

## **Town of DeMotte – 2018 POOL PASS APPLICATION**

### **POOL RULES ARE AS FOLLOWS**

#### **FOR YOUR SAFETY**

- NO running, horseplay, riding on shoulders, dunking, or fighting in the pool area.
  - NO diving, flipping, or jumping in backwards from the pool deck.
  - NO hanging on ropes or lap lane lines.
  - NO glass containers are permitted in the facility.
  - NO animals are permitted in the facility.
  - NO food or drink shall be permitted outside of the designated eating area.
  - Spencer Park Pool is a family facility: NO inappropriate behavior, profanity, or inappropriate apparel.
  - Guests under 10 years of age must be in the supervision of an adult guardian at ALL times.
  - Guests who cannot swim must remain in arms reach of an adult guardian at ALL times.
  - Only U.S. Coast Guard Approved Personal Flotation Devices and Children's bathing suits with built-in, non-inflatable flotation devices are allowed. Children wearing these devices must be within arm's reach of an adult guardian at ALL times.
  - Inflatable flotation devices are NOT permitted. This includes water wings and inner tubes. Alcoholic Beverages are not permitted on any part of the property. Narcotics are against the law anywhere. Individuals who appear to be intoxicated are prohibited from using the facility and will be reported to the authorities.
  - DeMotte Parks & Recreation Department is not responsible for, is not insured for, and will not reimburse guests for property loss or damage while visiting the facility.
  - All items brought into the park may be searched at any time by park staff or DeMotte Police.
  - A 15 minute time-out will be called hourly
- \*Patrons must respect the actions and directions of all pool personnel. The DeMotte Parks Department and/or Pool Directors reserves the rights to cancel pool privileges and refund application fees at any time.

#### **INDIANA STATE BOARD OF HEALTH REGULATIONS:**

- All patrons must take a cleansing shower before using the pool.
- NO food or drink shall be permitted outside of the designated eating area.
- Spitting, spouting of water, blowing the nose and/or discharging bodily fluids into the pool is prohibited.
- Anyone who has an area of exposed sub epidermal tissue, open blisters, cuts, etc., is advised not to use the pool.
- Only proper swimming attire will be allowed. Street clothes are not permitted in the pool.
- Anyone who has or has had diarrhea in the past two (2) weeks shall not use the pool.
- All diaper-aged children must use swim diapers.
- Please use the diaper changing stations in the bathhouses. Do NOT change diapers poolside.
- This is a TOBACCO FREE environment. Tobacco users must exit the facility and remain 30 feet from the entrance while using tobacco.
- The park or individual attractions are subject to closure or restricted use due to unforeseen circumstances such as dangerous or very poor weather, storm activity in the area, low attendance, dangerous conditions, maximum facility capacity, maintenance, or recreation department programs.
- Pool will be closed if air temperature is 60 degrees or below.

#### **FAMILY ACTIVITY POOL RULES:**

- These areas are designated for children less than 5 years of age.
- All children must be within arm's reach of an adult guardian at all times.
- Deck furniture is not permitted in the water.

#### **DIVING WELL RULES:**

- Guests using diving well must know how to swim well. A swim test may be required for those who wish to use deep water attractions.
- Diving is allowed ONLY from the diving boards.
- Bounce only once and jump straight out from the diving board.
- Enter diving well from the board only.
- Only one person is allowed on the diving board at a time.
- Be certain that area is clear before entering the water and that the previous diver or slider is at the side of the pool or ladder.
- Persons weighing 300 pounds or more are prohibited from using the diving board.

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· Exit pool immediately by using the nearest ladder.

\*A deep water swim test may be conducted by staff to determine if a patron is safe in deep water

### **LAP SWIMMING SAFETY RULES:**

· Adults only are permitted in the lap lanes, except with permission from a manager or supervisor.

· Enter lane from end only.

· Keep to right of lane to avoid collision – “circle swim method”

· Please return kickboards to the pool office.

· Walkers, please use the area just outside the lap lane.

· Lap swimmers may remain in water during daily time-outs.

· Do not cross the lap lane to exit the pool.

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## POOL PASS WAIVER & RELEASE - IMPORTANT INFORMATION

The Town of DeMotte Parks and Recreation Department “DeMotte Parks Department” is committed to providing safe aquatic facilities and programs and holds the safety of participants in high regard. The DeMotte Parks Department continually strives to reduce such risks and insists that all participants follow safety rules and instructions that are designed to protect the participants’ safety. However, participants and parents/guardians of minors engaged in aquatic activities must recognize that there is an inherent risk of injury.

