

ST MARYS DISTRICT SCHOOL SWIMMING POOL RULES FOR USE OF POOL 2025-2026 SEASON

RECREATIONAL AND PERSONAL USE ONLY

GENERAL INFORMATION

1. Care must be taken by all cardholders and rules must be strictly adhered to.
2. Breaking of rules will lead to forfeiture of key-card and no refund, and disqualification for the next season.
3. Pool memberships are NON-REFUNDABLE.

REQUIREMENT OF KEYHOLDER

1. Cardholder must be 18 years or over
2. Current CPR certificate OR Current First Aid certificate with **annual** CPR endorsement. Key cards will be programmed with your certificate end date and access to the pool will be blocked until a current CPR certificate is provided.
3. Cardholder family is defined as family members residing at same address as cardholder.
4. Except for what may be contained in clause 2, below, under the heading "General Rules For Use Of Pool", only listed family members may use the pool with a cardholder.
5. If you feel your family does not meet usual family criteria, please check before using pool.
6. The pool door must be closed on entering the pool to prevent access of unauthorised people and the side door must remain closed at all times. Remember to take your pool key with you when visiting the outdoor change rooms/toilets
7. Key-holders will be issued with a key to the toilets. To reduce incidents of vandalism, the toilets must remain locked at all times.
8. Key holders and those under their supervision must agree to and adhere to the COVID-Safety requirements attached to this document. Failure to do so will result in the cancellation of pool membership.

GENERAL RULES FOR USE OF POOL

1. Because **no official/lifeguard will be on duty**, cardholder must accompany children under 18 and stay with them in the pool enclosure. **Children must not be left unattended in the pool or pool enclosure.**
2. Children of one cardholder may accompany another cardholder and family at pool to a maximum of 5 supervised swimmers per adult.
3. Allocated Keycards must not be transferred to any other person. Loss, damage to or theft of card must be reported to the school immediately and will result in forfeiture of key deposit and payment of another \$40 for issuing of the new card.
4. Cars must be parked in normal car park areas.
5. Dogs are not permitted on school site
6. Bikes are not to be brought into the pool area.
7. No Intoxicating Liquor or Illicit Substances are permitted under any circumstances on the school property.
8. Smoking is not permitted under any circumstances on the school property
9. No glass drink bottles or other unsafe items are to be brought into the pool enclosure.
10. No-one is to touch any equipment relating to the pool (pool filter) and card-holders must personally ensure that all fittings and equipment are left exactly as found.
11. If you think you will be the last to use the pool, please put the covers on and refer to cover instructions posted at the pool.

RULES FOR WATER SAFETY

1. NO Running anywhere within the pool enclosure.
2. NO Jumping or diving into the pool in a manner likely to endanger others or self.
3. NO Ducking, pushing or interfering with other swimmers.
4. DO NOT Enter the pool wearing bandages/band-aids that are not waterproof; or when having an infectious complaint or skin complaint.
5. Use of the starting blocks is prohibited. Key-card holders are to ensure that swimmers under their supervision **do not** use the starting blocks.
6. NO Nappies - **unsoiled** swim nappies only. **DO NOT change nappies on the pool deck**
7. NO Large inflatable pool toys. Only kickboards and floaties may be used.

In accordance with Public Health Act 1997:

- a. DO NOT use the pool if you or your child has had diarrhoea in the last 7 days
- b. DO NOT allow babies with soiled nappies to enter the pool
- c. DO NOT change Nappies near the pool
- d. SHOWER BEFORE USING POOL

BUDDY SYSTEM

We are required by the RLSSA to support a 2 person buddy system, to ensure in the event of an accident/emergency there is back up support by a buddy. **If you choose to swim as an individual you do so at your own risk.** Your signature on the pool application key implies you acknowledge and accept this condition. You are required to hold a Current CPR certificate OR First Aid certificate with a current annual CPR endorsement.

