

SWIMMING POOL REGULATIONS OF THE KROKOWA SPORTS AND LEISURE CENTRE

§ 1 GENERAL PROVISIONS

1. The swimming pool hall (hereinafter referred to as: the Swimming Pool) is located within the Krokowa Sports and Leisure Centre, ul. Szkolna 6, 84-110 Krokowa (hereinafter referred to as: the Centre) owned by the Krokowa Commune. The Centre is managed and operated by Krokowskie Przedsiębiorstwo Komunalne Sp. z o.o. with its registered office in Żarnowiec (hereinafter referred to as: the Operator).
2. These Regulations set out the rules for using the Swimming Pool located within the Centre.
3. These Regulations supplement the Centre Regulations and must be applied in conjunction with them.
4. Every person using the Swimming Pool (hereinafter referred to as: the User) is obliged to read these Regulations and comply with them.
5. Entering the Swimming Pool area constitutes acceptance of these Regulations.
6. The Swimming Pool is open in accordance with the rules set out in the Centre Regulations.

§2 RULES FOR USING THE SWIMMING POOL AREA

1. The Swimming Pool comprises the part of the Centre located behind the access control gates next to the Reception and includes the swimming pools – sports pool, leisure pool, slide with a landing pool, and jacuzzi, the sauna area, changing rooms, showers, and passageways.
2. The Swimming Pool may only be used by persons holding a valid admission ticket in accordance with the current price list.
3. Clean, presentable swimwear that meets hygiene requirements must be worn within the Swimming Pool area: for women – a one-piece or two-piece swimsuit that fits snugly; for men – swimming trunks or shorts that fit snugly.
4. Children under the age of 3 must wear disposable swim nappies.
5. Before entering the Swimming Pool, Users are required to:
 - a) change into pool footwear; changing footwear is mandatory throughout the Swimming Pool area; flip-flops are recommended;
 - b) take a shower;
 - c) wear appropriate swimwear.
6. Within the Swimming Pool area, Users are obliged to:
 - a) exercise particular caution due to the risk of slipping;
 - b) use the equipment and facilities in accordance with their intended purpose;
 - c) follow the instructions of the lifeguards and staff.

7. Children under the age of 13 may only be present at the Swimming Pool under the constant supervision of adults, who bear full responsibility for the children entrusted to their care and are liable for any damage caused by them. Every child under the age of 3 must be under the supervision of at least one adult. A maximum of two children aged 4–13 may be under the supervision of one adult.
8. Wheelchair users are required to thoroughly clean and disinfect their own wheelchair before entering the Swimming Pool.

§3 USERS' OWN EQUIPMENT

1. Users are permitted to use their own swimming equipment within the Swimming Pool area, provided that it is designed for use in swimming pools, does not pose a threat to other users, and does not disrupt the use of the Swimming Pool.
2. In particular, the use of basic training and safety equipment, such as flippers, kickboards and armbands for children, is permitted.
3. It is prohibited to bring in and use large, inflatable recreational accessories and other items which, due to their size or nature, may hinder the use of the Swimming Pool or pose a threat to others.
4. Any equipment brought in must be clean and intended solely for use in the pool water.
5. The Centre Operator or staff, including lifeguards, have the right to refuse permission to use specific equipment or to order its removal from the Swimming Pool area if they consider that it may pose a threat or hinder the use of the Swimming Pool.

§4 SAFETY

1. The following audible signals apply at the Swimming Pool:
 - a) two short blasts – a warning;
 - b) one long blast (2–3 sec.) – rescue operation, immediate exit from the water;
 - c) three short blasts – end of rescue operation.
2. For safety reasons, the Operator reserves the right to temporarily close part or all of the Swimming Pool.
3. The maximum number of people using a single swimming lane at any one time is 15, although the final number of participants depends on the type of activity, the age of the participants, their skill level, and the decision of the instructor, lifeguard, or facility staff, taking safety rules into account.
4. The use of toiletries in glass containers in the showers is prohibited.
5. In order to ensure health and safety, the following are specifically prohibited:
 - a) entering the water against a lifeguard's instructions, when no lifeguard is on duty, or during a rescue operation;
 - b) being on the premises whilst under the influence of alcohol or intoxicants, or bringing such substances onto the premises or consuming them;
 - c) using the Swimming Pool in a manner inconsistent with one's ability (e.g. in areas designated for swimmers without the relevant skills);
 - d) jumping into the water, diving, or engaging in other dangerous behaviour without the lifeguard's permission;
 - e) running, pushing, throwing people into the water, shouting, and any behaviour that threatens safety;
 - f) bringing onto the premises dangerous items, including glass containers, sharp tools, and other items that may pose a threat;
 - g) damaging equipment, littering, and polluting the premises and the water;
 - h) using chemicals and soap outside designated areas;

- i) using equipment and facilities contrary to their intended purpose, including entering the water outside designated areas and using rescue equipment unnecessarily;
- j) moving equipment without the staff's consent;
- k) using mobile phones and devices capable of recording sound and images in wet areas, changing rooms, and shower areas;
- l) bringing onto the premises audio equipment, as well as consuming food or chewing gum outside designated areas;
- m) smoking tobacco, tobacco products, and using e-cigarettes;
- n) leaving items that obstruct passage, including flip-flops, in passageways;
- o) bringing onto the premises animals, vehicles and recreational equipment not intended for use within the Swimming Pool area;
- p) climbing onto structural elements and equipment not intended for use;
- q) relieving oneself outside designated areas.

§5 ORGANISED GROUPS

1. The Centre Operator permits organised groups to use the Swimming Pool only in accordance with the rules laid down by the Operator.
2. Organised groups may only use designated areas of the Swimming Pool and during designated times, in accordance with the current timetable or individual arrangements made with the Operator.
3. The Operator reserves the right to restrict organised groups' access to all or part of a pool basin, swimming lanes, or other areas, in particular for the sake of users' safety, comfort of use, or the organisation of the Centre's operations.
4. Participants in organised groups are required to follow the instructions of their chaperon or instructor and the Centre staff.
5. The chaperon or instructor of the organised group is responsible for the safety of the group's participants, subject to the duties of lifeguards as required by law.
6. The Operator reserves the right to amend the rules governing the use of the Swimming Pool by organised groups, including the areas made available, without prior notice, if justified on safety or organisational grounds.

§ 6 LIABILITY

1. The Operator shall not be liable for any belongings, money or items left unattended, in open lockers, in lockers that are not properly secured, or outside of lockers.
2. The Operator shall not be liable for any items lost on the Centre premises or stolen.
3. A charge equivalent to the full value of the damage applies in the case of damage to the Centre's equipment, as well as in the case of the destruction, damage or loss of items provided for use.
4. Parents or supervising adults are liable for damage caused by minors.
5. In the event of water in the pools being contaminated with faeces or vomit, the person responsible or their supervising adult is obliged to pay a one-off fee of PLN 500.
6. The Operator shall not be liable for accidents caused by failure to comply with these Regulations, the Centre Regulations, the instructions for using the water facilities, and staff guidance. Ignorance of the Regulations and on-site instructions does not exempt the User from liability for the improper use of the Swimming Pool and its equipment.