

APS Aquatics Family Swim Pods

According to Virginia Forward Phase III Guidelines, indoor swimming pools may allow use by Family Groups (Household groups). **These groups must be assigned to an area of the pools and maintain 10-foot physical distancing from other groups.** Based on these guidelines, APS Aquatics has scheduled several opportunities for families to enjoy the pools. **This program will begin tomorrow, August 10th at YORKTOWN POOL ONLY.**

Families of up to 2 adults and 3 children (or 1 adult and 4 children), who are **current residents of Arlington**, may make a reservation for a 45-minute swim session. Please see the schedule below. The cost per Family Pod is \$12.50. This program will run Monday-Saturday. We have reserved Sunday’s Family Pods for children with special needs and their families. We have also added Diving for Children (single admission \$2.50) for children who wish to use the diving boards.

Each family must create a Family Pod self-service account. This is a requirement of the Phase III guidance, and it will aid APS Aquatics in managing capacity, traffic flow, and compliance with records of visitors to our facilities.

Please follow the instruction below to make your Family Pod Reservations:

1. Log in to the [SELF-SERVICE PORTAL registration](#) page to set up a Family Account (Please do this even if you already have a personal account for one or more of your Pod members.
2. Set up your Family Pod account as follows:

a. Enter the Family Last Name in the *First Name* & the number of adults and children in the *Last Name*: Example: Machado Swim Pod (2A2C) – 2 adults/2 children

b. Create a profile for your Family Pod that includes your family address and phone number, and email address. This is very important and families with incomplete profiles will not be admitted.

Once you have set up your Family Pod profile, you may reserve your swim time, by accessing the [Reservation Portal](#). There are three types of reservations available at Yorktown at this time.

FAMILY PODS SWIM SCHEDULE AND DESCRIPTION

Pod/Reservation Types	Monday- Friday	Saturday	Sunday
Swimmer Pods (YT SWMR Pod)	3:15-4:00 pm	3:15-4:00 pm	2:15-3:00 pm
By selecting this reservation your family pod will be assigned to one of the Pod areas in the Competitions pool. Each family pod will have two lanes (4-7 feet in depth) to use	4:15-5:00 pm	4:15-5:00 pm	3:15-4:00 pm
	5:15-6:00 pm	5:15-6:00 pm	4:15-5:00 pm
Non-swimmer Pods (YT Non-SWMR Pod)	3:00-3:45 pm	3:00-3:45 pm	2:00-2:45 pm
By selecting this reservation your family pod will be assigned to one of the Pod areas in the INSTRUCTIONAL POOL. Each family will have half of the instructional pool (2-4 feet)	4:00-4:45 pm	4:00-4:45 pm	3:00-3:45 pm
	5:00-5:45 pm	5:00-5:45 pm	4:00-4:45 pm
Diving (YT Diving-Child)	3:30-4:15 pm	3:30-4:15 pm	Boards Open to registered pod members
Individual children may reserve Board time. Boards will be open for Pod members if on a space-available basis. There is a limit of 3 divers/board.	4:45-5:30 pm	4:30-5:30 pm	

We recognize that the demand for family and children swim exceeds what we are offering here. We appreciate your patience and will continue to evaluate the availability and expand offerings as we can.

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