# BOROUGH OF TAMAQUA: H. D. BUEHLER MEMORIAL POOL

# **Pool Pass Application – 2024**

\$15 Season Passes: A Gift of the John E. Morgan Charitable Foundation Limited to Residents of the Tamaqua Area School District. Proof of Residency Required.

☐ YES, I want to make a gift will leverage grant dollars at Building, checks payable to are 100% tax deductible.	nd/or make in	nprovements. Gifts	may be mad	de at the p	ool or M	ınicipal
□ \$500 Benefactor □ \$25	0 Sponsor	□ \$100 Patron	□ Any	Other Am	nount \$	
(Please print legibly)						
Family Name						
Home Address						
Home Phone		Cell Pho	ne			<del></del>
List Patrons' Full Name		Please che	eck below:	<u>Adult</u>	Child	Child's Age
2	in previous y	ears? Yes				
@\$15/person	\$	Residents of T	amaqua Ar	ea Schoo	l District	
@\$100/person	\$	Individuals Ou	ıtside Tama	aqua Are	a School	District
@\$20/person/wk	\$	Guest Pass(es)				ass holders. est Passes.
		le proof of address (d				
Applications must be returned to the at the main entrance. Any applicant Occupancy Limit is 250 patrons with ************************************	who provides fan an adequate n	alse information on this umber of lifeguards.	form will have	e their pool	pass(es) re	voked. Pool
For Borough of Tamaqua Use Only: Proof(s) of Identification: License _	Photo II	O Other	Initials	of Clerk:	Er	itered by:
Method of Payment: Cash Amount		Check Amount	Check #		Chec	ck Date

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# **Responsibility / Consent Form**

Name of Patron(s) _	
1. Emergency Con	tact Name & Phone Number (name other than name of patron(s) listed above)
2. Alternate Emerg above)	gency Contact Name & Phone Number (name other than name of patron(s) listed
I have read and und It will be my respon	provides false information on this form will have their pool pass revoked.  erstand the rules of the H. D. Buehler Memorial Pool in Tamaqua.  sibility to follow them during my visit. If I fail to comply with the rules, then the pol privileges may occur:
<ul><li>First offense:</li><li>Second offense:</li><li>Third offense:</li></ul>	3 days suspension 1 week suspension Suspension for the remainder of the season
Signature of Parent	or Guardian (Must be 18 years of age or older)
Date.	

## H. D. BUEHLER MEMORIAL POOL RULES AND REGULATIONS

#### POOL HOURS 11 A.M. - 7 P.M. DAILY

\*Hours are subject to change during swim lessons or may be extended on days of high attendance/heat.

#### GENERAL RULES AND REGULATIONS

- 1. All patrons must sign in and present a valid photo ID upon request.
- 2. The pool will not be utilized unless there is a qualified, approved lifeguard on duty at all times.
- 3. Pool staff have the right to make a patron shower before entering the pool.
- Only approved swimwear will be worn in the pool. Street clothes, cut-offs, thongs and transparent clothing are not allowed. Only light T-shirts
  may be worn over swimsuits.
- 5. No child under the age of 12 will be allowed in the pool unless accompanied by a responsible individual 16 years old or older.
- 6. Parents/guardians are responsible for the direct supervision of all children under their care at all times. The pool staff are not responsible for the transportation of children or other patrons to and from their homes.
- 7. Personal phone calls for patrons or paging will be granted only in the case of emergency.
- 8. Coolers, bags, and other containers may be inspected by the pool staff or by the Tamaqua Police Department.
- 9. The pool staff will not be responsible for lost items. Personal belongings, including chairs, will not be stored overnight in pool buildings.
- 10. No items may be hung on any pool fixture unless placed there by pool personnel.
- 11. The following activities are not permitted in the pool area or buildings: running, horseplay, unsanitary actions, loud music, and other disorderly conduct. Loitering is not permitted in the locker room areas.
- 12. Ball playing and other toys or throwing games are not permitted in the main pool.
- 13. No pets are allowed in the pool area.
- 14. Food and drinks must be kept off the pool sidewalks and decks. No glass containers of any kind are permitted in any part of the facility. Garbage must be disposed of properly.
- 15. No tubes, snorkels, flippers, rafts, noodles, or baby seats are allowed in the pool or pool area except on specified days.

