



KLAHAYA SWIM AND TENNIS CLUB 2023 NEWSLETTER

Save the Dates:

May 6 – Work Party

May 13 – Work Party

May 20 (11-noon) – New Members Sneak Preview

May 20 (noon) – Opening Day



In addition to meaning “welcome,” Klahaya means home.

Hope, Health and Happiness!

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Klahaya Families,

While the past year has been filled with uncertainty and significant change, your 2023 Klahaya Board of Directors has been focused on the future. Nick Maxwell is returning as manager for his third season. We have 36 new families to welcome this year. I ask each existing member to reach out to and welcome the new members to Klahaya. We have a wonderful and infectious spirit at Klahaya, and it starts with the adult members. The Klahaya spirit is transferred to our children and as they grow up it circles back with our many young adult members/employees who help run the club during the summer, and many of whom mentor our children in swimming or tennis during the summer.

Speaking of new faces, when you return to the club you will notice several enhancements to our physical plant. Mike Sherry (Facilities Director) has been hard at work during the offseason overhauling the clubhouse interior. We have new flooring, painting, and a new front desk. Mike coordinated the procurement of much-needed new swim deck furniture. Mike has more details in the Facilities Update. We are all looking forward to you enjoying these much-needed replacements/updates. On the disappointing side, during the winter we evaluated the diving board base due to observable corrosion. We engaged experts who concluded that the base must be replaced. This is a long lead time item and will require moving the diving board to a location between starting blocks 4 and 5 instead of in the middle of the deck between blocks 3 and 4. The diving board will not be in place prior to Opening Day and likely will not be useable until late in the season.

We will continue to use MemberSplash to run our klahaya.net website, front desk capabilities (including paperless check-in and credit card processing), reservation system, and more.

As a reminder, our insurance requires that liability waivers are completed for each membership every year. If you have a newly minted 18 year old, they will now need to fill out their own liability form and cannot be listed as a child under “minors” on parent forms. You can complete the waiver when you log into your online account at klahaya.net. Please do your best to ensure that this is taken care of prior to opening day.

Wishing you a summer filled with hope, health, and happiness, we are looking forward to seeing you at Klahaya. As always, please feel free to email any questions you might have:

president@klahaya.net

Erin Gallagher, Board President



IMPORTANT INFO FROM YOUR TREASURER

Greetings Klahaya family!

The 2023 dues and assessment invoices were sent out earlier this year. 95% of members paid yearly dues on time ahead of the March 31st deadline which puts Klahaya in a strong cash flow position heading into the operating season. If you haven't already sent in your payment, please pay online using our Klahaya website or send payment to: Klahaya Swim & Tennis, PO Box 74, Edmonds, WA 98020. (Note: If you had any outstanding fees from last year, those were added to your 2023 invoice.)

As a reminder, club policy requires all outstanding fees and assessments, and other invoices must be paid in full in order to use club facilities.

I am happy to report that all insurance policies are in place/bound (well before the start of the club season). Taxes have been filed and accepted for the year via our local CPA firm we work with. I recently met with our bank (annual meeting) and Klahaya is in compliance with all yearly banking covenant requirements. Due to strategic capital planning over the last year Klahaya was in a good position for planned repairs and improvements (even the unexpected). Klahaya is financially sound and fiscally ready for the needs of the club in 2023. Please reach out directly to me if you have any questions and we are excited to see everyone at the club this year!

-Ben Copstead (CPA) Klahaya Treasurer.

NEWS FROM MANAGER NICK!

Nick Maxwell, Manager

Hello Klahaya Family, I am excited to serve such a great community as facility manager for the second summer! This will be our second full season without Covid-19 restrictions, and I am excited to make this even better than last year. I grew up going to the Innis Arden pool and also assisted with managing that facility.

This year we will be continuing our **opening day lottery system** for the first session of lessons and pool rentals. Each membership will receive a lottery number, and a time window to come to Klahaya for sign-ups the morning of opening day. We will be sending out the lottery number and times the week before opening day, but you can plan on a time between 9am and noon.

FACILITIES UPDATE

Mike Sherry, Facilities

Frog family,

I'd like to welcome you to the 2023 Klahaya Swim and Tennis Club season! As spring arrives, and we are surrounded by budding flowers and new growth, we are also privileged to be able to look forward to the beginning of a new Klahaya season. As your Facilities Director, I'm excited to share some of the improvements we've made to the club during the off-season.

