

## ELBERON BATHING CLUB 2015 RULES

**For the good, safety and comfort of all members and guests, some rules and regulations are necessary. Your cooperation in their observance is requested.**

### *Guests*

1) Members are responsible for their guests' knowledge of all Club rules and their adherence thereto!!

All guests, whether or not they take part of the Club's facilities, must register at the office and be accompanied by a member. If guests are not properly registered, the Board will impose a fine of double the appropriate guest fee. A guest may be brought to the Club only twice a month or six times for the entire season. This rule applies to the specific person. A house guest may have a two week guest privilege, but this must be in writing and addressed to the president for approval.

2) **Guest fees are as follows:**

*Weekdays:* \$5.00 per person per day

*Weekend  
& Holidays:* \$15.00 per person per day for the 1<sup>st</sup> four guests; then \$20.00 per guest thereafter.

3) The first guest under age 10 accompanied by an adult is free. Additional guests under age 10 pay the regular guest fees except grandchildren age 10 and under, who are not charged guest fees. Grandchildren between ages 11 and 25 are charged guest fees. Grandchildren over age 25 are subject to Associate Member rules.

### *Children*

4) Members are responsible for their child's (children's) knowledge of all Club rules and adherence thereto!!

5) No child age 7 or under is permitted to move around the Club without being under the direct supervision of a responsible adult or caregiver. Such employees of members shall be entitled to use Club facilities only when accompanied by and caring for a child or children. Children age 7 or under are not permitted in the pool or ocean unless they are supervised by an adult. Children age six or under should wear flotation devices in the pool and be accompanied by an adult.

6) Babies not fully trained or in diapers are not permitted in the main pool. The "Kiddy" pool is the only facility for their use. Baby carriages, strollers, or similar equipment are not permitted in the Club. Children are to be changed and/or nursed and/or dressed only in the lockers or cabanas. Diapers are to be disposed of properly by the parent, babysitter or nurse.

### *Attire*

7) Adult members and guests are required to wear proper attire, including a shirt and other covering, when entering and leaving the Club premises.

8) All members and guests are required to wear proper attire, including a shirt or other covering, in the restaurant. Wet bathing suits may not be worn in any part of the restaurant.

### *Food*

9) Food consumption is restricted to the restaurant and cabanas. Picnic lunches and the like are not to be brought to the Club when the restaurant is in operation. Restaurant charges are to be paid promptly after the submission of bills. An occupancy form for the following season will not be sent to anyone who is in arrears.

10) Food is not permitted beneath the poolside awnings or at the flagpole tables east of the pool. Those persons who bring in food when the restaurant is not in operation are responsible for clean-up.

**10a)** A small refrigerator may be placed in a cabana. These may not exceed 24" in height or width or depth. These are to be used for the storage of juices, fresh fruit or other items not available in the restaurant for consumption by children. An electric charge of \$30 for the season will be assessed for each.

**10b)** Although it has been generally permitted that in the late afternoon when the restaurant is closed, members have served some snacks and beverages during "cocktail hour," it should be noted that this is not *carte blanche* for snacks and other food to be brought to the club and stored in lockers or cabanas. Problems created by food being stored at the club include vermin, rodents and other infestations in the facilities below the deck. The staff will conduct weekly inspections of all facilities and remove and dispose of any foodstuff found in violation of this rule.

### ***Deck Chairs & Beach Chairs***

**11)** Deck chairs and lounges are not to be taken to the beach. Members may NOT call ahead to reserve deck chairs. Members may not utilize beach towels to "claim" a deck chair or lounge for a member or guest not present at the Club. Members should be aware that if a lounge is observed as being unoccupied for more than 2 hours, it may be considered "abandoned" and the towel or other personal effects may be removed to the office for storage. Lounges are for members present at the club who occupy them.

