Stevenson Community Pool

Splish! Splash! Fun!

Family Fun!
Special Events
Swim Lessons for all ages!
Scholarships Available
Work the Water – Jobs!

POOL OPENS ON JUNE 23 with Splish! Splash! Fun!
Swim lessons info on page 5.
Register Today!
A Letter from the Superintendent

Splish! Splash! Fun!

After months of collaboration between public and private representatives, our community swimming pool is reopen! As a resource, our pool will bring hours of fun and positive experiences in the water. Plus it opens opportunities to improve health, develop water skills, increase stamina, and meet other members of the community.

Stevenson Community Pool, owned and operated by our school district, will offer a broad aquatic program designed to meet the needs of all ages. Open play swim will provide opportunities for kids and families to recreate together in an affordable, safe environment.

Swim lessons for children and adults develop skills that last a lifetime! Lesson skill progression makes it easier to learn and to feel more confident in the water.

Water exercise and lap swimming builds strength, flexibility, and stamina while improving your cardiovascular system. We will begin with shallow water exercise classes in the morning and evening and will expand to deep water classes, based on community demand. Water exercise in shallow water does not require swimming skills, as participants are in chest deep water.

Let’s not forget jobs – learn to work the water! We hire lifeguards and swim instructors, and will even offer classes to help you develop the necessary skills to work at the pool.

Stevenson Pool will also be available to rent. What a great place for family get-togethers, employee appreciation events, and even themed birthday parties! Check out this catalog and plan your trip to your local swimming pool. Our pool is part of your community...let it be part of your life!

We are proud to reopen this wonderful resource for the Stevenson community! Your participation is essential to its success and sustainability!

Karen Douglass, Superintendent
Stevenson-Carson School District

Frequently Asked Questions

How old must children be to swim without an adult? An adult 18 years and older must be in the water with children under the age of 8 years old. Children 8 years and above may swim without an adult.

My child is not potty-trained. What should they wear in the pool? Children who are not potty-trained are required to wear a swim diaper in the pool. Swim diapers may be purchased at the front counter.

What swim attire is appropriate for our public pool? While standard swim swimsuits and trunks are preferred, clean shorts and t-shirts are fine. No thongs or transparent attire. People wearing swim attire that is deemed inappropriate by staff, may be asked to change to something more appropriate, or leave the pool.

Should I purchase a 10-punch pass or a seasonal pass? That depends on what you want to do and how often you will come to the pool. For example, if you want to do water exercise, your best value is the 10-punch pass. It doesn’t expire until you have come to the pool 10 times. Also, it’s transferable...if you bring a friend, we can just punch it twice! The punch pass is also a good value for lap swimmers and play swimmers that only swim 1-2 times a week. Individuals coming to the pool more than twice a week will get a better value by purchasing a seasonal pass.

Teen wants to learn to swim, but not in a children’s class. What options are there for teens? Teens 13 years and above may take a Teen/Adult beginner class or a stroke improvement class. Teens Swim will also be available on Fridays from 7-8:30pm.
Weekly Pool Schedule

**MONDAY–FRIDAY**

- 7am-7pm  Lap swim (lanes vary)
- 7am-7pm  Open Play Swim
- 9am-12pm Swim Lessons
- 10:30-11:25am Water Exercise (MWF, shallow)
- 4:30-6:50pm Swim Lessons
- 5:30-6:25pm Water Exercise (MWF, shallow)
- 7-8:30pm Teen Swim (Friday only, 12-18 yrs.)
- 7-9pm (M-TH)  Pool Rentals

**SATURDAY**

- 10am-4pm  Lap Swim (lanes vary)
- 10am-4pm  Open Play Swim
- 4-9pm  Pool Rentals

**SUNDAY**

The pool is closed but available for pool rentals. See more information on pool rentals on page 6.

**WEEKLY SCHEDULE BY ACTIVITY**

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**Swimming Pool Rules**

- Everyone must take a cleansing shower before using pool.
- If you have a disease that can be transmitted by water or have been ill with diarrhea or vomiting in the last 2 weeks, don’t use the pool.
- Diapers must be changed in the designated changing area and must have a tight-fitting protective covering.
- People with seizure, heart, or circulatory problems should not swim alone.
- No running or rough playing.
- No food or drink allowed in the pool.
- Don’t use pool when under the influence of alcohol or drugs.
- Please leave valuables at home, pool is not responsible for lost or stolen items.
- Please bring a gym bag or something to put your clothes in as we do not have lockers or any way to secure your items.
- If you don’t follow the rules, you may be removed from the premises.

