**VILLAGE CLUB RULES**

**These rules are developed for the general benefit of all and will be carefully enforced. Ignorance of the rules will not be considered an excuse for violation.**

**The Board of Directors may amend these rules at any time as necessary.**

## **GENERAL RULES**

1. The full season is from the Friday before Memorial Day to Labor Day.
2. All members are required to have a recent photo on file for entry in to the club.
3. Only members who have paid their dues and required fees may use the club.
4. Children under 12 years of age are not allowed in the Club unless accompanied at all times by a member 14 years of age or older.
5. Parents are responsible to supervise and discipline their children at the club.
6. Fees for lessons, leagues, teams, social events, guest fees and items from concessions must be paid for at the time of purchase with a credit card on file.
7. The Village Club is not responsible for personal items lost, stolen, damaged or destroyed while at the club. Check the lost and found for missing items.
8. All parties require completion and approval on the Party Reservation Form.
9. **GLASS and breakable objects/containers of any type are not allowed inside**

**the club at any time, for any reason. No exception.**

* 1st Offense: Removal of glass object from the club and a formal warning.
* 2nd Offense: Out of the Club for the remainder of the day.
* 3rd Offense: Out of the Club for the remainder of the season.
* Suspension from club for broken glass is immediate.

1. **Smoking, chewing tobacco, e-cigarettes and “vaping” devices are not permitted in the Club or on the grassy areas surrounding it. Use the parking lot.**

**1st offense warning, 2nd offense out for the day, 3rd offense out for the season.**

1. All members are expected to keep the premises in a neat and clean condition. All garbage is to be disposed of in the receptacles provided before leaving the Club.
2. Use of the Club grounds for activities, other than those provided is prohibited.
3. Skateboards, roller-blades, scooters, roller skates, baseball spikes or soccer spikes are not allowed in the club. **Leave skateboards at the bike rack outside the club.**
4. Furniture is for the comfort and convenience of everyone and shall not be removed from designated areas**.** Patio tables, chairs and chaise lounge chairs are available for use on a “first come, first served” basis. Chaises are limited to swimmers and sunbathers. Do not stand on the tables, chairs or benches.
5. Vandalism will be prosecuted and violator’s membership will be terminated.
6. The use of all cellular telephones and other devices with photographic or video capabilities is prohibited within the locker room areas.
7. Music from individual sound systems is not allowed at the club**.**
8. Dogs and other pets are not allowed inside the Club.
9. Bicycles are not allowed inside the club and should be locked to the bike rack.
10. Cycles, scooters and motorbikes should be parked in the parking lot.
11. All vehicles must be parked in designated parking areas only.

22. **No Basketballs, footballs, volleyballs, soccer balls, baseballs & golf balls in club.**

23. Membership termination for hostile & drunken behavior or refusal to follow rules

24. **Soakers, squirt guns and any other similar toy are not allowed inside the club.**

25. Don’t play catch on the patio deck nor tennis against the walls of the buildings .

### SWIMMING POOL RULES

1. Do not enter the pool if you have a communicable disease or an open cut. Shower before entering the pool and after use of toilet facilities.
2. Do not bring food, drink, gum, or candy into the pool or at the pool’s edge.
3. Cell phones and electronic devices are not allowed in the pool.
4. **Eating is not allowed on the deck of the large pool.**
5. Appropriate swimwear is required at all times. Leotards, cutoffs, street clothes, thongs, see-through apparel and headgear are not permitted in the pool.
6. Children under 6 years of age are not permitted in the main pool area unless accompanied by a person age 12+. Swim diapers are not allowed in the main pool.
7. Non-swimmers may only use the shallow roped-off area.
8. **Toddlers, unless toilet trained, are not allowed in the main pool area. This includes the pool and pool deck, at any time in compliance with Health Dept.**
9. Toddlers shall not be left unattended (even with lifeguards on duty) in the main pool or children’s pool areas at any time.
10. Buggies, strollers, and playpens are not permitted in the main pool area. This rule is intended for the safety of the child.
11. NO running, rough play, splashing, dunking, shoving, spitting water or other activities that endanger the comfort and safety of swimmers and sunbathers.
12. Swimmers should not ride on the shoulders of others or be thrown in the pool.
13. During Adult Swim, all children up to age 17 must leave the pool. Do not sit on the edge of the pool. Adult Swim is the first 10-15 minutes of the hour.
14. No swimming in the I-pool or large pool without a lifeguard on duty.
15. Go under the guide ropes when moving from one area of the pool to another.
16. No somersaults off the side of the pool or backward entries of any kind are allowed.
17. **Flotation devices are not allowed in any of the three pools.**
18. **Only small sponge-type balls are allowed in the pools.**
19. **Swim diapers are not allowed in the large pool or on the deck of the large pool.**

