Candlelight Oaks Civic Club 2023 Pool Membership Agreement

Each address in Candlelight Oaks is eligible for a pool membership, provided that all association fees are current. For 2023, a membership activation fee of \$125 will apply to Candlelight Oaks residents who choose to participate in pool membership. Candlelight Oaks Village residents are eligible for membership for a fee of \$175. Payment and a completed and signed form is required before an activated gate card will be issued. All adults 18 years of age or older must sign the application to agree to the waiver, indemnification, and compliance with COCC Pool Rules.

Annual Pool Membership (Expires 12-31-2023)

Cost for Candlelight Oaks Residents - \$125 membership activation fee Cost for Candlelight Oaks Village Residents - \$175

Pool Gate cards will be required for entry into the pool area. If you have an old gate card, please submit the card

with this form for re-activation. We must have the physical card to reactivate.

New membership Reactivation _____ If you need a gate card please indicate here Limit of one card per residence. Initial card included with new membership. Replacement cards \$25 each. Please place this form along with payment and your current gate card, if any, in the mailbox at: 5616 Oakhaven Ln Make check payable to: Candlelight Oaks Civic Club, Inc. Payment may be made via Zelle to: treasurer@candlelightoaks.com. Please note that the signed form must be returned to COCC prior to receiving an activated gate card. **Household Information** Household Name: Street Address: All household members who will be using the pool: Name DOB Age Gender M/F

Household Contact Information			
Home Phone:			
Cell/Work Phone:			
Emergency Phone:			
Email (optional)			

COCC SWIMMING POOL RULES

The pool rules are essential to ensure the health, safety, and comfort of all participants. This is particularly important because there is **NO LIFEGUARD ON DUTY**. Participants observed and/or reported as not abiding by these rules may be asked to leave the facility and may also be subject to suspension or termination of facility privileges. Pool membership cost is not refundable or pro-rated for any reason. The undersigned are responsible for their own and their guests' behavior while at the pool.

Pool Hazards:

The pool should not be utilized if the following events occur:

- If water visibility and/or quality is compromised. At all times the bottom of the pool must be visible and the water must be clear. If these conditions do not exist, please contact Lori Bulla at 713.498.2961
- **Operational and mechanical difficulties** affecting pool water quality, especially when water visibility is compromised. If these conditions exist, please contact Lori Bulla at 713.498.2961.
- During **severe weather conditions** (heavy rain, lightning, and thunder) and warnings, especially when visibility to the pool bottom is compromised (deck should also be avoided)
- For 30 minutes following the last occurrence of thunder or lightning (deck should also be avoided).
- For a period of time following any mishap that results in feces or vomit in the pool water. If these conditions exist, please contact Lori Bulla at 713.498.2961

- Guests are limited to 5 persons per MEMBERSHIP (i.e. per residence). To host greater than 5 guests during one pool visit, Members may reserve the pavilion for the appropriate reservation fee. A forty-eight (48) hour prior notice period is required for pavilion rental. A Pavilion Reservation form may be requested by email at board@candlelightoaks.com. The form details cost of reservation, cleaning deposit, and terms of reservation.
- Members may not lend their gate card or otherwise allow non-members to occupy the pool area when the member is not present. Members are not permitted "drop-off" non-members and leave the premises. You are responsible for your guests.
- Failure to comply with these rules may result in revocation of membership.

Appropriate Behavior

- All swimmers must shower before entering the pool.
- Proper swim wear is required, which does not include cutoffs or thongs.
- PETS are not allowed inside the pool enclosure.
- NO GLASS is permitted anywhere in the pool or on the pool deck.
- Food is NOT allowed in the pool area except in designated eating areas. Drinks in non-glass containers are permitted.
- Music is acceptable at a reasonable volume.
- Inappropriate behavior such as running, pushing, wrestling, excessive splashing, standing or sitting on shoulders, or spitting of water is NOT allowed and may result in expulsion from the pool area.
- No Profanity. Please be mindful that we often have families and children present in the pool.
- Children, ages five and older, MUST use their gender appropriate changing room.
- Obey posted pool hours. The pool closes at 9:00 p.m. Our playground gate is opened and closed by volunteers. Please respect their time and **vacate the area by 9:00 p.m.**
- Do not prop open the gate or take any other action which would allow improper access to the Swimming Pool by any person. If persons without a working card ask for entry, please direct them to call (713) 498-2961.
- The undersigned or appointed guardian 18 years of age or above MUST BE PERSONALLY PRESENT AT ALL TIMES when a family member or their guest UNDER THE AGE OF 16 YEARS is using or occupying the Swimming Pool.
- No confetti or water balloons are permitted inside the pool area.
- Please do not open the skimmer lids. If the skimmers need attention, please text or call (713) 498-2971

