DRRA Main pool will close whenever the pool bottom in all areas is not clearly visible. Flash flooding, downpours, and cloudy water are examples of this occurrence. The DRRA main pool will open as soon as conditions improve. Members may stay on the grounds.
- DRRA will close when lightning is seen or thunder is heard, noticed, or reported within 10 miles of the facility.
- When a staff person or loudspeaker announces to exit the facility or the pool water, you must immediately follow the directive.
- For your safety, when you exit DRRA for a lightning/thunderstorm event, members should immediately leave the pool facility and take shelter in a hardtop vehicle. Please don't touch the radio dial or the door handle if they are metal.
- For your safety, when you exit DRRA for a lightning/thunderstorm event, you are not allowed to stand or sit outside anywhere on the property. This includes all areas inside and outside the fence. Parking lot included.
- Those that cannot safely take cover in their cars are expected to leave DRRA property and seek safe shelter.
- Staff will seek safe shelter inside the bathhouse. Their lives will not be placed in danger to enforce safety protocols by going to the parking lot.
- DRRA will open 30 min after the last lightning is seen or thunder is heard, noticed, or reported within 10 miles of the facility.
- Due to the amount of electricity in the area, DRRA will not answer the telephone or cell phone until 30 minutes after clearance.
- The closing and opening of the facility will be announced on our Twitter feed and website.
- Use of showers/snack bars/changing rooms is prohibited.
- The sale of items will stop while DRRA is closed for a lightning/thunderstorm event. The snack bar will immediately close.

Heavy Rain, Lightning/Thunderstorm Conditions Policy for swim and dive events

- Due to the lack of space inside the bathhouse and all staff's safety, everyone will be asked to exit the facility and go to safety. The only exceptions will be the following swim or dive team rep and staff: General Manager, Assistant Managers, lifeguards,

front desk, and snack bar staff that are on duty. These remaining staff members are to stay inside the bathhouse, undercover, and away from the flagpole.

- Marshalls at the event should help with the exit and safety of all participants and spectators.
- All food, beverages, and vending will stop at the first announcement of closure and will stay closed until DRRR is cleared to open. No sales are allowed in the parking lot.
- Those that cannot safely take cover in their cars are expected to leave DRRR property and seek shelter.
- Communication with the visiting team about DRRR policy is required by Team Reps before the swim or dive meet.

DRRA PAST PRESIDENTS

2022	Lew Sawyer	1991	Bill Teale
2021	Lew Sawyer	1990	Peter Cascio
2020	Bob Hutchison	1989	Tish Nystrom
2019	Bob Hutchison	1988	Peter Petrucci
2018	Bob Hutchison	1987	Jacques Depuy
2017	Ken Longnecker	1986	Cliff Rigsbee
2016	John Fayer	1985	Phil Kellogg
2015	John Fayer	1984	Peter Hughes
2014	David Rehr	1983	Margie Gustafson
2013	David Rehr	1982	Craig Dorman
2012	Patricia Connally	1981	George Miller
2011	Mike Griffen	1980	Jerry Hoganson
2010	Bill Cowden	1979	Jerry Hoganson
2009	Greg Love	1978	Sonja Elmer
2008	Rose Kehoe	1977	Graham Wright
2007	Ken Carpenter	1976	Dave Ryan
2006	Shelley Micali	1975	Donald Showers
2005	Stuart Raphael	1974	William Chipman
2004	Jim Rubinger	1973	John Sullivan
2003	Ruth Sagar	1972	Porter Garland
2002	Beth Bailey	1971	Franz Gimmler
2001	Warren Amason	1970	Bernie Cahill
2000	Karen Hanneman	1969	Robert Bast
1999	Bill Swedish	1968	French Clevinger
1998	Darcy McDonald	1967	Robert Neuman
1997	Darcy McDonald	1966	Richard Hirshberg
1996	Bill Shontell		
1995	Bill Shontell	1965	Warren Love
1994	John Colvin	1964	John Plott
1993	John Colvin	1963	John Coggins
1992	Bill Teale	1962	Don Breeding