**12)** Beach chairs and umbrellas are permitted only east of the swim line posts. This is for the enjoyment of the sun deck and cabana areas. Please do not request staff to place beach furniture in these areas. To insure safety/prompt response, the central sand aisle between the posts will be clear of all furniture down to the water line. We have limited number of chairs and umbrellas. Setting up "communities" on the beach using an excessive number of umbrellas may deprive others of even a single umbrella. If this is found to be the case, you may be asked to "give up" extra umbrellas. We have plenty of chairs and umbrellas for everyone – within reason.

**12a)** When departing the beach, please remove any trash from the area where you have been sitting and deposit it in a trash receptacle.

### ***Pool***

**13)** All bathers should shower/remove sand before entering either the Adult or "Kiddy" pool.

**14)** Boogie boards and/or other flotation devices are allowed in the pool only before noon or at other times in the sole discretion of the lifeguard(s) on duty.

**15)** There is NO RUNNING permitted around the pool or anywhere on the deck areas.

### ***Noise***

**16)** The use of any electronic device, including but not limited to radios, iPods, compact disc players, hand-held television and/or DVD players, is permitted only with earphones. For the enjoyment of all members, the use of cellular phones is limited to the beach and the parking lot. Cellular phones carried on the deck and in the restaurant area must be placed in 'silent' or 'vibrate' mode. If you take a call on your cellular phone, you may not sit on the deck or stroll around the Club and conduct the call. It is expected that a Member or Guest who receives a call will tell the caller "hold on please" while they move to an area where cell phone usage is permitted.

**16a)** With the installation of wireless internet service at the Club, the rules regarding noise and other disturbances from computers are similar to those for other electronic devices. Earphones must be used and no noise or tones may emanate from the computer that can be heard by others.

**17)** Members are urged to refrain from speaking in loud voices or calling out to people or children who are not in close proximity so as to maintain the general peace, quiet and tranquility of the Club.

*Smoking*

18) **Smoking is not permitted within or on any Club structure, including the deck, and is limited to the beach and parking lot.** Members are asked to discard their smoking material properly; they should not leave smoking material in the sand. Those who choose to smoke on the beach are requested to use common courtesy and to consider the direction that their smoke is blowing; especially during peak hours when the beach is crowded.

*Towels*

19) Club towels are not to be removed from the Club premises. Please ask your children to hold onto their towels during the day and keep track of them.

20) Used towels should be deposited in the white laundry baskets located throughout the Club so that our staff can promptly washing & dry them for our use.

*Miscellaneous*

21) Animals, with the exception of Seeing Eye Dogs, are not allowed on the Club premises.

22) The Club will not be responsible for the loss of valuables. The Club will not be responsible for the loss of any property left on the premises at the end of the summer season and it will not be responsible for damage to or theft of automobiles or accessories thereto which are parked on its grounds.

*Hours of Operation*

23) Members are urged to respect the Club's hours of operation. Members are expected to vacate the Club at its designated closing time.

24) Because of limited parking available, Members are urged to "carpool" whenever possible on the weekends.

**25) ALL OF THE ABOVE RULES ARE DESIGNATED TO MAXIMIZE THE ENJOYMENT OF EBC BY THE MEMBERSHIP. WHILE MOST ARE "COMMON SENSE", TO THE EXTENT ANY RULE APPEARS INTRUSIVE, PLEASE RECALL THAT IT'S ALL ABOUT CONSIDERATION FOR YOUR FELLOW MEMBERS AND OUR COLLECTIVE WELL BEING. PLEASE BE KIND AND CONSIDERATE AND PLEASE REMEMBER THAT OUR FIRST CONSDIERATION IS THE SAFETY OF OUR MEMBERS.**

26) The Manager, in his sole discretion and judgment, may determine that it is unsafe to permit ocean bathing or pool bathing due to weather conditions. Extreme seas, lightning, contamination, or severe conditions may be part of his decision making process. The decision of the manager is absolute as the responsible CPO and operator and must be adhered to by all members and guests.

27) The launching of boats, other than rescue vessels is not permitted from club property.

Dated: June 1, 2014

BOARD OF GOVERNORS  
ELBERON BATHING CLUB