  \*Permitted flotation devices include: multi-chambered water wings, Coast Guard approved life jackets, and floats that are built into swimming suits. Adults must accompany any child using these devices AT ALL TIMES.
- 16. Infants and toddlers and any other incontinent person must wear a disposable swim diaper or plastic pants with tight fitting legs.
- 17. Consumption or possession of alcoholic beverages or illegal drugs on pool property is subject to permanent expulsion from all recreational functions and possible arrest. Bags and containers may be checked for items that are not permitted.
- 18. Do not disturb the lifeguards except in the case of emergency. In case of emergency, notify the nearest lifeguard and follow his/her instructions.
- 19. The pool must be cleared of all swimmers for at least 30 minutes following a lightning strike, thunder, or a thunderstorm.
- 20. Any person allowing someone else to use their pass will immediately forfeit their pass.
- 21. Other rules necessary for public health, safety, and welfare may be implemented by the lifeguards with the consent of the pool manager.
- 22. The Bungalow Pool is a non-smoking facility. Smoking is not permitted within the gated pool area.

#### SANITARY GUIDELINES

Tamaqua recognizes that swimming and other water-related activities are excellent ways to get physical activity and maintain a healthy lifestyle, especially during the heat of summer, and that it is safe to use swimming pools if visitors and staff take steps to reduce the spread of diseases and follow CDC recommendations. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the Borough of Tamaqua makes no representations as to the health hazards that may or may not be presented by swimming in treated water, and by signing the above Responsibility/Consent, the applicant and applicant's family members each hereby assume the risk related to swimming and forever waive and release the Borough of Tamaqua from any liability for harm related thereto.

#### DIVING BOARD RULES AND REGULATIONS

- 1. Only one person may be on the board at a time. Wait until the diving area is clear before diving.
- 2. Patrons must check the area in front of the diving boards before diving, bounce only once, dive straight off the board, and immediately leave the diving area.
- 3. Patrons may not wear any type of equipment when using the diving boards including water wings, life jackets, water shoes, or goggles.
- 4. Swimming and games of any kind are not permitted in the diving area unless approved by the pool manager.
- 5. Patrons may not walk back and forth on the diving boards before diving.
- 6. Parents/guardians may not catch their children.
- 7. Non-swimmers are not permitted. Divers must be able to swim to the ladders on their own.

## WATER SLIDE RULES (WARNING: Follow rules posted at slides)

- 1. Riders must be at least 48" tall to use the slide.
- 2. Only one rider at a time. Wait until the landing area is clear before entering the slide.
- 3. Slide in a sitting position or on back only. Do not attempt to stop on the slide. Stopping, changing positions, and forming chains are prohibited.
- 4. Leave the plunge area immediately.
- 5. Sunglasses, goggles, life jackets and other floatation devices are prohibited.
- 6. Parents/guardians may not catch their children.
- 7. Non-swimmers are not permitted. Swimmers must be able to swim to the ladders on their own.

## WADING POOL RULES

- 1. Only children 5 years old and under may use the wading pool.
- 2. Children will not be allowed in the wading pool unless accompanied by a responsible adult 18 years old or older.
- Parents/guardians are responsible for the direct supervision of all children under their care at all times.

### **CLOSING TERMS**

The pool manager has the authority to close the pool for the following reasons:

- 1. Severe/bad weather at opening or any time throughout the business day.
- 2. Temperatures less than 65° F at 11 AM.
- 3. Chemical or equipment problems
- 4. Attendance less than 15 patrons after 5 PM with 30-minute warning.

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