

LIFEGUARD DUTIES

The lifeguard maintains a safe environment for all guests of Louisville Parks and Recreation swimming pools. Under management's instruction, the lifeguard is responsible for all of the following duties on a daily basis.

- ⇒ Maintains order both in the water and on the pool deck, and enforce pool rules.
- ⇒ Attentively observes activity in the water and insures safe swimming conditions at all times.
- ⇒ Treats the public with courtesy and respect at all times.
- ⇒ Provides first aid treatment and artificial respiration when necessary.
- ⇒ Maintains proper certification, including the Jefferson County Board of Health certification, and maintains water rescue skills.
- ⇒ Attends all in-services and conditioning sessions as scheduled.
- ⇒ Performs daily clean-up or other necessary tasks as instructed.
- ⇒ Takes water test and accurately record results on pool log sheet.
- ⇒ Sits in lifeguard chairs, with the rescue tube in their lap, with whistle in their hand or around their neck at all times when they are responsible for the pool.
- ⇒ Reports to work at scheduled time in required uniform.

SWIM INSTRUCTORS

If you are interested in teaching SWIM LESSONS for Louisville Parks, we can train you. Please contact Keith or Mike at 897-9949

APPLICATION PROCESS

Please allow at least 3 weeks after all items listed below have been submitted for processing. An employee cannot start work until the personnel office completes processing.

- ⇒ Lifeguard/First Aid Certification
- ⇒ CPR for the Professional Rescuer
- ⇒ Board of Health Water & Written Test
- ⇒ Louisville Parks and Recreation application
(The record check must be completed and APPROVED before hire. This may take **SEVERAL WEEKS SO SEND YOUR APPLICATION IN EARLY!**)
- ⇒ Louisville Parks and Recreation tax packet
- ⇒ Copy of Social Security Card & Photo ID
- ⇒ Birth Certificate if under 18 years old
- ⇒ All lifeguards must pass a drug test as a condition of employment.



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LIFEGUARDING
a job so hot

it's cool!

Learn how to save lives by becoming an American Red Cross trained lifeguard!

- Earn money and respect
- Have fun
- Meet great people
- Develop leadership skills
- Gain valuable work experience

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To become a certified lifeguard in Louisville / Jefferson County, you must be 16 years old and hold current certification in the following courses:

- ⇒ **Lifeguard/First Aid Training:** certification is good for 2 yrs.
- ⇒ **CPR for the Professional Rescuer:** certification is good for 2 yrs.
- ⇒ **Jefferson County Board of Health Guard:** certification expires every year.

PREREQUISITES for Lifeguard Training

The following are **prerequisite skills** for lifeguard training; you will be asked to perform these skills on the first day of class.

- ⇒ Swim 300 yards continuously -- 100 freestyle, 100 breaststroke, and 100 choice of freestyle or breaststroke.
- ⇒ Tread Water for 2 minutes no hands.
- ⇒ Swim 20 yards and surface dive 10 feet retrieving a 10-pound brick. Once swimmer has retrieved brick then the swimmer must swim 20 yards on their back while holding both hands on the brick to the original starting point. The swimmer must exit the water without using a ladder or steps. This prerequisite must be completed in 1 min and 40 seconds.



Board of Health Water Test

Please call 502-574-6650 to register for this Board of health class

Date: Saturday, May 15, 2021

Time : 9-12pm

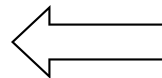
Location: Mary T Aquatic Center

Fee: No charge

TRAINING LOCATIONS

MTMAC - Mary T. Meagher Aquatic Center, 201 Reservoir Ave., 897-9949

SCHEDULE



LIFEGUARD CLASS	DATES	DAYS	TIMES	FEE	LOCATION
SESSION I	Jan. 10—Jan. 31	Sunday's	4 — 8 pm	\$200	MTMAC
SESSION II	Feb. 7—Feb. 28	Sunday's	4 — 8 pm	\$200	MTMAC
SESSION III	Mar. 7—Mar. 28	Sunday's	4 — 8 pm	\$200	MTMAC
SESSION IV	Mar. 6—Mar. 27	Saturday's	12— 4 pm	\$200	MTMAC
SESSION V	Mar. 29—Apr. 2	M, T, W, TH, F	10 — 3 pm	\$200	MTMAC
SESSION VI	Apr. 11—May 2	Sunday's	4— 8 pm	\$200	MTMAC
SESSION VII	May 17 —May 21	M, T, W, TH, F	4 — 9 pm	\$200	MTMAC
SESSION VIII	Jun. 7—Jun. 11	M, T, W, TH, F	4 — 9 pm	\$200	MTMAC

(SPRING BREAK)