

Important Pool Information

CONTACT INFORMATION

Recreation Office: (978) 468-2178 (prior to pool opening)
Pool Office: (978) 626-5280

MEMBERSHIP REGISTRATION

Memberships are ONLY available to residents of Hamilton or Wenham. Registration will open starting on Monday, March 6th. Memberships may be made online, in person, or over the phone. If the membership is not purchased in person, arrangements must be made with the Recreation Department to receive your passes.

PAYMENT

Memberships can be purchased via check or credit card at the recreation office. Drop in fees can be paid at the pool by cash or check.

NON-RESIDENTS

Non-Residents may not enter the pool unless they have a guest pass. Information on how to obtain a guest pass is below in the membership page

WEATHER CLOSURES

The Pool will immediately close at the first sign of lightning, thunder or severe weather and remain closed for at least 30 minutes. The pool will not re-open until 30 minutes have passed without any additional sign of lightning, thunder or severe weather. During this time patrons will not be allowed to remain within the pool enclosure.

HEALTH AND SAFETY CLOSURES

In the event the pool water chemistry fails to comply with state regulations the pool will be closed to bathers until the water chemistry is brought back into compliance. Please make sure to take a cleansing shower before entering the pool.

EMERGENCY PROCEDURES

In the event of an injury or missing person, please notify the Pool Office immediately.

REFUND POLICY MEMBERSHIPS

In order to receive a refund on a membership participants must cancel at least 2 weeks prior to the closing of the pool

Open Swim Hours of Operation

June 10th - June 23rd (Pre-Season)

Monday - Friday	2pm - 8pm
Saturday	11am - 8pm
Sunday	11am - 6:30pm

June 24th - August 20th (Regular Season)

Monday - Friday	12:30pm - 8pm
Saturday	11am - 8pm
Sunday	11am - 7pm

August 21st - August 27th (Post Season)

Daily	11am - 7pm
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VETERANS MEMORIAL POOL AT PATTON PARK FEES

MEMBERSHIPS RESTRICTED TO HAMILTON WENHAM RESIDENTS ONLY

MEMBERSHIP TYPES	PRICE
<p>FAMILY MEMBERSHIP</p> <p><i>Membership includes 2 adults (over age 21) and 2 children (under age 18). Each additional child is \$20.</i></p>	\$180
<p>INDIVIDUAL ADULT MEMBERSHIP</p> <p><i>Membership includes 1 person over the age 18 or older</i></p>	\$85
<p>INDIVIDUAL YOUTH MEMBERSHIP</p> <p><i>Membership includes 1 person between the ages of 3-17</i></p>	\$70
<p>INDIVIDUAL SENIOR MEMBERSHIP</p> <p><i>Membership includes 1 person over the age of 60</i></p>	\$55
<p>GUEST PASS</p> <p><i>A Guest Pass can ONLY be purchased by residents who have a pool membership. Guests can only attend the pool with someone in your membership. Guest passes are sold as either a one time visit or a pack of three. Non-Residents may be admitted to the pool with a guest pass. Maximum 3 guests per visit.</i></p>	<p>\$10/1</p> <p>\$25/3</p>

VETERANS MEMORIAL POOL DAILY FEES (FAMILY CAP \$25)

TYPES	PRICE
AGES 2 AND UNDER	FREE
AGES 3 -17	\$5
AGES 18 - 59	\$7
SENIORS (60+)	\$5
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DAILY FEES ARE RESTRICTED TO HAMILTON WENHAM RESIDENTS ONLY

PARENT/CHILD SWIM LESSONS

For children age 6 mos-2 years who want to explore the water with a parent or guardian. The focus of this class is water exploration. Children will explore splashing, kicking and blowing bubbles with the use of toys, games and songs.

AGES: 6 mos.-2 years
DATES: Monday-Thursday*
Session 1: June 26th - July 7th*
Session 2: July 10th - July 20th
Session 3: July 24th - August 3rd
Session 4: August 7th - August 17th
TIME: 9:15am-9:45am
COST: \$75
LOCATION: Veterans Memorial Pool

*NO Class 7/4
*Friday is a rain make up day

PRESCHOOL BEGINNER SWIM LESSONS

For children age 3-5 who have little to no experience in the water who require flotation to swim. Instructors will work on basic swimming skills such as paddling, kicking and blowing bubbles.

