WELCOME! Tootell Aquatic Center, three separate swimming pools for all your needs - competitive lap (8 lanes), instructional (warm water), and diving well. Pool lift for individuals with physical disabilities is available. Pools operate on a **SHARED USE BASIS** including Intercollegiate athletics, recreation programs, and academic classes. Scheduled programs have priority.

QUESTIONS? - rec service center 401.874.5926  rec hotline: 401.874.4343 or visit uri.edu/campusrec

### ADULT SWIM:
All users must be 18 years of age.

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**NOTES:** There is high patron usage from 6:30 - 8:00pm in the Lap Pool, Monday through Thursday where we operate on a shared use basis.

### COMMUNITY SWIM:
Available to all eligible users including patrons under 18 years of age.

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### TAC MEMBERSHIP:
Visit the Service Desk to register for membership.

### DAY SWIM PASS:
$5.00 per Individual
Valid for date of purchase only. No in/out privileges.

### CHANGES TO THE POOL SCHEDULE:
- **Tuesday, Sept 5:** CLOSED for Staff Training
- **Wednesday, Sept 6:** OPEN 11:30am - 2:00pm & 6:30 - 9:30pm
- **Sunday, Sept 10:** OPEN 3:00-7:30pm
- **Wednesday, Sept 13:** Closing at 9:00pm for 125 Pool Party Event
- **Wednesday, Sept 20:** Closing at 9:00pm for Battleship Event
- **Sunday, Oct 8:** CLOSED for Columbus Day
- **Monday, Oct 9:** OPEN 12:00 - 2:00pm & 6:30 - 9:30pm
- **Saturday, Oct 21:** CLOSED for URI Homecoming
- **Friday, Nov 3:** OPEN 7:00am - 2:00pm
- **Saturday, Nov 4:** CLOSED for URI Swim Meet
- **Friday, Nov 17:** OPEN 7:00am - 2:00pm
- **Saturday, Nov 18:** CLOSED for URI Swim Meet
- **Wednesday, Nov 22:** OPEN 7:00am - 2:00pm

### REVISED HOURS/HOLIDAYS:
- **NOVEMBER 23-26:** CLOSED for the holiday
- **DECEMBER 22 - JANUARY 1:** CLOSED for the holiday
- **DECEMBER 12-21 & JANUARY 2-21:**
  - Monday-Friday Community Swim: 12:00 - 2:00pm & 6:30 - 8:00pm
  - Monday-Friday Adult Swim: 8:00am - 2:00pm & 6:30 - 8:00pm
  - Saturday: 11:30am - 4:30pm, Sunday: CLOSED
Tootell Pool Regulations

The following rules and regulations are designed for your safety, health and comfort as mandated by the State of Rhode Island Health Department, The University of Rhode Island and the Department of Campus Recreation. Any patron disregarding these rules will be asked to leave the Mackal-Tootell Complex and may be subject to loss of facility privileges. The Coordinator of Aquatics, Aquatics Specialist, on-duty Facility Supervisor and/or Lifeguard(s) have sole discretion as to the potential danger and/or inappropriateness of any patron’s actions or attire.

Pool Health Regulations

1. All swimmers must take a soap shower before entering the pool.
2. Shoulder length hair must be capped or tied back.
3. Band-Aids must be removed before entering the pool.
4. Persons with skin infections, open abrasions or sores are not permitted in the pool.
5. Persons suffering from a fever, cough, cold, inflammation of the eyes, nasal or ear discharge or any communicable disease are not permitted in the pool.
6. Spitting, spouting water or blowing of the nose is not allowed in the pools, gutters or on the deck.
7. All individuals not in control of bodily functions must wear plastic pants or swim diapers designed specifically for pool use. Individuals who are unable to control their bowels will be subject to loss of facility privileges until situation is corrected. The Center for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) has very strict regulations regarding fecal accidents. All of their protocols must be followed after an incident.
8. Diapers are not to be changed on the pool deck. Please utilize the locker room or Family Changing Room.
9. Proper swimming attire is required.
10. Street shoes are not allowed on the pool deck.
11. Stollers are not allowed on the pool deck.

General Pool Rules

1. Patrons must present their daily membership card to the attendant or lifeguard at the TAC Scanning Station each time they enter the Tootell Aquatic Center.
2. **Swimming is allowed only when a URI Lifeguard is present.**
3. A long whistle blast signals an emergency and/or safety issue. Look to the lifeguards for further instructions.
4. Children 5 years and under must be accompanied in the water by a parent or guardian.
5. Children under 7 years of age must be supervised on the deck or in the pool(s) by a parent or guardian who must be suited to swim.
6. Parents/guardians of children under 12 years of age must remain on the pool deck/spectator area while children are swimming.
7. Children 6 years and older must use the locker room appropriate to their gender or use the Family Changing Room with an adult.
8. URI owned floatation/teaching equipment is for the use of URI Campus Recreation programming only.
9. Only U.S. Coast Guard approved flotation devices which are securely fastened to the body are permitted. A parent/guardian must be within arms distance of the user. Inflatables (such as water wings & bubbles) are not allowed.
10. Horseplay, running, pushing, and flips from pool side are not allowed.
11. Swimming underneath the teaching platforms is not permitted.
12. Chewing gum, food and drinks are not allowed on the pool deck or in the pools.
13. Glass containers are not allowed in the Tootell Aquatic Center.
14. Diving is not permitted in the instructional or lap pools.
15. Pool personnel reserve the right to assign any swimmer(s) to a lane(s) or pool according to space availability.
16. Starting blocks are for approved competitive team use only.
17. Private lessons or coaching may not be given by non-URI Aquatic staff at any time.
18. Breath holding drills are not allowed.
19. No hanging on or swimming over the lane lines.