



Tony Bettenhausen Recreation Center

GYM RULES

Tinley Park-Tinley Park-Park District enforces a ZERO-TOLERANCE policy to ensure patrons and staff enjoy a fun, safe and respectful environment.

- **SEE SOMETHING – SAY SOMETHING!** When questionable activity is observed, report it to the staff on duty.
- This facility is zero tolerance. We reserve the right to eject any individual from the facility and to suspend the individual and/or the individual's membership. The following behaviors will result in suspension and the Tinley Park-Park District reserves the right to ban any individual from all Tinley Park-Park District facilities if the individual's behavior warrants such action.
 1. Fighting, pushing or acts of violence towards patrons or staff.
 2. Any behavior or action that requires a police response.
 3. Physical or verbal threats and/or threatening behavior toward staff or other patrons
 4. Bullying
 5. Harassment of any sort
 6. Presence in areas not authorized for use and/or not paid for e.g., being on gym floor without a wristband.
 7. Excessive use of obscene language
 8. Failure to cooperate with staff directions
 9. Vandalism of any type to the property of the Tinley Park-Park District or other patrons.
 10. Damage to the property of Tinley Park-Park District or other patrons
- All open gym users must check-in at the front desk and receive a wristband.
- Wristbands must be always worn while using the gym. Only one wristband is given to a patron per day. No additional wristbands will be provided. In the event a wristband breaks off, the Member/Resident/Guest must present the broken wristband to the front desk staff to request a replacement. Staff will confirm the individual is properly checked-in to the facility; if individual is a Guest, staff will confirm that the responsible Member/Resident is present.
- Children under age 10 must be supervised by an adult over age 18 at all times

- Recreation Center Members or Tinley Park-Park District Residents age 18+ only can sign in a Guest for open gym. The Member/Resident assumes responsibility for their Guest's behavior and adherence to facility rules. Member/Resident must remain with the Guest for the duration of their visit.
 - Any breach of the Tinley Park-Park District rules by the guest will result in the Member/Resident being subjected to the same/similar consequences as the guest for said behavior.
- Only water is allowed on the gym floor. Report any spills to staff.
- No playing is permitted in the bleacher area and on walkways.
- Participants in athletic programs held in the gym do not require a wristband while participating in the athletic program.
- Program participants and spectators are not allowed on the courts designated for open gym use.
- Program participants and spectators must check in at the front desk and receive a wristband to use the courts designated for open gym use.
- Only clean athletic shoes are permitted on the gym floor.
- No crocs, slides, flip flops, boots, street shoes, etc. are permitted on the gym floor. Bringing a change of shoes is preferred.
- Appropriate attire must be worn including shirts, and pants kept at waist level
- NO hats can be worn on the court.
- NO dunking or hanging on the basketball rims.
- NO sitting on or jumping off or over the half-wall surrounding the gym floor
- NO cheerleading, gymnastics, soccer, football or other activities are permitted on the gym floor during open gym times
- NO organized team practice, individual coaching by a school coach or paid private coaching is allowed.
- NO music/video devices that are audible to other participants may be used. Headphones/ear buds are allowed.
- The Tinley Park-Park District is not responsible for lost or stolen items.
- NO backpacks, bags, clothing, shoes, etc. allowed on gym floor. Use the available all hooks and lockers.
- Participants must provide their own lock to safeguard belongings in lockers while participating in open gym.
- Lockers must be emptied, and locks removed when participant leaves the facility.
- We reserve the right to add rules deemed necessary for the safety of all patrons

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