As you step inside the front doors, you'll quickly notice several new things that have sprouted up... a new reception desk, new concrete floor covering, and new paint! The clubhouse looks rejuvenated and fantastic - but more importantly, the improvements should allow for continued heavy use during the season, without wearing out and showing that use.

Our new "centerpiece of the clubhouse", the reception desk, has been updated and looks beautiful. Not only do we hope it serves as a warm welcome when you enter the club, but we are excited to see it serve our staff as they serve you. Our old desk was breaking down and falling apart, could no longer be fully cleaned due to the materials it was made of and years of popsicle drips and dirty hands.



We also recognized that it was time to recoat our floors. If you were a member last year, you'll recall that the floor paint was chipping, peeling, and bubbling, causing paint chips to stick everywhere in the lobby, and the concrete to lay bare and unprotected. Prior floor coatings had not held up the way we'd expected them to, so we opted for a different floor coating that we expect will be much more durable. Our lobby, locker rooms, family restroom and the guard closet/office look wonderful! We also took this time to refresh the walls with new interior paint and a new color scheme.

Beyond the clubhouse, we replaced broken and missing furniture. You'll see some new deck tables, chairs, and chaise lounges to complement our existing deck furniture. We are especially excited to unveil umbrellas that provide more utility to all members by use of a hand crank instead of manual lifting. As there will be no more need to stand on chairs or tables to reach the top of the umbrellas, we also expect our new chairs and tables will hold up better! Shade on demand will be a huge improvement for everyone!

One setback, though temporary, is the fact that the diving board will be closed for most of the season. While performing maintenance and prepping for other improvements during the off-season, we discovered significant signs of wear and tear on the diving board stand and the concrete below. The Board of Directors had no choice but to prioritize safety and make repairs. More to come later - we're still working through logistics and timeline details.

Work Parties:

We have two upcoming work parties scheduled this spring prior to the club opening on Saturday, May 20th:

MARK YOUR CALENDARS! BRING THE WHOLE FAM AND GLOVES AND TOOLS!

Work Party #1: Saturday, May 6th 9am-2pm - concentrating on the grounds and outside areas. Bring your garden tools, trucks, wheelbarrows, rakes, shovels, muscles, and your smile - it's time to meet some members!

Work Party #2: Saturday, May 13th 9am-2pm - concentrating on cleaning, tidying and final set-up before opening day.

A more detailed plan of action for these work parties will be coming in an email soon from our club manager to all members. If you have any questions, you can reach him at: manager@klahaya.net.

Reminder: ALL member families are responsible for 2 hours (minimum) of maintenance work per summer around the club. As a member-owned facility, it is the responsibility of us all to keep our club clean, tidy, and running smoothly.

Go Frogs!

Mike Sherry - Facilities Director

Two Spring Work Parties (both 9am-2pm):

- **Saturday, May 6**
- **Saturday, May 13**

ALL members are responsible for **2 hours (minimum)** of maintenance work at the club each season—so please pick a date now, and plan on attending one or more of these. BYOT (Bring Your Own Tools), and a mindset toward Klahaya FUN! Stay tuned for more details as we get closer to our work party dates.

Work Parties:

You own Klahaya. As a member owned club, we all take pride in our facility, and it requires all of us to work together to get the club in shape each spring, so we can fully enjoy it in the summer. Our work parties are “all-hands-on-deck” affairs, with a great tradition of full member involvement. We are planning on hosting two work parties this spring, prior to opening day. There will be two more work parties later in the season.

Dinner at Klahaya?

There is nothing more special in the summer than an evening filled with friends and a dinner straight from the barbeque at Klahaya. We are able to continue use of our BBQs this season! Bring the Grills! Kindly clean up after yourselves and make sure grills are off after use of these facilities.

Questions: Contact Mike Sherry – facilities@klahaya.net

POPSICLES!

These treats are pure kid joy on a sunny summer day! For \$20, Club members can purchase 10 popsicles on your member account. When you or your child (with your permission, of course) wants a popsicle, go to the front desk, and ask the staff member there to pull your card and mark off how many you take. We are looking to go all electronic soon.



