

2020 Prairie Lane Pool Dues Notice

➤ **Family Membership: \$450.00 (Must own bond)**

* Parent(s) and minor children; 3 or more family members.

➤ **2P Membership: \$250.00 (Must own bond)**

* Any 2 people. Examples: 1 parent and 1 child, 1 grandparent and 1 grandchild, 2 adults.

➤ **Trial Membership: \$450.00 (Bond requirement waived for 1 year only)**

* Parent(s) and minor children.

➤ The price of a bond purchased from the pool is \$200. Bond payments can be split over 2 years.

➤ *Memberships are for persons living in **one** household*

➤ Bonds purchased from members must be in good standing. Email the pool for verification before purchasing a bond from a member.

➤ Payments may be sent to the P.O. Box address or dropped off at the collection box.

○ P.O. Box: P.O. Box 45371 Omaha, NE 68145

Membership Collection Box: Attn Tisha Burkholder

11812 Westwood Ln Omaha, NE 68144

➤ Payments may also be made through PayPal on our website. The link is on the Membership Info page.

NOTE: A \$15 convenience fee will be charged for **each** PayPal transaction.

➤ **Information was sent to all members via email about our Covid-19 contingency plan.**

- In the worst case scenario, if pools are unable to open this summer due to the Covid-19 Pandemic, we sent out detailed information about expenses the pool will still accrue, and a modified budget we will still need to collect as soon as possible from all members assuming only fixed costs are incurred.
- We are continuing to follow information about any aid we may be eligible for from the bank. In the event that we qualify for any assistance, we will offer members the option of a refund, a credit towards next year, or the opportunity to donate those funds to the pool.
- Reduced dues required under worst case scenario:
 - Family Membership: \$215.00
 - 2P Memberships: \$115.00
- We are urging members to pay their dues, or a minimum of the required reduced dues, as soon as possible to help cover the expense of the materials needed to prepare the pool for opening, so we don't have to draw interest on our line of credit.
- The Board has been moving forward to prepare the pool for opening, while following safety protocol.
- Please keep in mind that this does mean we will be accruing expenses beyond what was included in a complete shutdown scenario (i.e. cost of paint (roughly \$1,500), utilities (filling the pool costs roughly \$1,000 in water), etc.)

➤ For those that are unaware, or may be wondering why we would start prepping the pool without being 100% sure we can open, it takes a minimum of four weeks to prepare the pool to open. We had a very productive weekend of cleaning all the leaves and winter mess out of the pool, power washing, scraping paint, and all the rest of the prep that needs to be done before painting the pool.

We are planning to paint the blue next weekend, which will need to dry for 7 days.

The following week we will paint the black, which also needs to dry for 7 days, before we are able to fill the pool.

It takes another 7 days to get the chemicals balanced once the pool is full of water.

As soon as the chemicals are balanced and the rest of the prep work is done to all other areas of the pool, we are able to schedule an inspector to come out and inspect every aspect of the pool property, in order to grant us permission to open. We try to do the inspection at least a week before the pool opens in case we have to make any changes required by the inspector, which would lead to scheduling a second inspection.

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- Members are welcome to split their dues into two payments, as long as they are paid in full before using the pool.
 - The pool will open this year in accordance with the Omaha Public Pools as an extra safety measure.
 - Members are not permitted to swim until dues are paid in full.
 - Guest passes will not be available until dues are paid in full.
 - Payments made after opening day will accrue a \$15 late fee.
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- We will continue to go paperless, and communicate via:
 - Email: PLPoolOmaha@gmail.com (Best way to reach us)
 - Facebook: www.facebook.com/prairielanepool
 - Our website: www.prairielanepool.com
 - Instagram [prairie_lane_pool](https://www.instagram.com/prairie_lane_pool)
 - Twitter [@poolprairie](https://twitter.com/poolprairie)
 - Text Blast: text [@prairielan](https://www.prairielanepool.com) to 81010 (there is no “e” on lane)
 - The Nextdoor app
 - Email us at PLPoolOmaha@gmail.com if any of your contact information has changed.
 - If you have not received any emails from the pool this year, please check your spam folders and make sure you have the pool email listed as one of your contacts.
 - Members can receive a \$25 rebate for referring new members!
 - Members can receive a \$50 rebate for every 4 hours of volunteer work, to help prepare the pool for opening. A Board Member must sign volunteers in and out on the volunteer timesheets. Be sure to check in with one of them to receive credit for your time.
 - **NOTE:** While the dates for neighborhood cleanup and pool cleanup may coincide, they are two separate activities. Neighborhood cleanup does **not** count for pool volunteer hours.