



**ST. STEPHEN'S COLLEGE
WILSON WANG WATER SPORTS CENTRE**

RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. The swimming pool management personnel may require any person in the swimming pool to identify himself / herself on admission.
2. Children under 12 years of age are NOT allowed in the pool or pool area unless accompanied by their parents or supervising adults who shall be responsible for the children's safety and behaviour. Non-swimmers are advised to stay at the spectator stand and not to use the pool.
3. All persons who enter the pool shall wear proper swimming attire.
4. The College may prohibit a person from using swimming attire which is, in the opinion of the College, improper or which may cause embarrassment to any other person.
5. All persons must shower before entering the swimming pool. A person with a bandage, open wound or infectious disease is not allowed to use the pool. Spitting, spouting, nose blowing, etc are not permitted in the pool. All suntan lotion / oil must be removed from the body by showering before entering the pool.
6. All persons are required to dry themselves before leaving the pool area and changing rooms. No persons wearing a dripping wet bathing suit shall go beyond the pool and changing room area.
7. No person shall cause the water in the pool to be unfit for use by using any soap or other substance in the pool, or otherwise pollute the pool.
8. No drinking, eating, smoking or feeding of children is permitted in the pool and immediate vicinity, except when there is an event organized by the College.
9. No pets are allowed in the pool area.
10. No barbecuing is allowed in the pool area and its vicinity.
11. While using the pool, users are advised to maintain a reasonable level of noise at all times without annoying other pool users or other occupiers.
12. Ball sports, frisbee playing, roller skating, skateboarding, diving and other similar activities will not be permitted in the pool and the pool area.
13. Diving from any poolside furniture, diving stands or high-level platform is not allowed.
14. Surfboards, snorkeling and scuba-diving gear (that is, masks, snorkels, flippers, diving suits, etc.) glass masks or glass goggles, bulky inflatable toys and boats and any other item that may pose a hazard to swimmers shall not be permitted in the pool. However, plastic goggles are permitted and children may play with small water toys in the pool.
15. Equipment and furniture in the vicinity of the pool should not be removed or misused.

16. The setup of any structure, such as booths and furniture, not in the venue are only allowed if approval is granted from the Principal or Deputy Principal or Pool Manager.
17. No audio-visual or musical equipment may be used in the vicinity of the swimming pool except with personal earphones.
18. No photo taking activities and video recording are allowed without the approval of the College.
19. No group coaching or any other function is allowed in the pool or the pool area except with the College's prior approval.
20. No person shall enter the filtration plant room of the swimming pool unless specifically authorised by the College.
21. No display of and / or distribution of posters and publicity materials are allowed unless prior permission must be obtained from the Principal or Deputy Principal.
22. Promotion or displaying of posters, banners or any means of propaganda of any political views, messages or stands within the pool area are not allowed.
23. All users shall abide by the Rules and Regulations of the Swimming Pool and all Hong Kong Laws. Users will be asked to leave the pool area immediately in case of any acts or speech that violate the Rules and Regulations of the Swimming Pool and the Hong Kong Laws. All fees and charges paid will not be refunded.
24. All persons are advised to leave the swimming pool during heavy rain and thunderstorms or at any other time that the College deems it unsafe to swim.
25. Swimmers should leave the pool and pool area when cleaning is in progress.
26. The College reserves the right to close the pool for maintenance purposes.
27. The College shall not be held responsible for any injury, damage or loss sustained by users during the use of this swimming pool.
28. Validity of user card automatically expires on 31st October 2022. The membership will cease once the user is no longer a member of the College / Preparatory School and all family membership card(s) should also be returned to the College / Preparatory School.
29. Membership of Primary 6 and Secondary 6 students automatically expires on the last day of the school year, that is, 31 August 2022 while that of all other students expires on 31st October, 2022. The membership will cease once the student withdraws from the College or the Preparatory School.
30. User should go through a temperature check before entering the Swimming Pool area, any user who has a body temperature higher than 37.2 °C are not allowed to enter the pool area.

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Opening Hours from 17 April, 2023 to 31 October 2023

A. School Days

Session	Time	Users
1	8:10 a.m. – 3:40 p.m.	College & Prep. School Students
2	3:50 pm - 6:30 pm (April) 3:50 pm - 7:00 pm (May to August) 3:50 pm - 6:00 pm (September to October)	Registered Users

B. Saturdays

Session	Time	Users
1	1:00 pm - 6:30 pm (April) 1:00 pm - 7:00 pm (May to August) 1:00 pm - 6:00 pm (September to October)	Registered Users

C. Sundays, School & Public Holidays

Session	Time	Users
1	11:00 am - 6:30 pm (April) 11:00 am - 7:00 pm (May to August) 11:00 am - 6:00 pm (September to October)	Registered Users

*The College has the right to close the swimming pool / car park without prior notice in the event of adverse weather conditions or for school functions.

D. Closure of Swimming Pool due to Adverse Weather Conditions

1. The swimming pool will not open to swimmers when

- (1) typhoon signal no. 3 or above is hoisted, or
- (2) amber, red or black rainstorm signals is issued, or
- (3) the thunderstorm warning is issued during times when in use.

2. The Swimming Pool will reopen to swimmer (if facilities and the swimming pool conditions are satisfactory) when

- (1) **3 hours** after the typhoon signal no. 3 is lowered (If the typhoon signal no. 3 is lowered less than 3 hours before the closing time, the swimming pool will not reopen on that day.)
- (2) **1 hour** after all rainstorm signal is lowered (If the rainstorm signal is lowered less than 1 hour before the closing time, the swimming pool will not reopen on that day.)
- (3) **as soon as** the thunderstorm warning is cancelled.

For inquiries, please call 2813-9098.