- Money on your popsicle card carries over to next year, nothing lost!
- Popsicle cards make great birthday gifts for little Klahaya frog friends!
- Popsicles are provided by Al the Popsicle Guy.
- Popsicles should be eaten on the upper patios or the grass only.

NO popsicles on the pool deck, please!
Physically distance when you eat your popsicles!!

GENERAL INFORMATION

RULES AND EXPECTATIONS:

- Club hours will be furnished to members and posted on the bulletin board.
- During open pool hours, two certified lifeguards will always be on duty.
- **All members and guests must have a signed liability waiver on file before entering the club.** Children (including guests) must have a parent- or guardian-signed waiver.
www.leagueathletics.com/Registration/Restrictions.asp?RegID=300401&n=&org=klahaya.net
- People using the Club do so at their own risk. The Club will not be held responsible for any accident or injury in connection with such use.
- The Club will not be held responsible for the loss of personal property.
- No abusive language is allowed.
- Alcohol and tobacco products are not permitted on the premises.
- The costs of damaged Club property will be charged to the responsible member.
- No cell phone use in the restrooms/changing areas.

VOLUNTEERING: ALL HANDS ON DECK!

There are 3 exciting categories of volunteer hours:



Facilities/Grounds: All Klahaya Families are required to give a minimum of two (2) hours per season of basic maintenance and upkeep of grounds and facility. Work parties are scheduled in the spring prior to Opening Day and later in the season.

Swim Team: If your family has children on the swim team, six (6) additional volunteer hours per family are required per season. This includes, but is not limited to, meet set up, timing and officiating, preparing for our working concessions, and clean up. [Note: This year, swim team volunteer requirements will be re-evaluated once we know what is possible.]

Tennis Team: If your family has children on the tennis team, one (1) volunteer hour per family will be required per season. Help is needed before, during and after matches—and other times.

We can always use help with our summer activities! Contact Marjorie at: activities@klahaya.net

Members are responsible for logging their volunteer hours via the online “volunteer reporting form.” Signing up for a volunteer spot does not signify you have completed the hours. You must use the reporting form to report hours so that we may track them.

You can find further volunteer details on our website under Members > Volunteer Opportunities & Reporting

➔ In September, all volunteer hours not worked will be billed \$50.00/hour. ☒

MEMBERSHIP UPDATE

Beth Easton, Membership Director

We are excited to welcome 36 new families to the Klahaya community this year! There will be a lot of fresh faces and joy around the pool - be sure to say hello and welcome them to the club with full frog spirit. If you would like to sign up to be a mentor frog to a new family, and haven't done so already, please email me to sign up. More information coming for mentor and mentee frogs soon.

Also, we have moved over 80 families off the waitlist this year. I want to highlight and note that *a very large majority* of declined membership offers are because families have moved out of state or joined another pool. The waitlist is now under 500 families, which is great news too. The online list was updated on May 2, 2023, and will be reposted again on our website when all new families are processed for the season.

Looking forward to seeing everyone poolside! GO FROGS! -Beth

Important - Members' to-do online before opening day:

Go to <https://klahaya.net/membership/manage-account> and log into your account.

- ☒ Add your family members' photos to their profiles
- ☒ Add your family members' birthdays to your profiles
- ☒ Update any changes to your address and phone numbers
- ☒ Fill out your liability forms

**Note, if any of your children turned 18 since last season, they will need to fill out their own liability form this year. They cannot be listed as minors within your liability form.*

Selling Your Membership:

The deadline for existing members to notify Klahaya of their intention to depart from their membership was March 31. This deadline will likely change to be a bit earlier for next year.

Member Contact Information:

If your address, phone number or email has changed you can update this yourself when you log-into your online account. Alternatively, you can send me your most current information so I can keep our records updated: (membership@klahaya.net)

Questions:

If you have any questions about your membership or wish to give notice, please email membership@klahaya.net. You can also refer to the Klahaya website for more information: <https://klahaya.net/members/cancel-or-transfer-membership/>

KLAHAYA GEAR

Looking forward to the opening of the club in Mid-May? It is time to start getting into a Klahaya state of mind. What is a Klahaya state of mind, you ask? For frogs, it begins with anticipation of all of the wonderful things that the club represents— lessons, swim and tennis team, lap and free swim, family barbecues, beach blanket bingo, etc. Most importantly, it is the value we place on the people in this community and the spirit we embody. We count down the days until Opening Day, and we are sad at the end of every season.



