FGCU Campus Recreation Facility Policies

General Aquatic Center Policies

- All members must check in at the front desk using a valid FGCU ID. Expired, unauthorized, or counterfeit ID cards will be confiscated and privileges may be revoked.
- Children under 13 years of age must be under direct adult supervision at all times.
- Children under 5 years of age must be accompanied in the water by an adult.
- The Aquatic Center is a family-friendly environment. Participants are expected to act responsibly and respect the rights of others. Unacceptable language and behavior are prohibited.
- Personal items should be secured in lockers. Campus Recreation employees are not responsible for lost or stolen property.
- Please return swim equipment to appropriate bins after use.
- Items and activities prohibited in the Aquatic Center:
  - Photography and videotaping without permission of Campus Recreation
  - Food, beverages, and gum (except in designated areas). Plastic water bottles with a lid are permitted
  - Glass containers
  - Tobacco products
  - Pets, with the exception of service animals
  - Use of facility while under the influence of alcohol or other drugs
  - Listening to personal music without use of headphones
  - Posting announcements or flyers without prior permission of Campus Recreation
- The aquatic staff on duty has the final authority on all safety related issues. Failure to follow or adhere to the above policies and/or the direction of Campus Recreation staff may result in dismissal from facility, revocation of membership, or judicial review.
- Report all maintenance issues, emergencies, vandalism, or misuse of Campus Recreation facilities immediately to Campus Recreation staff.

Assumption of Risk:
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Pool Policies

- Pool use is prohibited unless supervised by a Campus Recreation lifeguard.
- To ensure proper supervision and safety, Campus Recreation reserves the right to limit the number of individuals in a pool and/or close areas of the pool.
- Lap swimmers may be required to share lanes and circle swim during peak hours.
- Appropriate swimwear is required for all swimmers.
- It is recommended swimmers take a cleansing shower before entering the pool.
- Individuals with a communicable disease, open sores, etc are prohibited to use the pool.
- Individuals who have had diarrhea in the past two weeks are asked not to use the pool.
- Infants and toddlers must wear leak-proof pants or swim diapers.
• Items and activities prohibited in the pool area:
  - Running on pool deck
  - Rough play, horseplay, and chicken fights
  - Unattended strollers
  - Swimming under the bulkhead
  - Dunking on basketball rims
  - Use of the starting blocks
  - Diving into shallow water
  - Use of flotation devices unless approved by a lifeguard

Diving Board Policies
• Children 13 years of age or younger may be required to take a swim test prior to using boards.
• Use of 3-meter board is not permitted without prior permission of Campus Recreation.
• Only one person on the board at a time; next diver must wait at bottom of the ladder.
• Divers must dive straight off the board.
• Only one bounce per dive permitted; no practice bounces.
• Only forward dives are permitted; backward and inward dives are prohibited.
• Exit the diving area immediately after diving.
• Goggles, flippers, etc are not permitted while diving.
• Adjustments to the fulcrum are prohibited.
• Catching divers (including children) off the diving board is not permitted.
• Campus Recreation reserves the right to close the diving well to allow for other programming or open swim, in this case the diving boards will be closed.

Recreation Center Policies
• All members must check in at the front desk using a valid FGCU ID. All members must be 18 years of age or older. Expired, unauthorized, or counterfeit ID cards will be confiscated and privileges may be revoked.
• Appropriate, modest, and unaltered workout attire is required. Attire that compromises the safety, integrity, and professionalism of the facility and equipment is prohibited. Inappropriate attire includes jeans, pants and/or shorts with belts, rivets, buttons, or zippers, exposed midriffs or buttocks, any altered garment, sandals/flip flops, or opened toed shoes. Campus Recreation employees have the final approval of appropriate attire.
• Clean, non-marking, soft-soled, closed-toe and heel athletic shoes are required.
• Personal items must be placed in a locker or cubby. Items left unattended will be confiscated. Campus Recreation employees are not responsible for lost or stolen property.
• Activities deemed dangerous, improper or violate the intended use of the equipment are prohibited.
• For sanitary purposes, participants are expected to clean the equipment after each use.
• Return weights, bars, and dumbbells to their proper place after use.
• Spotters are strongly recommended when lifting heavy weight.
• Dropping and slamming weights is prohibited.
• Collars are strongly recommended on all bar lifts with plates.
• Fitness equipment should not be taken out of the facility at any time unless authorized by staff.
• Cell phone usage is not permitted while using equipment.
• Inappropriate language and behavior will not be tolerated.
• Water and sports drinks must be in a re-sealable container.
• Please limit the use of cardio equipment to 30 minutes when others are waiting.
• Allow others to work in when doing multiple sets on weight equipment.
• Personal training conducted by anyone other than a Campus Recreation Personal Trainers is strictly prohibited.
• All advertisements and flyers to be posted must be submitted to the Campus Recreation Marketing Office.
• Photography and videotaping is not permitted without consent from Campus Recreation staff.
• Failure to follow or adhere to the above policies and/or the direction of Campus Recreation staff may result in dismissal from facility, revocation of membership, or judicial review.
• Report all maintenance issues, emergencies, vandalism, or misuse of Campus Recreation facilities immediately to Campus Recreation staff.

