



Birthday Party: Option 2 – Pool Party (Effective September 6, 2017)

Thank you for your interest in booking your Birthday Party at the Ches Penney Family YMCA. Priority for party bookings is given to YMCA members. Non-members may book up to three months in advance. Each party option has a 20 child maximum. If you have any additional questions please call 726-YMCA (9622).

General Information

- Two hour party that includes a one hour swim followed by one hour in the party room. Please note that the Aquatics Centre will remain open to members throughout the duration of the swim.
- Availability:
 - Saturday
 - 3:00-5:00pm
 - Sunday
 - 2:30-4:30pm
- Cost:
 - Members: \$150 + HST
 - Non-Members: \$200 + HST (May book up to 3 months prior only)
- Party Rooms will be available the same time as the pool space to allow for set-up and a place for you to leave gifts and supplies. Please do not leave the area unattended, as the YMCA is not responsible for lost or stolen items. Party end times must be respected.
- Maximum of 20 children per party
- Children are to be 12 years of age and under.
- Young children and anyone who is incontinent must wear a clean, properly fitted specialty swim diaper or rubber pants
- Children over age 6 are not permitted in opposite sex change room
- Appropriate swimwear is required; clean t-shirts may be worn for modesty or medical reasons; no outdoor footwear is permitted on the pool deck
- Diving is not permitted
- Access to pool deck is through change rooms only
- Party room is set up with tables and chairs for eating and for gift opening
- Please note: party rooms are multipurpose spaces and may have other recreational equipment in them
- Parents/guardians are responsible for supplying food, dishes, napkins, cutlery, and decorations.
- There is no access to kitchen facilities
- Food and drinks are permitted in the party room **only**



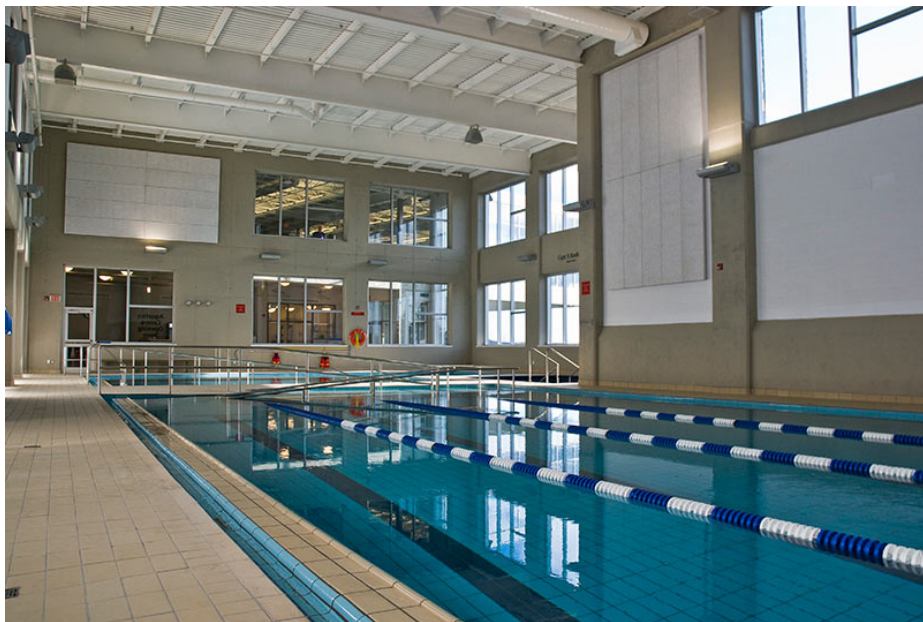
- Parents/guardians are asked to clean up any garbage and remove all party related materials from the room; garbage bags will be provided
- Due to allergies animals, peanuts/peanut products, and latex balloons are not permitted
- Please use sticky tack/puddy to put up decorations; tape is not permitted
- Photography is permitted in the party room **only**
- There will be a YMCA staff person/host on duty for general assistance
- To ensure the safety of all children Birthday Party hosts are asked to use the [Birthday Party Guest Information Sheet](#).
- See [Pool Rules](#) here

Payment & Cancellations

- Payment options include Debit, Credit Card (Visa/MC/AMEX), Cash or Cheque
- Full payment is required at time of booking; bookings for parties must be done at least one week in advance of party; parties are booked on a first come first serve basis
- Please note that **two weeks'** notice is required for cancellation/refund of party bookings. A non-refundable administration fee (25% of the registration cost) is applicable to all cancellations and withdrawals.
- Please allow 2-3 weeks for processing of refund

YMCA Aquatics Center Rules

- In addition to ensuring that children under age 12 are supervised by a parent/guardian at ALL times, party organizers must ensure that, when in the aquatics area:
 - Children under age 8 are not permitted in the Whirlpool.
 - Children under age 8 must be within arm's reach of a responsible person aged 16+ in the water (1:1 or 1:3 in lifejackets)
 - Children ages 8-11 who successfully complete the facility swim test (*swimmers) must be supervised by a responsible person age 16+ in the water or on the deck (1:8)
 - Children ages 8-11 who do not successfully complete the facility swim test (non-swimmers) must be within arm's reach of a responsible person age 16+ in the water (1:3 or 1:8 in lifejackets)
 - Children under age 8 are not permitted in the whirlpool; children ages 8-11 require adult supervision
 - *A swimmer is defined as an individual who can jump feet first into deep water, surface and swim 25m without assistance or stopping



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