(Head Tennis Pro Peter Reni, sporting our Klahaya Nike sweatshirt)

Helpful information for navigating the Nike merchandise site:

- Here is the link to our store: <https://klahaya.gearupsports.net/index.php?route=common/home>
- The store offers merchandise in women's, men's and youth sizing. Please select the "youth sizes" bar at the top to see what merchandise is offered in that sizing.
- For questions regarding sizing, please select "Nike sizing chart" under "information" at the bottom of the page.

SWIM TEAM

Tom Schutte, Co-Head Coach



Welcome to an amazing upcoming Klahaya Swim Team experience. My name is Tom Schutte, and this is my 10th season as the Klahaya Head Swim Coach. I cherished my formative years as a youth swimmer. I am convinced that a fantastic opportunity awaits all KLA Frogs who wish to join our 2023 Frog Nation, all skill levels are welcome! Over my past 30 years of teaching and coaching high school athletes, I have had the privilege of working with kids of all abilities and skills. Each one begins a spark of excitement and growth.

There are fun smiles, joy, hard work, community, and connection on our team, and we are primed to offer an exciting team experience for all KLA youth ages 5-18 on our team.

Our season begins Monday May 15, and we are pumped to welcome all our new families into our team family. The team **registration is live and open now** on the KLA website for you to join our official team roster. The practice times and the 2023 meet schedule are posted as well.

Our 2023 Coaching Staff will be a fun and talented group. Co-Head Coach Rachel Reiber grew up at Innis Arden, was a WA State Champion in the 100 Breast in high school, swam for the University of Washington, and now has a family with two young Frogs. Assistant Coach David Lin who swam for KLA for 12 years, community and school leader, multi-sport athlete, and has the heart of a champion. Assistant Coach Aidan Schutte, who swam for KLA for 12 years, WIAA State Finalist for O’Dea High School, School Record Holder, broke several KLA Records, was All-City Champion, and loves all our Klahaya Frogs.

We welcome all new and returning KLA families to join our team promptly. Please understand that HALF of our summer swim season happens when school is still in session. Practice attendance directly relates to skill development. Our team will be strong if kids learn skills and get into shape long before our meets begin in late June. Thank you, and welcome aboard to a fun summer ahead in the Frog Nation.

My email is swimcoach@klahaya.net. Please feel free to ask me any questions you may have. Let’s go All-In and Rise Together this 2023 KLA summer. Go Frogs!

MONDAY – FRIDAY

Practice Time	Age Group
5:30 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.	8 & Unders
6:00 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.	9 & 10’s
6:10 p.m. – 7:10 p.m.*	11 & 12’s
6:50 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.*	13 & 14’s & Seniors

*First 20 minutes are strength training

SWIM TEAM INFO

Erin Gallagher, Swim Director

Swim equipment – We have fins, pool buoys and paddles with a mix of product from Blueseventy and Swim Outlet.

SWIM LESSON INFO



Swimsuits – We will be using the same suit as last year and can be ordered along with other gear from the [Klahaya Swim Outlet store](#). They have a liberal return policy so if unsure of sizes you can order a couple and return what doesn't fit. I am looking to build out a section on the website for swimsuit selling/trading/gifting. Look for more information in the coming weeks.



Caps – Personalized Klahaya swim caps are available for purchase with swim team registration for \$9.55. A limited number of non-custom caps will be available for purchase at the front desk for \$10 including tax.

Swim Lessons – We expect to have swim lessons starting when school gets out and with a similar model as in 2022 – starting after swim team practice ends in the late morning and running through the start of open swim in the early afternoon. If looking to get a jump on lessons prior to our late June start, Harbor Square (members and non-members) and the Dale Turner YMCA (currently members only) have options. Another option is the [McDonald Swim School](#) owned by a local Edmonds family.

Looking forward to seeing you in the pool this summer!

