

# Poplar Camp Beach Rules

- All swimmers and floaters must pay attention to the lifeguard and to his or her whistle blows. Failure to follow direction from lifeguards and staff will result in expulsion from the beach.
- Alcoholic beverages and marijuana products in the beach area and parking lot are **STRICTLY PROHIBITED**.
- Smoking in the beach area of any kind is **STRICTLY PROHIBITED**.
- Pets, other than registered service animals, are **NOT PERMITTED** in the beach area or parking lot.
- Lifeguards will be on duty during all hours the beach is open and will enforce the rules and regulations of the beach area. Failure to comply with a lifeguard's directive will result in expulsion from the beach. No exceptions.
- Proper attire is **REQUIRED**. No nudity is permitted. Bathing suits or other garments are required to conceal from view of genitalia and buttocks. Females must conceal their breast and buttocks. No thong-like bikinis are allowed. One may not swim solely in his or her underwear. Children in diapers must wear appropriate outer garments.
- All children ages eleven (11) years or younger must be accompanied by a parent, a guardian, or a responsible person eighteen (18) years of age or older.
- Parents or guardians must keep children six years of age or younger within an arm's length while the child is in the water.
- Glass bottles are **STRICTLY PROHIBITED** in the beach and parking lot area. **NO LITTERING**.
- No one under the influence of alcohol or drugs is allowed in the water. **NO EXCEPTIONS**.
- Swimmers and floaters must remain within the designated and buoyed swim or raft area.
- All swimmers, floaters and waders must leave the water promptly when directed by lifeguard to do so.
- Jumping, diving, or flipping into lake from someone's shoulders, hands, or a raft is **STRICTLY PROHIBITED**.
- No dangerous behaviors in swimming area, such as: excessive dunking, "piggyback" wrestling, throwing sand, throwing mud, throwing rocks, or throwing each other. **NO EXCEPTIONS**.
- Floaters must remain completely on their raft while in the buoyed raft area. **NO EXCEPTIONS**.
- In the raft area, flotation devices/rafts must be full body length, so that the head and torso of floater is visible to the lifeguard. No floating chairs or inner tubes in the raft area. **NO EXCEPTIONS**.
- Only one person per flotation device is permitted in the raft area.
- Do not feed wildlife, such as fish, turtles, or snakes. Respect all wild animals as we also share the lake with them.
- No fishing of any kind into the buoyed swim or raft area from boats or fishing from beach area. **NO EXCEPTIONS**.
- Team sports (activities) on land at the beach or in the swim area are prohibited.
- No offensive behavior, language or cursing will be tolerated. The beach is a family-oriented facility and other users should feel welcome. Violation may result in expulsion from the beach. **NO EXCEPTIONS**.