



## Pool Rental Frequently Asked Questions

### 1. How much do pool rentals cost?

*It depends on what you are looking for! The prices are dependent on the pool and the type of rental. For a complete breakdown of costs, download the pool rental brochure on our website. [www.appletonparkandrec.org](http://www.appletonparkandrec.org)*

### 2. What times are pools available for private rentals?

*Erb Pool is available Saturday and Sunday mornings 9:30 - 11:45 a.m.,*

*Sunday - Friday 8:15-10:30 p.m. and Saturdays from 6:15-10:30 p.m.*

*Mead Pool is available Saturday mornings 9:30 - 11:15 a.m., Sunday mornings 9:30 - 11:45 a.m., Saturday evenings 6:15-10:30 p.m., and Sunday - Friday from 8:15-10:30 p.m. Appleton Parks close at 11:00 p.m. so all guests must be out of the park by then.*

### 3. What is included with private rentals?

*Private rentals provide you and your guests exclusive use of the entire facility (must rent both pools at Erb for this) outside of normal open swim hours. This includes all admission costs, use of water slides, diving boards, volleyball courts, and much more!*

### 4. Are lifeguards included with my private rental?

*Rentals include enough lifeguards to accommodate up to 136 people in the pool at one time. If rental exceeds this number, an additional lifeguard will be required at the cost of \$20 per hour. Rental also includes an on-duty pool manager and first aid opportunities.*

### 5. Can I bring in my own food?

*For private rentals, you may bring in food and drink for your guests. This does NOT include alcoholic beverages nor any items containing glass. Birthday party packages and/or cabana, oasis, or mead pool shade pavilion may bring in cake, drinks, and snacks for guests. Want to make your birthday party even easier? check out our birthday party meal packages available through our concession stand! Download pool rental brochure for more details. [www.appletonparkandrec.org](http://www.appletonparkandrec.org)*

### 6. What do birthday party packages consist of?

*Birthday party packages include use of the Erb Pool Oasis, Cabana, or Mead Pool Shade Pavilion for 3 hours. You will also receive 10 youth admission, 2 adult's admissions, a birthday balloon, and your name will be announced over the P.A. system. These areas can also be reserved during public open swim hours for other gatherings and events. Download pool rental brochure for more details. [www.appletonparkandrec.org](http://www.appletonparkandrec.org)*

**7. Is the concession stand available during private rentals?**

*Private rentals do not include use of the concession stand. If you would like to have the stand open, please contact the Recreation Programmer at 832-3926 for more information.*

**8. What are the Shade Pavilion, Oasis, and Cabana areas that I see you can rent at the pools?**

*These are special areas at Erb and Mead Pools that can be reserved for your private birthday party or get together during public open swim hours.*

**9. Can I decorate the facility for a private rental or birthday party package?**

*Yes, but with limitations. For a complete list of decorating information, please download our Pool Reservation Form from our website at [www.appletonparkandrec.org](http://www.appletonparkandrec.org).*

**10. What happens if it rains or we have to cancel?**

*In the event of bad weather or you have to cancel, we will try and reschedule your rental for another date. If no other date can be agreed upon, a refund may be issued with a \$10 processing fee. In the event the pools are shut down due to a mechanical issue or other unforeseen circumstances, the user will get a full refund or chance to reschedule their event.*

**11. What about birthday parties at West Pool during the off-season?**

*West Pool Birthday Party Packages include use of the West Pool lobby for one hour prior to open swim, seating for up to 16 people, a balloon, free admission for the birthday person (and parents). Birthday parties are available on Saturday or Sundays from September to May. Open swim admission for the rest of the party is payable at the front desk for \$3.00 per youth, \$4.00 for adults. Open swim is from 1-4:30 p.m.*