AGES: 3-5
DATES: Monday-Thursday*
Session 1: June 26th - July 7th*
Session 2: July 10th - July 20th
Session 3: July 24th - August 3rd
Session 4: August 7th - August 17th
TIME: 9:15am-9:45am
COST: \$75
LOCATION: Veterans Memorial Pool

*NO Class 7/4
*Friday is a rain make up day

PRESCHOOL ADVANCED SWIM LESSONS

For children age 3-5 who can comfortably swim without flotation for a least 5-10 yards. Children will work on basic stroke development such as front crawl, backstroke & rhythmic breathing.

AGES: 3-5
DATES: Monday-Thursday*
Session 1: June 26th - July 7th*
Session 2: July 10th - July 20th
Session 3: July 24th - August 3rd
Session 4: August 7th - August 17th
TIME: 9:15am-9:45am
COST: \$75
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PARENT/CHILD SATURDAY SWIM LESSONS

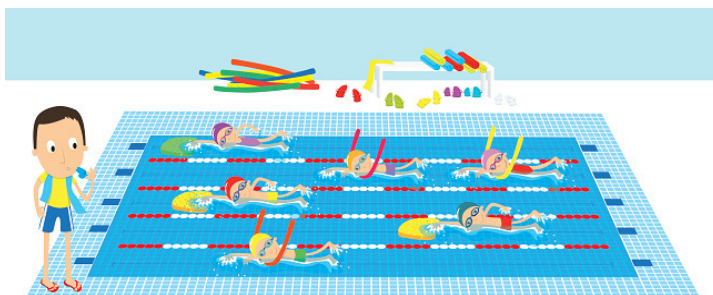
For children age 6 mos-2 years who want to explore the water with a parent or guardian. The focus of this class is water exploration. Children will explore splashing, kicking and blowing bubbles with the use of toys, games and songs.

AGES: 6 mos.-2 years
DATES: Saturdays July 1st- Aug. 19th
TIME: 10:30am-11:00am
COST: \$75
LOCATION: Veterans Memorial Pool

PRESCHOOL SATURDAY SWIM LESSONS

For children age 3-5 who have little to no experience in the water who require flotation to swim. Instructors will work on basic swimming skills such as paddling, kicking and blowing bubbles. Also, for children 3-5 who are advanced swimmers. Groups will be broken up to accommodate both beginner and advanced levels

AGES: 3-5
DATES: Saturdays July 1st- Aug. 19th
TIME: 10:30am-11:00am
COST: \$75
LOCATION: Veterans Memorial Pool



YOUTH BEGINNER SWIM LESSONS

For children age 6-12 who have little to no experience in the water who require flotation to swim. Instructors will work on basic swimming skills such as paddling, kicking and blowing bubbles.

AGES: 6-12
DATES: Monday-Thursday*
Session 1: June 26th - July 7th*
Session 2: July 10th - July 20th
Session 3: July 24th - August 3rd
Session 4: August 7th - August 17th
TIME: 12:45pm-1:30pm
COST: \$75
LOCATION: Veterans Memorial Pool

*NO Class 7/4
*Friday is a rain make up day

YOUTH ADVANCED SWIM LESSONS

For children age 6-12 who can comfortably swim without flotation for a least one length of the pool. Children will work on stroke development for front crawl, backstroke, breaststroke as well as rotary breathing.

AGES: 6-12
DATES: Monday-Thursday*
Session 1: June 26th - July 7th*
Session 2: July 10th - July 20th
Session 3: July 24th - August 3rd
Session 4: August 7th - August 17th
TIME: 12:45pm-1:30pm
COST: \$75
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YOUTH SATURDAY SWIM LESSONS

For children age 6-12 who have little to no experience in the water who require flotation to swim. Instructors will work on basic swimming skills such as paddling, kicking and blowing bubbles. For the advanced level swimmers the focus will be stroke development for front crawl, backstroke, breaststroke and rotary breathing. Swimmers will be divided based on ability.

AGES: 6-12
DATES: Saturdays July 1st- Aug. 19th
TIME: 9:30am-10:15am
COST: \$75
LOCATION: Veterans Memorial Pool

HURRICANES SWIM TEAM

The Hurricanes offer swimmers of all levels a chance to compete in a fun atmosphere as well as the opportunity to strengthen their swimming skills. Participants must be able to swim at least one length of the pool without stopping while demonstrating proficient front crawl stroke. Please see age requirements in information section for more information on participants eligibility as well as information regarding practices prior to first meet on June 28th.

