



RULES AND POLICIES

The Eufaula Community Center offers a variety of interests to the community. While we want everyone to enjoy him/herself, safety is a top priority for us. A membership card or daily use fee is required to enter the facility unless enrolled in a special program. Children under 16 years old, prior to entering the facility must be registered in a special program, taking part in a supervised activity or accompanied by an adult. Listed below you will find safety rules for each area of the community center.

GENERAL AREAS

- Children under 16 years of age must be accompanied or supervised by an adult 18 years or older (Fitness Room-Must be 18 or older to enter OR A MEMBER SUPERVISED BY A PARENT).
- No loitering – all persons in the facility must be using a specific area.
- Shoes, shirts and pants/skirts/shorts must be worn in ALL areas except when in the aquatics area.
- *Undergarments should not be visible!*

RACQUETBALL

- Children under 16 years of age must be accompanied or supervised by an adult 18 years or older.
- Shirts, athletic shoes and protective eyewear must be worn at all times.
- Racquetball courts are reserved for 1-hour increments; these time limits will be enforced if someone is waiting.

COMMUNITY ROOM

- Children under the age of 16 permitted only with an adult.
- *Shirts and shoes must be worn at all times!*
- Foul language will result in removal from the facility.
- When participating in athletic events, athletic shoes must be worn.
- Full court play only when permitted by staff.
- *Dunking or hanging on the goals is not permitted!*

UPPER TRACK/COMMUNITY ROOM

- Children under the age of 16 permitted only with an adult.
- Standing or stopping on the track is prohibited unless it is an emergency.
- No sprinting during heavy use hours.
- Strollers are not permitted on upper track (must use lower track).
- Athletic shoes only.

AQUATICS AREA

- Children under 16 years of age must be accompanied by a responsible adult (18 & older) unless participating in a supervised activity. Adult does not have to enter water with child, but must supervise pool-side.
- *Listen to the Lifeguards!*
- Swimmers must wear appropriate swimming attire – females must wear swimsuits – males must wear swim trunks with a *drawstring & lining* – no cut-offs or other clothing permitted while swimming in the pool unless for proven medical reasons.
- No squirt guns allowed!
- No inflatable life rings allowed. These are not safety devices & can be potentially dangerous.
- No arm floaties allowed. These deflate often & slide off the arms. If child is a non-swimmer & needs assistance, they may borrow ECC back floats.
- No hard balls allowed!!
- Personal noodles ARE allowed.
- Patrons must shower before entering the water.
- No one may enter the water with open sores.
- Running, horseplay & spitting water is not allowed.
- Profanity is not allowed!!
- No diving!!
- No jumping from deck when pool is overcrowded.
- Food may NOT be taken into the aquatics area.
- Wet clothing not allowed outside of the Aquatics Area.
- Shoes and shirt required before leaving the Aquatics Area.
- Children under the age of 2 must wear a swim diaper (these are not provided).

FITNESS ROOM

- *Must be 18 years old to enter OR A MEMBER supervised by a PARENT.*
- Food or glass containers are not permitted in the fitness room.
- No slamming or dropping weight stacks or hand weights.
- Proper attire is required – shirts, shorts or sweats, and shoes.
- Anyone found abusing the equipment will be asked to leave.

DISCIPLINARY ACTION

Every person using the Eufaula Community Center must abide by appropriate behavioral standards, rules and policies set forth by the Eufaula Parks and Recreation Department. All violations of the standards, rules and policies of the department should be reported to the appropriate staff. Each situation will be handled individually and, in all cases, the participant will be allowed to present their case.