Klahaya 2023 Meet Schedule

6/22 Thursday	Blue Ridge at KLA (Home)
6/27 Tuesday (Away)	KLA at Sheridan Beach
6/29 Thursday	Sand Point at KLA (Home)
7/6 Thursday	KLA at Aqua Club (Away)
7/11 Tuesday	Wedgwood at KLA (Home)
7/13 Thursday (Away)	KLA at View Ridge
7/18 Tuesday (Away)	KLA at Innis Arden
7/21 Friday (AM meet)	B-Champs at Blue Ridge
7/24 Monday Ridge	Girls Prelims at View
7/25 Tuesday	Boys Prelims at Sand Point
7/27 Thursday KLA	Northern Division Finals at
8/1 Tuesday Aqua Club	GSSSL All City Finals at

TENNIS TEAM

Peter Reni, Head Tennis Professional

USPTA Certified

Jack Bong, Head Tennis Coach

Greetings Klahaya Tennis Families!



My name is Peter Reni. On my first day of Klahaya tennis I was warmly greeted by a coach who saw me and my classmates as miracles. I was 5 years old. In the summers to follow, the concept of tennis became intertwined with the concept of love. I joined tennis team when I turned 11, and summer tennis became family. When I turned 17 I began to coach, and for a few months every summer, Klahaya Tennis became *life*. When I turned 20 I became Head Coach. When I turned 25 I became Head Pro. The program grew, and I was honored to curate the tradition, the spirit, the *gift* of Klahaya tennis. During my 19 summers as a coach, I watched hundreds of kids develop as players, leaders and people on the 3 courts in the woods. It was the privilege of a lifetime. Then, in 2021, I made the tough decision to retire from my position to commit more time to my own two kids. I knew Klahaya had great leaders in the program to carry on the tradition in my absence. To Isabelle Madath, Tyler Gettmann, Maddie Bong and all of the first time coaches last summer, those who know Klahaya Tennis say THANK YOU. The gift of your service will not be forgotten.

Late this April, Matt Simons informed the board that after one summer he would not be returning as Head Teaching Professional. The board reached out to me and asked if I was willing to return in a non-coaching role to help stabilize, protect and develop Klahaya Tennis during this time of transition. How could I say no?

I'm back!

And I'm not alone! **Returning this summer as Head Tennis Coach will be Jack Bong**, a long time player and coach at Klahaya and former winner of our most prestigious Jeffrey Clarke Award. At Shorewood, Jack was a four year varsity tennis player and a state competitor. A graduate from WSU, Jack traveled with the club tennis team and worked on the staff with the women's varsity tennis team. Welcome back, Coach Jack!

Jack will be joined by a team of new and returning coaches from last summer who are eager to build meaningful relationships and community on the courts. Each brings great tennis experience from Klahaya and beyond to our young players. We can't wait to finalize our staff and introduce these young leaders to our membership.

This summer will feature our full programming of lessons for players ages 3-Adult, NEJTL Tennis Team, World Team Tennis, Ladder Cross, Fitness Tennis, Adult Drop-In Tennis, and so much more.

For me and countless others, Klahaya Tennis has been love, family and LIFE. What an honor it is to serve as a steward for the next generation of players, coaches, and miracles.

See you on the courts!

Peter Reni
Steward of Klahaya Tennis
Frog for Life

TENNIS INFO

Casey Bui, Tennis Director

Welcome back to Klahaya Tennis!

Welcome back to a new year at Klahaya... a tradition like no other! We look forward to another fun summer season out on the courts. We have some exciting changes to staffing and are sure you will be excited. We are happy to welcome both new and returning families to another beautiful Klahaya tennis season. Please visit the [Klahaya tennis page](#) for more details and to register for our tennis team. Email Jack Bong with your questions at tennispro@klahaya.net.

Tennis Team fees for 2023 are \$165/child plus tax.

Group Tennis lessons: \$65 + tax per session for members; \$85 + tax per session for waitlisted nonmembers** (sessions 4a & b pro-rated)

Interested in joining our tennis team?

To join our tennis team, there is not an age requirement - but you should be ready to compete. To join, you must be able to:

- Rally from the baseline
- Serve consistently from the baseline
- Keep score

Not sure if you're ready? Join us for our Saturday Workouts on June 17th and 24th and Coach Jack will let you know if you're ready to rock, or if you should wait until next summer!

