ISLAND WEST, HOA 2022 POOL OPENING Sunday, April 3rd

The Board is looking forward to a fun-filled pool season this year! Below are the regulations and important reminders for all residents.

Have a safe and fun pool season!

ISLAND WEST POOL RULES

- 1. DIAPER POLICY: BASED ON CENTER FOR DISEASE CONTROL (CDC) GUIDELINES:
 - A. ALL CHILDREN WHO ARE NOT POTTY TRAINED AND ALL INCONTINENT ADULTS MUST USE SWIM DIAPERS IN COMBINATION WITH SWIM PANTS.
 - B. SWIM PANTS SHOULD NOT BE CONFUSED WITH SWIM SUITS. SWIM PANTS ARE MADE OF PLASTIC AND OFFER ADDITIONAL LAYERS OF PROTECTION. SWIM PANTS ARE WORN OVER SWIM DIAPER. BUT UNDER SWIM SUIT.
 - C. THIS RULE IS NOT A SUBSTITUTE FOR FREQUENT DIAPER CHANGING AND BATHROOM BREAKS.
 PLEASE CHECK DIAPERS ABOUT EVERY 30 TO 60 MINUTES.
 - D. CHANGING OF DIAPERS SHOULD NOT TAKE PLACE AT POOLSIDE. THE BATHROOM WOULD BE THE IDEAL AND BEST PLACE TO CHANGE DIAPERS TO REDUCE THE CHANCE OF FECAL AND GERM CONTAMINATION AROUND THE POOL AREA AS WELL AS PROVIDING A FACILITY FOR DUMPING THE FECES IN THE TOILET AND THE CRITICAL STEP FO WASHING YOUR HANDS.
 - E. PLEASE BRING ALL SOILED DIAPERS HOME FOR DISPOSAL. WE ARE NOT EQUIPPED TO STORE WASTE DISPOSAL AT THE PALM HOUSE POOL AREA.
- 2. NO CHILDREN UNDER THE AGE OF 14 MAY BE AT THE POOL WITHOUT ADULT SUPERVISION.
- 3. NO TODDLERS OR BABIES (UNLESS POTTY TRAINED) MAY BE IN THE BABY POOL OR MAIN POOL WITHOUT APPROPRIATE SWIM DIAPER AND PROTECTIVE SWIM PANTS.
- 4. NO RUNNING, BOISTEROUS, OR ROUGH PLAY.
- 5. NO BICYCLES, SKATEBOARDS, OR IN-LINE SKATES (ROLLER BLADES) IN THE FENCED AREA.
- 6. NO PERSON UNDER THE INFLUENCE OF ALCOHOL OR DRUGS MAY USE THE POOL.
- 7. NO SPITTING OR BLOWING YOUR NOSE IN THE POOL.
- 8. NO PERSON WITH DIARRHEAL ILLNESS OR NAUSEA MAY ENTER THE POOL.
- 9. NO PERSON WITH SKIN, EYE, EAR, OR RESPIRATORY INFECTIONS MAY ENTER THE POOL.
- 10. NO PERSON WITH OPEN LESIONS OR WOUNDS MAY ENTER THE POOL.
- 11. NO ANIMALS OR PETS ALLOWED AT THE PALM HOUSE COMPLEX.
- 12. NO GLASS CONTAINERS ALLOWED IN THE OUTSIDE AREAS OF THE PALM HOUSE COMPLEX ON THE POOL DECK OR IN THE POOL.
- 13. YOU SHOULD TAKE A SHOWER BEFORE ENTERING THE POOL WATER.

- 14. THIS POOL IS OPEN FROM SUNRISE TO SUNSET.
- 15. NO TRESPASSING ALLOWED AT THE PALM HOUSE COMPLEX WHEN CLOSED.
- 16. IF YOU ARE LAST LEAVING THE POOL AREA, PLEASE BE SURE ALL UMBRELLAS ARE LOWERED AND SECURED WITH ATTACHED TIE.
- 17. THE MAXIMUM NUMBER OF SWIMMERS ALLOWED IN THE POOL AT ONE TIME IS 100.
- 18. A FIRST AID KIT AND EMERGENCY 911 PHONE (DIAL 911 IN CASE OF EMERGENCY) ARE AVAILABLE BY THE ENTRANCE TO THE PALM HOUSE FROM THE POOL AREA.
- 19. THE POOL OPERATOR IS SWEETWATER POOLS (912-228-5051).
- 20. NO SMOKING AT THE IW PALM HOUSE COMPLEX, THIS INCLUDES THE PALM HOUSE BUILDING, THE POOL DECK OR COVERED AREA, THE TENNIS COURTS AND THE PLAY AREA.
- 21. ALL GUESTS MUST BE ACCOMPANIED BY AN ISLAND WEST RESIDENT.
- 22. NO EATING OR DRINKING IS ALLOWED "IN THE POOL OR AROUND THE POOLS EDGE." EATING AT A PICNIC TABLE IS ALLOWED.
- 23. PROPPING THE POOL GATE OPEN IS NOT ALLOWED.
- 24. IF YOU DON'T FEEL THE POOL RULES APPLY TO YOU, THEN THE POOL ATTENDANT HAS THE AUTHORITY TO ASK YOU TO LEAVE THE POOL/PALM HOUSE.
- 25. NOT FOLLOWING THE POOL RULES COULD LEAD TO A FINE AND/OR HAVING YOUR POOL AMENITY CARD TURNED OFF.
- 26. THERE SHOULD BE NO SOLO SWIMMING.
- 27. ONLY POOL TOYS ALLOWED IN THE POOL.
- 28. NO THROWING OF BALLS, FRISBEES OR OTHER OBJECTS IN THE POOL OR AROUND THE POOL DECK.
- 29. PLEASE REMOVE YOUR TRASH AND PLACE IT IN THE RECEPTACLES.
- 30. PLEASE RE-ARRANGE THE POOL DECK FURNITURE TO ITS ORIGINAL POSITION WHEN YOU ARE FINISHED USING IT.