



### \*\*\*POOL GUIDELINES\*\*\*

- Please make sure that your child does not eat or drink 1-2 hours prior to the lesson.
- Footwear: Street shoes are not acceptable on the deck--children and adults accompanying them must wear flip flops or crocs all times. If you forget to bring pool-appropriate footwear, please remove your street shoes before you enter the pool area.
- There is no eating or drinking permitted on the pool deck.
- You are responsible for your child until their lesson begins. If you come early you may sit on the benches to the side of the pool but must make sure they do not run or jump into the pool.
- All participants must take a shower in the locker rooms before beginning their lesson. - Make sure to escort your child to and from the locker rooms and ladder at the start and end of the lesson. Staff assistance is available to help you if needed.
- We have a mandatory staff rotation policy in place. The instructor that your child is paired with for their trial may not be the instructor they end up with. We keep the rotations going every couple of weeks to ensure that the child can learn to master their skills with more than one person. We find that it is not productive to keep swimmers with the same instructor as we do ongoing enrollment and teachers do leave and therefore must be rotated.
- We currently have a no make-up policy unless there is a pool closing or emergency. We try our best to accommodate absences due to serious illness or injury.
- If you have any questions about your child's lessons, please feel free to contact Gray at [gray@snacknyc.com](mailto:gray@snacknyc.com). We advise parents not to interrupt lessons as this is not safe and not beneficial for the child. We look forward to hearing from you!

### What To Bring:

- Your child's swimsuit
- A towel
- Flip flops or crocks to be worn on the pool deck
- A swim diaper if your child is not toilet trained
- Goggles/bathing caps are optional

### Directions To The Pool In The Basement of St. Bart's

- Take the 6 train to the 51st street stop
- You will get out at Lexington Ave, walk one avenue west to Park Avenue.
- St. Bart's is located on Park Avenue between 50th and 51st Streets.

### **On Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Sundays:**

- Enter through the side door located on 50th street between Park and Lexington, then take the elevator or stairs down to level B.
- Make a right turn out of the elevator/stairs. Walk to the end of the hallway, you will see a gymnasium at the end of the hallway.
- Make a left at the very end to enter the locker room area.
- The first door on the left after you enter is the men's locker room, the second door is the ladies'.
- Enter the pool through the locker room.

### **On Saturdays:**

- Enter the church through the Park Avenue entrance through the doors on the far right, closer to 50th street.
- Walk through the chapel, all the way to the back-to the right of the altar is a doorway. Go through both sets of doors.
- You will now be in a hallway that looks like a big foyer with a stone floor. Straight ahead you will see another set of big wooden doors you must walk through.
- Make a right into the hallway with the yellow decorations on the wall.
- Follow hallway around until you come to the hallway with an elevator.
- Take elevator to the basement (B). If the elevator does not respond, take the stairs to the bottom floor.
- \*Once you are on the Basement (B) level:
- Get off elevator and make a right turn. Walk to the end of the hallway, you will see a gymnasium at the end of the hallway.
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