Tennis Team Save the Date:

Tennis Team Extravaganza: June 25

Kick off the tennis season with existing and aspiring tennis team members! We'll have games and prizes. This is a great time to ask the coaches questions if you are considering the tennis team.

World Team Tennis ("WTT") Kick Off: June 30

Join us for the Tennis Team BBQ, the Sorting Hat and the first matches of the year.

4th of July Family Doubles: July 4

Wonderful chance for our tennis team and their families to play together in a friendly Klahaya Family Tournament.

Ladder Cross Tournament: July 15

The tournament of all tournaments for tennis team members. Kids from the top of the ladder pair with kids from the bottom. Older players connect with younger players to improve their skills, move up the ladder and build camaraderie.

WTT Tournament: August 4

NEJTL Tournament: August 9

TENNIS LESSON SCHEDULE

Session 1: June 27 – July 6

Session 2: July 11 – July 20

Session 3: July 25 – August 3

Session 4: August 8- August 17

Session 5: August 22- August 31

TENNIS LESSON LEVELS

Tiny Tots Tennis (ages 3-6): "What is a racquet?"

Beginner: Teaches a basic understanding of forehand, backhand, serves and scoring.

Advanced Beginner: Advance knowledge of beginning skills by playing singles and doubles, with teaching of the overhead and volley.

Intermediate: Students will learn the various spins of the ground strokes and serve, as well as various strategies of singles and doubles.

Advanced: Advanced strategies for tournament play, including mental toughness and stroke analysis.

Adult Tennis: Hone your social and tennis skills with two weekly adults tennis events (no additional charge for members):

Adult Cardio (Wednesdays from June 28 through August 16, 6-7pm) – Our coaches run you around in a doubles format that focuses on fun and a good workout. You will play short matches and participate in some fun skills-based drills.

Adult Doubles (Mondays from July 3 through August 14, 6-7pm) - Pair up with old and new friends alike as we rotate through doubles matches.

ACTIVITIES

Marjorie High, Activities Director

Another fun summer at Klahaya is upon us! What would a summer be without traditional Klahaya events like Beach Blanket Bingo, Teen Night, and Adult Night? Don't forget the Monday morning Pancake Breakfasts planned throughout the swim and tennis seasons and opportunities to show your Frog Pride with our famous Glitter Tattoos!

Here's a schedule of events so that you can save the dates:

June 9 – Swim Practice Get to Know You Appetizer Night

June 17 - Community Faire

June 27 - Glitter Tattoos!

June 30 – Parents Night Out (volunteer hours available for teens)

June 26, July 10, 17, 24- Pancake Breakfasts

July 7 – Adult Pub Night and Social

July 15 – Kids Lawn Games and Pool Party (volunteer available hours for teens)

July 29 - Adult Swim Meet

July 28 - Beach Blanket Bingo

Aug. 5th – Teen Tween Night

Aug. 11 – Platter Cross Adult Law Game Night

Aug. 18 - Outdoor Movie Night

Watch for more information around the club as the season progresses!

How does all this programming happen you ask?? Through the help of great people like you! We need volunteers to assist with events throughout the summer. Pitch in to make things happen for the club (and fulfill your volunteer commitment) by taking on one or two events this summer! Consider recruiting a friend to bring along when you help!

If you would like to volunteer, please fill out this interest form and we will be in touch - [Klahaya Volunteer Interest Form](#)

Please send an email to activities@klahaya.net with any questions! Check out the calendar on the Klahaya website for all the details on summer fun!

POOL RULES



DEEP WATER SAFETY POLICY

1. In order to swim in the deep end unsupervised, swimmers must pass the pool test (swim 25 yards without stopping and tread water for one minute).
2. In order to use the diving board, swimmers must: a) pass the pool test, and b) demonstrate they can jump off the diving board safely and swim independently to the side of the pool.
3. Swim straight to the side after diving; no swimming or playing in the diving area. Only swim instructors will be allowed to catch children as they jump.
4. One person at a time on the diving board. Wait until the previous diver has cleared the area before diving.
5. No running dives, cartwheels, handstands or hanging off the diving board. Only one bounce on the board.

SHALLOW WATER SAFETY POLICY

1. In order to swim in the shallow end unsupervised, swimmers must be able to swim across the shallow end of the pool without stopping. If the swimmer cannot swim across the shallow end of the pool without stopping, in-water adult supervision is required.
2. Use of water-wings and other flotation devices are permissible only when an adult accompanies the non-swimmer into the pool.