**Admission Fees/Rates**

Kids under age 3 are free. Youth means ages 3-17. Adults are considered age 18 and older. Seniors, age 60 and over, receive 10% off a seasonal pass.

Water exercise is included with seasonal pass, or requires admission through daily rate or punch pass.

Drop-in daily fees allow access to the pool until the end of the swim session.

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**SEASONAL PASS**

June 23-September 2
Water exercise, Laps, and Play Swims

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**Benefits of a Seasonal Pass:** unlimited swims, free special events, 10% off merchandise, 20% off basic pool rental, fast lane express check-in. Passes will be prorated daily starting July 5.

**TOWEL RENTALS**

Daily towel rental fee - 50 cents per towel.

- **Individual seasonal pass holders** pay $10 additional to use one towel per swim per person.
- **Family seasonal pass holders** pay $20 additional to use one towel per swim per person.

**CONCESSIONS AND MERCHANDISE AVAILABLE:**

Includes swim suits, caps, goggles, nose and ear plugs, shampoo, and other related swim items. All proceeds directly support the Stevenson Community Pool.

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Hello!

Welcome to Stevenson Community Pool! We’ve been working very hard to get the pool opened—cleaning, training, and organizing! We strive to provide an affordable, safe, and fun environment for all ages! Stop in and introduce yourself! I’m excited to meet all of you!

Anders, Pool Manager
Stevenson Community Pool

**AQUATIC PHILOSOPHY**
Everyone should learn to swim! Splish & Splash Swim Program is dedicated to providing a creative learning environment for the development of swimming and water safety skills. Our trained instructors create a fun atmosphere using patience, encouragement and technical expertise that build skills and confidence using safe techniques and praise. Its essential to develop swimming as a lifelong skill. Swimming is a fun, healthy exercise and developing competency opens the opportunity to safely enjoy other recreational water activities. Thank you for joining our program!

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**Special Events**
On occasion, we will offer special events at the regular price of admission to the pool! Mark your calendars for some good old fashioned swimming pool fun!

**GRAND OPENING**
June 22, 2:00-7:00pm
It’s Splish! Splash! Fun!
Let’s celebrate the re-opening of Stevenson Community Pool!
Watch for future information.

**FUN DAY!**
July 19, 1:00-3:00pm
Enjoy old fashioned pool games during our play swim – penny dives, kickboard races, rope swing splash contest, and more!

**SPLISH SPLASH DOGGIE BASH!**
Sept 2, 4:00-6:00pm | Dogs need to swim, too!
September 2 is the last day the pool will be open before it is drained for a maintenance closure. After 4pm, when the regularly scheduled play swim is done…the doggies can dive-in for just $5 per doggie. No humans in the water during the doggie dive-in!

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**Play Swim**

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Aquaducks - Parent & Child
For children 6 mo to 3 yrs, accompanied by an adult, in the water. Experience a fun, interactive, water adjustment program designed to introduce basic water skills. Parents develop confidence using proper holding positions and techniques, allowing children to develop fundamentals that can lead to a lifetime of safe practices and water enjoyment. Swim diapers are required for children who are not potty-trained.

Lil' Shrimp
Preschool: 3-5 yrs
It's fun to make bubbles and get my eyes and ears wet! My teacher will help me float and glide in the water. I wonder if a life-jacket will help me float in the water. I'm learning to love the water!

Jellyfish
Preschool: 3-5 yrs, and Youth 6-12 yrs
Prerequisites: I am comfortable in the water! I can put my whole face in the water and blow bubbles for 5 seconds! I can float and glide with assistance on my front and back! I can do it!

Sea Otter
Preschool: 3-5 yrs, and Youth 6-12 yrs
Prerequisites: I can do front crawl without taking a breath: Preschool-10 feet, Youth-15 feet. I can back glide: Preschool 5 feet, Youth 10 feet. I can do side breathing on the wall: Preschool 5 breaths, Youth: 10 breaths. I like to bob! Preschool-5 bobs, Youth-10 bobs.