PRICING

1. For pricing and membership options, please refer to the accompanying Pool Keyholder Guide
2. All Key-cards and toilet keys require a \$40.00 deposit (forfeited if card or key is lost or stolen)
3. Resuscitation Mask \$5.50 (All cardholders are required to have a mask)

APPLICATION FOR USE

1. Cardholders who agree to the above rules, guidelines and etiquette and the accompanying Pool Keyholder Guide & fees, may use the pool from **27 September 2025 to 31 May 2026** (a 22 week season) .
2. A list of cardholders will be on display on the community noticeboard.
3. Safety equipment, resuscitation guide and emergency numbers displayed at pool. **** As this is an unsupervised pool, cardholders are required to have access to a mobile phone while in the pool enclosure in case of emergency.**
4. Pool hours – are advertised in the accompanying Pool Key-holder Guide which must be read in conjunction with this Hire Agreement.
5. On school days all community members using the pool **MUST** vacate the pool area no later than **7:45am** so as to allow staff to conduct classes.
6. Pool keys are granted on the understanding that you have read the rules and guidelines accept the risks and have indicated that you are prepared to adhere to them by signing the attached key application form.
7. Breaking of rules will lead to forfeiture of key, no refund and disqualification for the next season.
8. PLEASE NOTE: Use of the pool out of school hours is restricted to cardholders only. Unauthorized users will be prosecuted, as per school signage.



I have read and accept the above conditions. Hirer's initial: _____

ST MARYS DISTRICT SCHOOL SWIMMING POOL HIRE AGREEMENT

APPLICATION for KEYCARD ACCESS TERMS

AND CONDITIONS 2025-2026 SEASON

In accordance with Section 42 of the Education Act 1994

I/we apply for use of the St Marys District School pool from **26 September 2025 to 31 May 2026** in consideration of the fees and charges contained in the Pool Key-holder Guide – Season 2025-2026.

(Please indicate type of membership)

☐ **FAMILY SEASON TICKET \$295.50 (inc GST)** (payable in full, NOT REFUNDABLE)

☐ **COMPREHENSIVE SEASON TICKET \$295.50 (inc GST)** (payable in full, NOT REFUNDABLE)

Plus \$30.00 Per additional Junior Swimmer (under 18)

\$50.00 Per additional Adult Swimmer (18 years & over)

To a maximum of two additional swimmers per comprehensive membership

☐ **MONTHLY SUBSCRIPTION** - Key Deposit \$40.00 and \$45.00 per Month - (Payment per month or part thereof)

I acknowledge that I have read:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> The Rules for Use of Pool | 2025-2026 Season |
| <input type="checkbox"/> The Terms and Conditions | 2025-2026 Season |
| <input type="checkbox"/> The Pool Keyholder Guide | 2025-2026 Season |

And understand that adherence to these rules, conditions and guidelines contained within the documents are required and that failure to do so will result in the forfeiture of my key.

1. I accept all the terms and conditions overleaf and understand that the Principal may vary or amend these conditions of use at any time.
2. I will ensure that all persons for whom I am responsible for as a Hirer will abide by the conditions overleaf and I shall be personally responsible for the good behaviour and decorum of those persons.
3. I will obey all signage posted externally and within the enclosure. I will ensure that all persons for whom I am responsible for as Hirer will obey all signage posted externally and within the enclosure.
4. Failure to ensure that persons whom I am responsible for as Hirer follow the rules and signage and behave in a safe manner will result in forfeiture of my key.
5. I accept responsibility for both the care and security of the premises. The doors will remain locked and the pool blanket is covering the pool as required upon leaving.
6. I understand that the application is strictly non-transferable covering only the members of my family residing at my address / _____ additional swimmers (comprehensive membership - and listed below).
7. I will ensure that only those families/cardholders on the approved list use the pool
8. I understand that I am responsible for the allocated keycard and will not transfer it to any other person. I will notify the school immediately upon loss of the card. I acknowledge that loss of the

keycard will result in the forfeiture of the key deposit and payment of another \$40 deposit for the new card.