SMALL POOL WATER SAFETY POLICY

1. The small pool is for the use of children ages 6 and under only.
2. An adult must accompany children in the small pool area and must remain inside the fenced boundary. The adult is responsible for the safety of the child or children swimming in this pool.

Safety Rules:

1. Walk on the pool deck.
2. No wrestling, pushing or dunking.
3. Toys are allowed in the pool at staff discretion.
4. No food is allowed on the pool deck. Food is allowed on the terraces only.
5. Non-alcoholic beverages in non-glass containers are allowed on the pool deck and terraces.
6. Children under age 12 must be accompanied by an adult who remains on the pool deck unless the child has passed a basic pool test and is at least 8 years old.



Health Rules:

1. Shower before swimming (state law).
2. Refrain from chewing gum, spitting, urinating or blowing nose in the pool.
3. Rinse off sunscreen or oils before swimming.
4. Do not enter the water if you are wearing a bandage, have skin abrasions, infections or inflamed eyes.
5. Do not enter the water if you have been ill with diarrhea in the last 2 weeks or have a disease that can be transmitted by water.
6. Diapers must be changed in the designated changing area and must have a tight-fitting protective covering.
7. No pets are allowed.

TENNIS COURT RULES



1. Only members and their guests (when allowed) may use the tennis courts. Courts are not open during pool parties.
2. Children under age 8 must be accompanied on the court by a responsible adult.
3. Non-marking rubber-soled tennis shoes must be worn on the tennis courts.
4. No food or beverages (except water) are allowed.

5. Observe the one hour and fifteen-minute court time rule. Club-sponsored events have priority.
6. Adult members have priority. On weekend, holidays and weekdays after 5pm, junior (under age 18) must relinquish the courts to 2 or more adults or to one adult and one child.
7. Any failure to comply with these rules shall be considered cause for immediate suspension of club privileges for a period of from one to seven days and can also be considered cause for membership cancellation.

GUEST POLICY & POOL RENTALS

Guest policies:

Guests bring great joy to Klahaya, and we hope to be able to allow them back in 2023. Detailed guest information and procedures will be sent out at a later date.

A guest is any non-member who sets foot on Klahaya property for any activity including—but not limited to— swimming, tennis, supervision of children, sunbathing, picnicking, basketball, etc.

Members as defined in the [bylaws](#) are: All residents of a household who live in that household, and family members, limited to the following: Adult(s) who purchased the membership, and person(s) who reside with and are living as members of the household, including children of any age; and adult children under the age of twenty-six (26), regardless of where they live.

All guests must be accompanied by a member and will be required to sign a liability waiver prior to entrance to the club. Guests under the age of 18 will be required to have a parent or guardian complete the form on their behalf in advance. Forms will be made available online for advance completion.

Members are responsible for the actions of their guests and will be assessed a guest fee per guest at the time of the visit. More logistical details to come...

Pool Rental Policies:

- A GROUP consists of at least 1 member and their guests.
- Groups that include 5-9 guests (and any number of members must make a courtesy call to the club to use the pool.
- Groups that include 10 or more guests (and any number of members) must arrange in advance to rent the pool during hours that the pool is closed.
- All members and their guests must leave the property by 10 p.m. This is a courtesy to ensure good relations with our neighbors. Please clean up after your party and your guests!
- The tennis courts are not open to pool rental guests.
- As a courtesy to our neighbors, please refrain from playing music.
- If members are planning a multi-family BBQ and swim party, they must contact the manager before the activity to see if a pool rental will be required.
- School parties are limited to one class of up to 35 children.
- **ALL guests at the pool must complete a liability waiver before entering the property. Guests who are age 18 years of age or under must have a waiver completed by a parent or guardian.**



*“One of the
deep secrets
of life is that
all that is
really
worth doing
is what we do
for others.”*

*- Lewis
Carroll*

BOARD OF DIRECTORS – JOIN US!

All Klahaya Board positions are volunteer (no free guest passes or reduced fees).
We love our Club and work hard to ensure that it is enjoyed by many.

Positions open every year, and we invite you to join us!

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