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Group Fitness Studio Policies
• Campus Recreation group fitness classes, personal training, FGCU Athletics, and reservations have priority usage of the Group Fitness Studio.
• Appropriate and modest workout attire is required. Jeans, pants, and shorts with belts, rivets, buttons, zippers, or anything which compromises the safety and professionalism of the facility are prohibited. Appropriate attire is at the discretion of Campus Recreation employees.
• Clean, non-marking, soft-soled, closed-toe and heel athletic shoes are required. Shoe removal may be appropriate in certain classes.
• All equipment must remain in the studios and must be returned to its proper location after use.
• For sanitary purposes, participants are expected to clean the equipment after each use.
• Water and sports drinks must be in a re-sealable container.
• Cell phone usage is not permitted while participating in Group Fitness classes.
• Failure to follow or adhere to the above policies and/or the direction of Campus Recreation staff may result in dismissal from facility, revocation of membership, or judicial review.
• Report all maintenance issues, emergencies, vandalism, or misuse of Campus Recreation facilities immediately to Campus Recreation staff.
Strength & Conditioning Room Policies

- Campus Recreation personal training, FGCU Athletics, FGCU Powerlifting Club, and reservations have priority usage of the Strength & Conditioning Room.
- Appropriate and modest workout attire is required. Jeans, pants, and shorts with belts, rivets, buttons, zippers, or anything which compromises the safety and professionalism of the facility are prohibited. Appropriate attire is at the discretion of Campus Recreation employees.
- Clean, non-marking, soft-soled, closed-toe and heel athletic shoes are required.
- All equipment must remain in the room and must be returned to its proper location after use.
- For sanitary purposes, participants are expected to clean the equipment after each use.
- Return weights, bars, and dumbbells to their proper place after use.
- Spotters are strongly recommended when lifting heavy weight.
- Collars are strongly recommended on all bar lifts with plates.
- Water and sports drinks must be in a re-sealable container.
- Failure to follow or adhere to the above policies and/or the direction of Campus Recreation staff may result in dismissal from facility, revocation of membership, or judicial review.
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Recreation Outdoor Complex (ROC) Policies

- All users must be a current FGCU Campus Recreation member. Eagle ID cards must be presented upon request by Campus Recreation staff, and/or other University officials.
- Campus Recreation programs and events have priority usage of the facility.
- Use of the facility is on a first-come, first-serve basis, unless the facility is reserved.
- Activities deemed dangerous, improper, or violate the intended use are prohibited.
- Nets, bleacher, and other equipment may not be moved without permission of Campus Recreation staff.
- All waste should be placed in appropriate containers.
- Coolers are subject to inspection upon request by Campus Recreation staff, and/or other University officials.
- The following items are prohibited:
  - Pets, with the exception of service animals
  - Hanging on the net or rim
  - Glass containers
  - Alcohol
  - Tobacco products
  - Parking on the grass
- Report all maintenance issues, emergencies, vandalism, or misuse of Campus Recreation facilities immediately to Campus Recreation (239-590-7935), or FGCU Police (239-590-1911).

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Recreation Field
- All users must be a current FGCU Campus Recreation member. Eagle ID cards must be presented upon request by Campus Recreation staff, and/or other University officials.
- Campus Recreation programs and events have priority usage of the facility.
- Use of the facility is on a first-come, first-serve basis, unless the facility is reserved.
- Activities deemed dangerous, improper, or violate the intended use are prohibited.
- Goals and other equipment may not be moved without permission of Campus Recreation staff.
- All waste should be placed in appropriate containers.
- Vehicle traffic other than maintenance and game management vehicles are prohibited.
- Coolers are subject to inspection upon request by Campus Recreation staff, and/or other University officials.
- The following items are prohibited:
  - Metal cleats
  - Pets, with the exception of service animals
  - Golfing
  - Glass containers
  - Alcohol
  - Tobacco products
- Report all maintenance issues, emergencies, vandalism, or misuse of Campus Recreation facilities immediately to Campus Recreation (239-590-7935), or FGCU Police (239-590-1911).

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Auxiliary Gym Policies
- All users must be a current FGCU Campus Recreation member. Eagle ID cards must be presented upon request by Athletic Department staff, Campus Recreation staff, and/or other University officials.
- The gymnasium is intended for basketball and volleyball. Other activities are permissible at the approval of the Assistant Athletic Director of Facilities & Operations.
- Scheduled and reserved events take priority over open recreation.
- During open recreation, use of the facility is on a first-come, first-serve basis.
- Disassembling or removing equipment by participants is strictly prohibited.
• Kicking, throwing, or striking equipment towards the wall, ceiling, or bleachers is not permitted.
• Clean, non-marking, closed-toe athletic shoes are required.
• Shirts must be worn at all times.
• Hanging on the net or rim is prohibited.
• Food and chewing gum are not permitted in the gymnasiums. Water and sports drinks are allowed in a re-sealable container.
• Report all maintenance issues, vandalism, or misuse of facilities immediately to Athletics, (239-590-7013), or Campus Recreation (239-590-7935).
• Report all emergencies to University Police (239-590-1911).