Walrus
Prerequisites: Front crawl with breathing for 20 feet; back crawl for 15 feet; jump into lap pool at 6-8 feet unassisted.

Sea Lion
Prerequisites: Front crawl with breathing using proper technique: ½ length of the pool; back crawl: using proper technique: ½ length of the pool; underwater swim- 15 feet; whip kick on back with equipment: ½ length; 5 deep water bobs.

Orca
Prerequisites: Front Crawl with breathing with proper technique: length of the pool; Back Crawl: length of the pool; Elementary Backstroke with proper technique- length of the pool; Deep Water Bobs: 15 bobs

Prerequisites for Lessons: When should children repeat a class? Children with more than a 3-month break from swimming lessons should repeat the previous level as a refresher course. This pertains to class levels Lil’ Shrimp through Walrus.

Preschool vs. Youth Lessons: The Preschool Lessons (3 years to 5 years old) include the same skills taught in the Youth Lessons (6 years and older). The Preschool students will, however, be swimming shorter distances and performing some skills for a shorter amount of time than the older children in the Youth Lessons.

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**SWIM LESSON REGISTRATION**

Registration is on a first come first serve basis, and space is limited. Because the pool has been closed for awhile, and because we have a new lesson program, we prefer to register you in person. This will allow for the best skill level registration.

**Walk-in registration only June 10, 9am-3pm.**

After June 10, you can register in any of these three ways:
- In person, Monday-Friday from 10am-1pm
- Calling 509-427-7665 anytime
- Emailing us at poolinfo@sccd303.org

After June 22 and through the end of summer, all swim lesson registrations must be done in person during regular pool hours.

**Semi-Private Lessons (2-3 people)**

10/ 30 minute lessons – $65 per person

**Private Lessons**

10/ 30 minute lessons – $150 per person

**Teen/ Adult Lessons**

**Beginner** – Have you always wanted to learn to swim? Our instructors are patient and will help you to overcome your fears! Anyone can learn to swim! 10 Lessons for $45

**Stroke Improvement** – Are you comfortable in the water? Are you a little rusty? Check out this class! We can tune up your strokes and provide tips that can help you swim more efficiently. You can register for a whole class or you can register for stroke improvement help during lap swim for $4, plus admission.
Rent the Pool!

All pool rentals must be preplanned with pool staff. Groups larger than 6 (six) please contact the pool manager.

**Private Pool Rental:** Enjoy exclusive use of the entire pool before or after regular pool hours. Includes party area. There is a two hour minimum with actual swimming time being 1 hour and 45 minutes. $150 per hour up to 25 guests. Additional guests are $6 per person. $75 additional fee if you would like to use the Blow Up Fun Float.

**Group Rate Rental**
If you would like to bring a group in during pool hours, please call 24-28 hours in advance to make sure we have space and the correct amount of lifeguards available. The group rate is the Punch Card Price. Swimmers under age 8 must have a 1-to-6 ratio of adults to kids in the water. All non-swimmers must have an adult in the water with them.

**Lane Rental:** One lane rental per hour (during regular open hours and as space permits.) $25 per lane.

**Party Area Rental:** Enjoy a space to gather and celebrate! $30 per hour.

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**Birthday Party Packages**

Enjoy a birthday party during pool hours

**Basic Package:**
Includes party room.
Party Package: includes a party room for 1-hour and a play swim for 25 people.
**Package Price** $125
$5 per additional child

**Add a Theme:**
Party Package includes a party room for 1 hour and a play swim for 25 people. Choice of selected themes which includes themed place settings, table cover, and decorations.
**Package Price** $160
$6 per additional child

**Add Theme and Cake and/or Pizza and drinks:**
Party Package includes a party room for 1 hour and a play swim for 25 people. Choice of selected themes which includes themed place settings, table covers, and decorations, as well as cake and/or pizza for 25 people.
**Package Price: starting at** $250

See Pool manager for details about price and selection
$7 per additional child

With any package listed above, groups are welcome to bring their own food. Please coordinate with pool staff.

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**Party Theme Options:**
Dolphins
Jawsome Shark
Bubble Guppies
Rock n’ Roll
Bugs, Bugs, Bugs
Little Mermaids
**Water Exercise**

Did you know that you lose 80% of your body weight while in the water? Water exercise is a healthy opportunity for all people, including people with muscular and joint issues, as well as people that want to increase their fitness level.