You are solely responsible for determining if you or your minor child/ward are physically fit and/or adequately skilled for the activities associated with this Pool Membership. It is always advisable, especially if the participant is pregnant, disabled in any way or recently suffered an illness, injury or impairment, to consult a physician before undertaking any physical/aquatic activity.

*Please understand and recognize that lifeguards are not responsible for providing supervision or assessing your swimming skills or that of your minor child; rather, lifeguards are responsible for enforcing safety rules and responding to emergencies. Adult pool pass holders and parents of minor pool pass holders are solely responsible for supervision of any and all activities contemplated by this agreement. Additionally, children 10 years of age must be in the supervision of an adult guardian at ALL times. **NEVER LEAVE ANY CHILD WITH POOR SWIMMING SKILLS OR 10 YEARS OF AGE AND YOUNGER UNACCOMPANIED BY A PARENT OR RESPONSIBLE PERSON.***

### WARNING OF RISK

Swimming and other aquatic activities challenge and engage the physical, mental and emotional resources of each participant. However, despite careful and proper preparation, instruction, medical advice, conditioning and equipment, there is still a risk of serious injury, including but not limited to drowning, head/brain injury, and spinal cord injury. Understandably, not all hazards and dangers can be foreseen. The very nature of swimming and aquatic activities are hazardous and risky, including but not limited to fatigue and overexertion, poor swimming skills, failing to avoid dangerous areas, failing to follow rules and regulations, failure of lifeguards to locate victims and/or delay in emergency response time, horseplay, diving or cannon-balling into shallow water and striking the bottom or side of the pool or waterslide, inadequate supervision or instruction, lack of conditioning, becoming disoriented, striking other swimmers, striking one’s head on the bottom, slip and falls on the deck or within the locker facility, chemical exposure and all other circumstances inherent to aquatic activities. In this regard, it must be recognized that it is impossible for the DeMotte Parks Department to guarantee absolute safety.

### WAIVER AND RELEASE OF ALL CLAIMS AND ASSUMPTION OF RISK

Please read this form carefully and be aware that in consideration for this Pool Membership, you will be expressly assuming the risk and legal liability and waiving and releasing all claims for injuries, damages or loss which you or your minor child/ward might sustain as a result of participating in any and all activities connected with and associated with use of the DeMotte Parks Department aquatic facilities and programs.

I recognize and acknowledge that there are certain inherent risks of physical injury to patrons of aquatic facilities, and I voluntarily agree to assume the full risk of any injuries, damages or loss, regardless of severity that my minor child/ward or I may sustain as a result of participating in any and all activities and programs connected with or associated with this Pool Membership. I further recognize and agree that lifeguards and other aquatic staff are not responsible for supervising my activities or the activities of my minor child(ren) and I agree that I am solely responsible for supervising my minor children and/or assessing whether my children are physically fit and/or adequately skilled for aquatic activities. I additionally agree to supervise any children ages 10 and under at all times.

I further agree to waive and relinquish all claims I, or my minor child/ward may have (or accrue to me or my child/ward) as a result of use of the DeMotte Parks Department aquatic facilities and programs against the Town of DeMotte Parks & Recreation Department, including its officials, agents, volunteers and employees (hereinafter collectively referred as “DeMotte Parks”).

#### TOWN RESIDENTS

Individual (2-62yrs of age) \$55.00  
Additional Passes \$30.00

#### OUT OF TOWN RESIDENTS

Individual (2-62 yrs of age) \$75.00  
Additional Passes \$45.00

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I do hereby fully release and forever discharge the DeMotte Parks Department from any and all claims for injuries, damages or loss that my minor child/ward or I may have or which may accrue to me or my minor child/ward and arising out of, connected with, or in any way associated with use of the DeMotte Parks Department's aquatic facilities and programs. Passes are non-transferable. Misuse of pass or false information found on this application will result in the immediate forfeiture of pool privileges without refund. **I have read and fully understand the above important information, pool rules, warning of risk, assumption of risk and waiver and release of all claims. If registering on-line or via fax, my on-line or facsimile signature shall substitute for and have the same legal effect as an original form signature.**

Home Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Address (Required) \_\_\_\_\_  
Street Address, City, State, Zip Code

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

**PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY**

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_

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SIGNED \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_  
Authorized Participant's Signature – 18 years or older or Parent/Guardian

Printed Name: \_\_\_\_\_

**PARTICIPATION WILL BE DENIED - If the signature of an authorized adult participant or parent/guardian and date are not on this waiver Lost passes will be replaced at a cost of \$1.00 per pass.**

Receipt # _____	Amount Paid _____
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