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SoVi Pool Entry Policies
• Pool use is prohibited unless supervised by a Campus Recreation lifeguard.
• All users must be a current FGCU student, faculty/staff, or their guests. Valid Eagle ID cards must be presented upon entrance to the facility. Expired, unauthorized, or counterfeit ID cards will be confiscated and privileges may be revoked.
• All guests must purchase a daily guest pass and be accompanied by a current FGCU student or faculty/staff.
• Children under 13 years of age must be under direct adult supervision at all times.
• Children under 5 years of age must be accompanied in the water by an adult.
• Appropriate swimwear is required for all swimmers. Appropriate swimwear is at the discretion of the Campus Recreation employees.
• Campus Recreation employees are not responsible for lost or stolen property.
• The following items and activities are prohibited:
  – Coolers
  – Tobacco and alcohol products
  – Use of facility under the influence of alcohol or other drugs
  – Listening to personal music without use of headphones
  – Photography and videotaping without permission of Campus Recreation
  – Posting announcements or flyers without prior permission of Campus Recreation
• To ensure proper supervision and safety, Campus Recreation reserves the right to limit the number of individuals in the pool and/or close areas of the pool.
• Participants are expected to act responsibly and respect the rights of others. Unacceptable language and behavior are prohibited.
• Campus Recreation employees have the final authority on all safety related issues. Failure to follow or adhere to the above policies and/or the direction of Campus Recreation employees may result in dismissal from facility, revocation of membership, or judicial review.
• Report all maintenance issues, emergencies, vandalism, or misuse of Campus Recreation facilities immediately to Campus Recreation employees.

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SoVi Pool Policies
Maximum Bathing Load: 87 persons Maximum Deck Occupancy: 545
• Pool use is prohibited unless supervised by a Campus Recreation lifeguard.
• Appropriate swimwear is required for all swimmers. Appropriate swimwear is at the discretion of the Campus Recreation employees.
• Infant and toddlers must wear leak-proof pants or swim diapers.
• All swimmers are expected to shower before entering the pool.
• The following items and activities are prohibited:
  − Food, beverage, or gum in pool or on wet deck
  − Glass containers
  − Animals or pets on FGCU property
  − Swallowing the pool water
  − Running on pool deck
  − Diving into pool
  − Rough play, horseplay, and chicken fights
  − Dunking on basketball rims
  − Use of flotation devices unless approved by Campus Recreation staff

Picnic & Grill Area Policies
• Campus Recreation programs and events have priority usage of this area.
• Use of picnic area is on a first-come, first-serve basis, unless the facility is reserved.
• Grill use is limited to groups with confirmed reservations.
• Coolers are prohibited in the facility, unless preapproved for a confirmed reservation.
• All waste should be placed in appropriate waste/recycling containers.

Waterfront Facility Policies
• All users must be a current FGCU student, faculty/staff, or their guests. Eagle ID cards must be presented upon request by Campus Recreation staff, and/or other University officials.
• Activities deemed dangerous, improper or violate the intended use of facilities or equipment are prohibited.
• Swimming is available during posted hours when lifeguards are on duty.
• Swimming beyond the boundary buoys or in the boat launch area is strictly prohibited.
• Be cautious of sudden drops in lake bottom.
• Appropriate swim attire is expected and at the discretion of Campus Recreation staff.
• Alcohol, tobacco products, glass containers, and pets, with the exception of service animals, are prohibited at the waterfront.
• Coolers are subject to inspection at any time by Campus Recreation staff and/or University officials.
• Use of the facility and equipment under the influence of alcohol or drugs is strictly prohibited.
• Children under the age of 15 or younger must be accompanied by an adult at all times.
• Patrons are not permitted on the dock area unless authorized by Campus Recreation staff.
• Fishing is not allowed in the swimming area or off the dock.
• Users are expected to cooperate with Campus Recreation staff and abide by University regulations.
• Report all emergencies, vandalism, or misuse of facilities or equipment immediately to Campus Recreation (590-7935) or FGCU Police (590-1911).

Waterfront Boating Policies:
• Boat usage is free for FGCU students with a valid Eagle ID card. Non-students will be charged a boat rental fee.
• To use boats and equipment all users must register at the customer service window.
• Users must stay in boats at all times and wear provided PFD’s.
• Landing boats and watercrafts on Miromar property is strictly prohibited.
• Boats are not permitted to enter the designated swim area.
• Activities deemed dangerous, improper or violate the intended use of the equipment are prohibited.
• Damaged equipment may result in replacement charges or suspension of privileges.
• Users who are uncertain about how to use equipment should ask for staff assistance.
• Report all emergencies, vandalism, or misuse of facilities or equipment immediately to Campus Recreation (590-7935) or FGCU Police (590-1911).

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