9. I agree not to bring or consume any intoxicating liquor or illicit substances onto School Property and that smoking on these premises is not permitted.
10. I agree to pay all costs and expenses for any damage for which I am responsible for as Hirer or occasioned by any failure to comply with these conditions. I will report any damage or accident that occurs during my period of use or that I find upon entering the pool enclosure.
11. I will indemnify the Crown in Right of Tasmania (including the Secretary of the Department of Education, the Principal of the school, the school and the Pool Co-ordinator) against all present and future legal liability, claims or proceedings for: (a) personal injury to or death of any person; (b) loss of, or damage to, property of any person; and (c) financial loss of any person; arising from, or attributable to, my occupation or use of the pool or my rights and entitlements under these terms and conditions.
12. I waive all present and future rights to claim against the Crown in Right of Tasmania (including the Secretary of the Department of Education, the Principal of the school, the school and the Pool Co-ordinator for: (a) personal injury, or death, to me; (b) loss of, or damage to, any of my property; and (c) financial loss to me; arising from, or attributable to, my occupation or use of the pool or my rights and entitlements under these terms and conditions.
13. I have a current First Aid certificate which includes an annual CPR endorsement or CPR Certificate.
14. I acknowledge that this is an **unsupervised pool** and all care must be taken.
15. I understand that I am responsible for the safety of other persons using the pool during my time of hire.
16. The principal has the right to close the pool at any time without prior notice to keyholders.
17. **SINGLE SWIMMERS:** I acknowledge that if I choose to swim as an individual I do so at my own risk.
18. I have read and understood the rules and guidelines attached to this application and contained within the Pool Keyholder Guide Season 2025-2026 The SMDS Community Pool COVID 19 User Guidelines 2025-2026 Season and understand that if I and those I am responsible for as Hirer fail to abide by the rules established I will forfeit my right to use the pool.
19. I acknowledge and agree that the brochure titled "St Marys District School – Pool Key-holder Guide Season 2025-2026 and the document titled "Rules for Use of Pool 2025-2026 Season" a copy of which is attached hereto, form part of, and shall be taken to be incorporated into, these terms and conditions
20. I acknowledge that by signing these terms and conditions I agree to be bound by them.

SIGNED BY THE HIRER*: _____ DATE _____

* Must have a valid CPR Certificate we are unable to issue keycards unless you have your CPR certificate with you

SUBSCRIPTION INFORMATION 2025-2026 Season

A. ☐ **Monthly** \$45.00 monthly rate (additional swimmer membership **not** available under this subscription)

B. ☐ **Family** up to \$295.50 (Family living at below address) (with NO ADDITIONAL SWIMMERS)
(payable in full, NOT REFUNDABLE) *cross out items below if not required

•Season Access \$250.00

•Key Deposit \$40.00* ,

•Optional CPR Mask \$5.50* (payable in full, NOT REFUNDABLE) \$ _____

C. ☐ **Comprehensive** up to \$295.50 (Maximum of 2 additional swimmers per membership)(Eg 2 Juniors, OR 2 Adults OR 1 Junior & 1 Adult) *cross out items below if not required

•Season Access \$250.00

•Key Deposit \$40.00* ,

•Optional CPR Mask \$5.50* (payable in full, NOT REFUNDABLE) \$ _____

•per additional junior swimmer under the age of 18 Please indicate Number: ☐ \$ 30.00

•per additional Adult swimmer 18 years & over Please indicate Number: ☐ \$ 50.00

(PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY):

NAME _____

POSTAL ADDRESS: _____

CONTACT PHONE NUMBER: _____

** EMAIL ADDRESS: _____
(Please print)

NAMES OF OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS – who live at the above address:

_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

Office Use Only:

Key #: _____

Note: _____