20. Don’t **play catch from the pool to the deck or from the deck to the pool.**

### GUEST POLICY

1. Guests are allowed on Monday through Friday from 12:00am to 9:00pm.  
2. Guests are allowed on Saturday and Sunday from 11:00am to 9:00pm  
3. Guests are not allowed during class lessons, lap time and private lessons.  
4. **Guests are limited to a total of 6 visits per season.** No exceptions.5.The guest fee is $10.00 per guest at all times except holidays at $15/guest  
6. Guests must check-in with the member who is sponsoring them.  
7. Guests under the age of 12 must be with a member at least 14 yrs of age.  
8. Members on Hiatus are limited to 3 visits/season as a guest of a member.   
9. The Village Club Rules apply to guests in the same way as for members.   
10.Pre-register your guestsat[**https://forms.gle/QZScxzy51CW5WfEw5**](https://click.icptrack.com/icp/relay.php?r=26885292&msgid=1074972&act=9N3Q&c=1054572&destination=https%3A%2F%2Fforms.gle%2FQZScxzy51CW5WfEw5&cf=35867&v=3dcb09895cf3765eed26c78a52b1515e5e4396bfa742176b8dd65398863bdd46)11. Guests must enter the club by way of check-in at the entry to the club.  
12. Sneaking in non-members is a fine of $50 and a hold on membership.

### RUBBER DUCKY DAYS

1. “These Days” will be held from Noon until 3:00 PM.   
2. Normally, inflatable devices are not allowed in the main pool.   
3. On these dates, members may bring inflatable devices for use in the pool.

4. Only one-person inflatable devices are allowed on Rubber Ducky Day   
5. Inflatable objects are for use only in the large pool for safety reasons.   
6. The diving board will be closed during these times.

### DIVING WELL RULES

1. Swimmers will be allowed in the diving well if they are able to swim the width of the pool. Lifeguards will determine swimming ability.
2. Swimming is not permitted in roped off diving area.
3. Divers must go straight off the board, not to the side. Sailor dives are not permitted (hands at sides).
4. No back, inward, or reverse dives are permitted unless under the supervision of a diving coach or instructor.
5. Only one person is allowed on the board and ladder at a time. The diver ahead of you must quickly go to the sidewall before you begin your dive. Double bouncing is not permitted.
6. Diving class students and competitive divers may practice between 3:00-3:30 PM Monday-Friday during the competitive season.

### INTERMEDIATE POOL

This pool is for use by children age 8 or younger at all times and under supervision. Swim diapers are allowed.

### BABY POOL

**T**his pool is for use by toddler’s age 4 or younger and always under parental supervision. Swim diapers and parent supervision are required at all times.

#### CHILDCARE PROVIDERS

The Child-Care form and waiver must be completed including a recent picture of the childcare person prior to the start of the season. There is a $50.00 fee per caregiver per season and no more than two caregivers per membership. If the caregiver is at the Club with the family, he/she is a considered a guest and pays the guest fee. Grandparents who are members of the club do not pay the childcare provider fee.