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**Scholarship Program**

**Help-a-Kid!**

We want every kid to have access to public recreation. Unfortunately, sometimes families cannot fully support extra-curricular activities.

You can help provide a recreational experience that can benefit a child for life. 100% of your donation will go directly to allowing a child to participate in any recreational opportunity that we offer at the pool. When you open your arms…the benefits are ENDLESS! Call 509-427-7665 to Help-a-Kid!

**Scholarships**

We believe that everyone should have access to the Stevenson Community Pool. If you need financial assistance, please don’t hesitate to contact us at 509-427-7665 or pick up a Scholarship Application at the customer service desk.

**Partnership Program**

We are inviting businesses, organizations, non-profits, and groups to join our Partnership Program. The program is designed so that partners can meet the goals of their organization, which might include health and wellness activities – such as lap swimming and water exercise. Contact the Pool Manager for more information.

**Lap Swim**

We offer lap swim throughout the day, seven days a week. Lap lane dividers are used to define each lane; if there are more than two people in a lane, we ask that you “circle swim” by staying to your right as you swim. Lanes numbers vary on demand.

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**Work the Water!**

Get into Shape! Get paid! Make new friends! Come work with us!

**WE ARE HIRING:**
- Lifeguards
- Swim Instructors
- Water Exercise Instructors

**Water Fitness + More**
Splish and Splash come to Stevenson!

Stevenson pool closed in 2010. Many people thought that when the pool closed, all of the water was drained, but they left the water in the pool, hoping that it would one day open again.

It was just before summer, and Splish and Splash floated down the Columbia River looking for a new home. Splish and Splash were made of thousands of water droplets, but Splish was afraid of swimming in the water. It seems silly for a water droplet to be afraid of water, but it scared her. Splash was the brave one. They stopped at Stevenson, Washington to check out their swimming pool. It was beautiful, and there was a whole community of water droplets, just like them! They pulled on the door, but it was locked! Splash really wanted to check out the pool, so he magically liquefied and flowed right under the door. Splish was surprised, but she didn’t want to be alone, so she slipped under the door, too!

Splish and Splash stood on the deck of the beautiful 6-lane Stevenson Community Pool. It had a slide, a rope swing, and pool toys! It also had a lift to help disabled people get in and out of the water. To Splish, the pool was humongous and a little scary, but she was willing to learn to be more confident in and around the water; after all, she is a water droplet! She could do water exercise and maybe even take swim lessons! Her birthday is coming up! Maybe she could have a birthday party at the pool! Splish heard a loud noise and a big wave of water washed over her! Splash had jumped right into the pool… just what she would expect him to do! Splash loved to play in the water no matter what the depth. Splash loved lap swimming, playing in the water and going down the slide, he especially loved swinging on the rope swing and creating big splashes in the pool water! What a fun place!

Splash hopped out of the pool and shook his whole body, so that he could get Splish really wet. They looked at each other and smiled. They knew that this was the place to live! Splish and Splash thought that Stevenson Community Pool was a perfect place for them to stay!

Splash got serious. “Splish… we need to get this pool open! The community needs this pool!” Splish replied, “Wouldn’t that be wonderful! We can hire lifeguards to keep everyone safe! We can hire swim instructors to teach the kids and adults to swim! And, we can offer water exercise classes so that folks can improve their fitness.” Splash added, “AND we can PLAY! That’s the best part!”

Splish and Splash were determined to open the pool so that the community could enjoy positive, affordable activities for all ages. The kids needed to learn how to swim and play safely in the water. What a great place for teens to swim on Friday nights! The adults can learn to swim, do water exercise, and play in the water. Splish and Splash decided to find a way to get the pool opened so that everyone could swim. They worked, and they planned. They needed to find partners… people in the community that would support the pool. They connected with the local School Superintendent, first! Then, they all connected with the City of Stevenson and Skamania County. Everyone supported of the project and soon it became real. All of the hard work paid off! The Stevenson Community Pool would open the summer of 2017!

Get ready, everyone! It’s time for some Splish! Splash! Fun! at Stevenson Community Pool!

I’m Splish!  And I’m Splash!