



Reduced Pool Admission Fee Program Returns

FREDERICK, MD – May 5, 2017: The City of Frederick Parks and Recreation Department is pleased to announce that the Reduced Pool Admission Fee Program will return for the summer of 2017.

The program will enable eligible youth under the age of 18 to receive entry into the Thomas Swimming Pool (500 Fleming Ave.) and the Diggs Swimming Pool (125 W. All Saints St.) for the admission fee of \$1. Proof of eligibility is required through one of three ways in order to register for a reduced-fee pass.

Program Details:

May 15: Program registration will begin

Time to register: 8 a.m.-8 p.m. Monday-Saturday

Where to register: William Talley Recreation Center Talley Desk, 121 N. Bentz St.

Note: Registration will not take place at either the Thomas or Diggs Pools.

Eligibility and Qualification - Interested citizens must provide proof of program eligibility in accordance with one of the three criteria listed below:

1. Eligible to receive free or reduced price lunch through Frederick County Public Schools.
 - Must provide proof of City residency. Accepted forms of proof are a driver's license (or Maryland Vehicle Administration issued identification), water bill or electric bill.
 - Must provide letter issued by FCPS that they are eligible to receive free or reduced lunches in Frederick County Public Schools.

or

2. Live in a household receiving benefits for the Food Supplement Program (FSP) or Temporary Cash Assistance (TCA)
 - Must provide proof of City residency. Accepted forms of proof are a driver's license (or MVA issued ID), water bill or electric bill.

- Must provide orange Independence Card issued by the Frederick County Department of Social Services.

or

3. Live in one of the three public housing communities (Carver, Lincoln or Lucas Village) owned by the Housing Authority of the City of Frederick.

- Must provide proof of residency within Carver, Lincoln or Lucas Village housing communities. Accepted forms of proof are a driver's license (or MVA issued ID), water bill or electric bill.

Once eligibility is verified, qualifying youth under the age of 18 will be issued a Reduced Pool Admission Fee pass. Youth must be present at time of registration as the Youth pass is a photo ID pass.

Qualifying youths age 12 and under will be additionally eligible for a Reduced Pool Admission Fee Chaperone Pass. The chaperone pass will not require a photo.

Once Reduced Pool Admission Fee passes are issued, citizens will then present the pass at either the Thomas or Diggs Pool to receive \$1 admission for each program pass presented.

For more information, contact Parks and Recreation, 301-600-1492, www.cityoffrederick.com.

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