### Hiatus Policy

A current member may request a waiver of a maximum of one year of club membership by contacting the membership manager. Request should be made by April 1st of that season. Hiatus applies to all people listed on the membership. During Hiatus, the member is not responsible for dues and/or initiation fees but outstanding fees must be paid in full. A $50 fee is charged to hold a spot on the list for the following year. If the membership is not renewed, then the fee is forfeited and the membership cancelled. Rejoining thereafter is considered a new membership with a $75 fee after 1 year and $150 fee after 2 years and $225 after 3 or more years. Requests to renew a membership in-season while on Hiatus shall require board approval plus a $15 processing fee.

### TENNIS COURT RULES

Direct supervision of the tennis court area is the responsibility of the Tennis Instructors when they are on duty. The responsibility for supervision of the tennis courts area rests with the Manager on duty or the designated representative at any other time. Failure to adhere to these rules will jeopardize your membership privileges.

1. No smoking or tobacco use in the tennis court area.
2. No eating in the tennis court area. Food is not allowed on the courts.
3. Only tennis shoes and tennis attire are allowed on the playing surface. Playing barefoot or in sandals is not allowed.Shirts are required in the tennis court area.
4. No more than four people are permitted to play on one court at a time.
5. Non-playing children are not permitted to play in the tennis court area.
6. Please be respectful of other courts of play. Only cross behind a court by the back fence in between points. Do not move behind a court while a point is in play.
7. Please keep the tennis court area clean by using the waste containers.
8. Club tournaments, socials, state league matches, and lessons have priority in use of the courts. Courts do NOT have to be left open during special events for open play.
9. Adults (18 years of age or older) have preference for use of the courts after 4:00pm weekdays, at all times of the weekend and during holidays.
10. Each member shall be responsible for the conduct of his/her family.
11. Quick Start courts can be used for 10 and under and Pickleball.

### ENFORCEMENT

1. The Tennis Manager is in charge at all times and has complete authority to enforce the rules, including the limiting of activities of anyone disturbing the enjoyment of others.

**CONDUCT POLICY**

The Village Club depends on its members to conduct themselves in a manner that promotes safety and enjoyment for all and a positive working atmosphere for the entire staff.

The rules and procedures of the Village Club provide a safe and enjoyable environment for everyone. It is expected that all members will read the rules and procedures as outlined in the membership packet and posted at the club. Parents are expected to review the rules with their children and guests, as they are responsible for their behavior.

Unfortunately, some members may choose behavior that is unsafe or deprives other members the opportunity to enjoy the Club’s facilities and programs. Management and staff will intervene when this happens and provide verbal reminders with the expectation that the inappropriate behavior will change immediately.

Continued inappropriate behavior warrants a more significant response. Examples of these types of behaviors might include, but are not limited to:

* Repeated refusal to follow rules – a cause for revocation.
* Disrespect toward staff—not following directives given.
* Offensive behavior—profanity, crude behavior or remarks
* Defrauding the Club, not signing in guests, using false names.
* Reckless, aggressive, intimidating or intoxicated behavior.
* Disrupting programs during swimming, diving, or tennis lessons.
* Acting in an unsafe manner and creating a dangerous situation.
* Damage to club property and/or the property of others.
* Conduct prejudicial to the best interest of the membership.

The following guidelines will be used to determine the level of action to be taken. Police may be notified if laws are violated.

**1st** Offense: ejection from the Club for the remainder of the day and the next two days. Parents will be contacted if the offending member is a minor.

**2nd** Offense: ejection from the Club for the remainder of the day and the next 6 days. The Board President or designee will inform the member or the parent that they are at risk of having their membership revoked.

**3rd** offense: ejection from the Club for the remainder of the season. The President or designee will inform the member 10 days prior to the next Board meeting, that their membership is being considered for termination. The member will have an opportunity to be heard at that board meeting. There will be no refund of dues or fees if membership is revoked.

**NO SHOW POLICY**

Members, who sign-up for tennis events then fail to show, will be charged for the amount of the activity. No charge if cancelled 72 hours prior to activity.