AGES: 6-16
DATES: Monday - Friday, June 26th - August 2nd
TIME: Ages 11 - 16, 7:30am - 8:15am
Ages 6-10, 8:15am - 9:00am
COST: Pool Members: \$130 per child
Non-Pool Members: \$160 per child
Family Cap \$320* please contact rec department for this option.
LOCATION: Veterans Memorial Pool



HAMILTON-WENHAM HURRICANES SWIM TEAM INFORMATION

HURRICANE SWIM TEAM AGE REQUIRMENTS

Children between the ages of 6 and 16 are eligible to participate in the swim team. A child must turn 6 years old on or before July 1, 2017. 16 year olds may not turn 17 prior to July 1, 2017.

TEAM BATHING SUITS & CAPS

The Hurricanes Swim Team will have a team suit and cap. Each participant will receive a swim cap as part of their registration fee. The bathing suits will need to be ordered prior to the season. The cost of the bathing suits is \$50. Each child will need to be properly fitted for the team suit. Fitting times are listed below. Please stop into the rec office at one of the below times with your child to be fitted. If you can't make one of the two times please contact the recreation office to schedule a time for your child to be fitted.

SWIM TEAM SUIT FITTING AND ORDER TIMES:

Saturday May 20th 10:00am-12:00pm

Thursday May 25th 6:30pm-8:00pm

HURRICANE SWIM TEAM PRE-SEASON PRACTICES

Practice times above are scheduled to begin once school is out for the summer. With the first meet being on June 28th we will want to get the kids in the pool to practice at least a week prior and therefore those practice times will be released at a later date.

HURRICANE SWIM TEAM MEET DATES

Swim meets typically take place on Wednesday afternoons at 1:00pm however times are subject to change. Warm-ups are one half hour before the meet starts. Meets are scheduled for the following dates with more detailed information to come out later on.

June 28th, July 5th, July 12th, July 19th & July 26th. The all star meet is scheduled for August 2nd.

VETERANS MEMORIAL POOL 2017 RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. **Swimming is only allowed when a lifeguard is on duty**
2. **All persons are required to take a cleansing shower before entering the pool**
3. **No person with a communicable disease is allowed in the water**
4. **No person with an open cut is allowed in the water.**
5. **A bathing suit is required of all swimmers. Non-toilet trained children must wear swim diapers.**
6. **Swimmers age 16 and under are asked to take a swim test upon entering the pool, bathers choosing not to take the swim test are considered non-swimmers. Swimmers must pass the test every summer in order to swim outside the designated swim area. Upon completion of the swim test, swimmers will be marked with a wrist band which they must wear in the pool.**
7. **The test consists of swimmers beginning in the deep end, treading water for 20 seconds and then swimming 25 yards on their front with head above the water without stopping to the satisfaction of the lifeguard or supervisor on duty.**
8. **Swimmers may be tested on the spot by pool staff if their ability is in doubt**
9. **Children must be eleven (11) years old and pass the swim test to be left alone at the pool. Otherwise children must be with a responsible person at least sixteen (16) years of age.**
10. **Children eight (8) years and under must be supervised at all times by a parent or guardian.**
11. **Children under the age of eight (8) who do not pass the swim test must be within an arm's reach of an adult in the water.**
12. **After 5:30pm the pool is reserved for families and adult swimming. All children under the age of 16 must be accompanied by an adult over the age of 21.**
13. **Fins, Snorkels, inflatable flotation devices, and toys are not allowed. Acceptable forms of flotation include: Coast Guard approved life jackets, puddle jumpers and foam bubbles.**
14. **Diving is prohibited; jumping is allowed in five (5) feet or deeper**
15. **No running, pushing, or horseplay allowed at any time.**
16. **Food and Beverages are not allowed on the concrete pool deck or in the bathhouse. No glass or ceramic containers are allowed in the gated area.**
17. **Smoking is not allowed in the pool area.**
18. **Patrons who fail to obey these rules may be asked to leave and may have their membership privileges revoked for the summer or in extreme cases, permanently.**
19. **Photography and Videography are PROHIBITED at the Veteran's Memorial Pool.**