Health & Safety:

- DIVING IS NOT PERMITTED, except in designated areas. **NO DIVING from any furniture is permitted!** Lifeguard chairs are not to be used for jumping or diving into the pool.
- All children using inflatable armbands (i.e., water wings) or any approved Coast Guard flotation device MUST be supervised one-on-one by an adult who is in the water and within arm's length of the child.
- Swim aides, floatable objects, and pool toys are allowed.
- The emergency flotation devices and any other pool equipment hung up on the pump-house fence are for emergency use ONLY. Please supervise your children accordingly.

- All children who are not toilet trained MUST wear approved swimmers' diapers while in the pool. No regular disposable diapers are permitted in the pool.
- NO cuts, open sores, bandages or infectious diseases. Avoid swimming for 14 days following symptoms of diarrhea.
- NO group activities (e.g., parties, day camps, private lessons, swim teams, etc) allowed
 without prior approval from the Board of Directors of Candlelight Oaks. The Pavilion area
 including the deck may be reserved for a rental fee in accordance with the terms of the
 current year COCC Pavilion Rental Agreement. Organized groups must provide at least
 one adult chaperone per eight swimmers under age 16.

POOL LIABILITY WAIVER

The undersigned understand that there is **NO LIFEGUARD ON DUTY AT THE SWIMMING POOL**, that all household members and their guests (including children) are **SWIMMING AT THEIR OWN RISK**. The undersigned **ASSUMES THE RISK**, for himself/herself and all household members and their guests, of using the Swimming Pool without a lifeguard.

The undersigned or appointed guardian 18 years of age or above **MUST BE PERSONALLY PRESENT AT ALL TIMES** when a family member or their guest **UNDER THE AGE OF 16 YEARS** is using or occupying the Swimming Pool.

The undersigned, and all family members and their guests, **MUST NOT TAMPER** with any lock, prop open the gate, or take any other action which would allow improper access to the Swimming Pool by any person.

INDEMNIFICATION

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVE READ AND UNDERSTOOD THE POOL LIABILITY WAIVER AND THE COCC SWIMMING POOL RULES AND COVID ATTACHMENT AND THE UNDERSIGNED HEREBY AGREE TO HOLD HARMLESS, INDEMNIFY, AND DEFEND THE CANDLELIGHT OAKS CIVIC CLUB, INC.,REPRESENTATIVES, OFFICERS, DIRECTORS, AND VOLUNTEERS FROM ALL CLAIMS, LOSSES, DAMAGES, AND COSTS OF ANY KIND ARISING OUT OF USE OF THE COCC SWIMMING POOL AND ITS ENVIRONS BY THE UNDERSIGNED, HOUSEHOLD MEMBERS AND/OR HOUSEHOLD GUESTS, INCLUDING BODILY INJURY, DEATH AND DAMAGE TO PROPERTY RESULTING FROM ACTS OF ANY KIND, AND FURTHER SPECIFICALLY INCLUDING THE NEGLIGENCE OR GROSS NEGLIGENCE OF THE CANDLELIGHT OAKS CIVIC CLUB, INC., REPRESENTATIVES, OFFICERS, DIRECTORS, AND VOLUNTEERS.

THE UNDERSIGNED FURTHER AGREE TO COMPLY WITH THE COCC SWIMMING POOL RULES, AS A CONDITION OF MEMBERSHIP AND UNDERSTAND THAT VIOLATION OF SUCH RULES MAY RESULT IN REVOCATION OF MEMBERSHIP.

NOTE: All adult family members (18 years and above) must sign.				
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