

# ALLENHURST BEACH CLUB RULES

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- 1) Member Identification:** Entry to the Beach Club requires valid identification as a member or a guest of a member. All members must have a current photo on file. Members must wear ID bracelets upon entry and at checkpoints, but are not required to wear the bracelet at all times. Guests **MUST** wear ID bracelets on their wrist at all times. Failure to comply will result in membership suspension or revocation without refunds.
- 2) Guests:** Guests must be accompanied by an ABC member upon entry. Members who bring guests without payment may face suspension or revocation of their membership. Members are responsible for the actions of their guests. Guests **MUST** wear bracelets at all times. Bracelets not worn on the wrist, wearing altered, fake, or ripped bracelets, or passing, sharing, or selling bracelets to others will result in removal from ABC, without refund.
- 3) Guest Passes:** Guest passes can be purchased by members at [www.abc1897.com](http://www.abc1897.com) or at the ABC main gate. Sold in blocks of 10, for \$200 until June 30, and \$250 after July 1. Guest passes are good for the current year and the following year. **2023 Guest Passes are no longer valid. 2024 Guest Passes are valid for 2025. 2025 Guest Passes will be valid for 2025 AND 2026.** No Refunds for unused or expired Guest Passes.
- 4) Daily Beach Pass:** Allenhurst sells Daily Beach Passes at designated beach entrances. Rates are at [www.abc1897.com](http://www.abc1897.com). Daily Beach Pass only entitles the buyer to Allenhurst beach access, and the North Beach Bathrooms. Daily Beach Passes do not grant access to our Seasonal Storage Units, the pool deck, pool deck bathrooms, snack bar, or locker areas. Only members and paid guests of members may access these facilities. Violations may result in removal from ABC, and fines for trespassing.
- 5) Resident Rates for Facilities:** Only one facility (locker or seasonal storage unit) is allowed per Allenhurst residential address. Only residential property owners and renters/tenants with current leases who reside in Allenhurst during the summer season are eligible for resident rates on facilities. Owners of commercially zoned properties are not eligible for resident rates. Anyone who falsely claims residency to obtain membership at the resident rate, and does not reside in Allenhurst during the applicable summer season, will have their membership and facility privileges revoked, without refund.
- 6) Facility Capacity:** Lockers have a maximum capacity of 10 members, while seasonal storage units are limited to 12 members. There will be no exceptions and no grandfathering.
- 7) Membership:** Membership for 2025 is currently closed. Allenhurst residents and 2024 members will receive priority when approval resumes.

- 8) Late Payment Fee:** The deadline for the 2025 season payment is May 14. Payments made after this date will incur a \$250 late fee. There will be no exceptions.
- 9) Licensing & Membership Solicitation:** Offering to buy or sell shares in an ABC membership or facility license, or buying or selling such shares, or sublicensing, subletting, or renting of a membership or facility license is strictly prohibited. **Anyone found soliciting shares of a facility or membership, on social media or otherwise, or found having sold or purchased shares in a facility or membership, risks losing their facility and ABC membership, with no refund.**
- 10) Beach Storage for Kayaks, Canoes, Paddleboards, and Boats:** A storage rack is available for \$100 per season. Space is limited and offered on a first-come, first-served basis. Kayaks without a 2025 sticker will be removed. Stickers are available for purchase at the front office.
- 11) Damage or Loss of Articles:** The Borough of Allenhurst is not responsible for any loss or damage to personal items left at the Club. Lost and Found is located at the Main Office.
- 12) Trespassing:** Anyone entering the Beach Club unlawfully will be subject to removal and/or fines.
- 13) Glass:** Glass bottles and drinkware are strictly prohibited around the pool and pool deck, or in the pool itself. Glass bottles and drinkware are prohibited on the beach.
- 14) Pets:** Pets and other animals are not allowed on ABC property, including the boardwalk. Service animals, with proper documentation, are allowed. Owners are responsible for service animal's behavior at all times.
- 15) Grounds:** Members and guests must show respect for our club. Decks, stairs, and passageways must remain clear. Please do not damage the pools, railings, decks, furniture, or any ABC property. Report any damaged items to management, and we will do our best to keep the club in good repair and safe for everyone.
- 16) Smoking:** By NJ State law, is not permitted on the beach. Smoking is not permitted on ABC property, inside or outside lockers and SSUs. Smoking in these areas can result in disciplinary warnings, expulsion and/or revocation of membership.
- 17) Wading Pools:** Permitted on the beach only. Children's wading pools must not exceed 52 inches in diameter and 11 inches in depth.

- 18) Diaper Changing:** Diaper changing is not permitted on the pool deck, lounges, chairs, or in any public area. Diapers may only be changed in lockers, seasonal storage units, or restrooms, where changing tables are available.
- 19) Playpens and Strollers:** Playpens are not permitted on the deck or pavilion areas. Strollers must be attended and not left abandoned on the deck or pavilion. Strollers not in use must be stored in your facility.
- 20) Adult Pavilion:** Is for quiet enjoyment by Adults 21 and over. **No one under 21 allowed.**
- 21) Pool Deck:** The areas immediately surrounding the Main Pool and Wading Pool, are subject to certain restrictions: **NO: Glassware, Food, Alcoholic Drinks, Dangerous Toys, Diaper Changing, Sports, Running, Yelling, General Disruption of Quiet Enjoyment, and, of course, Horseplay.** These rules will be enforced by Lifeguards and ABC management. Other safety rules will be posted.
- 22) North & South Decks and the Grass Lounges:** Only ABC provided chairs and lounges are permitted on the North & South Decks and the Grass. Personal beach chairs are not permitted. Lounges are available on a first-come, first-served basis. They cannot be reserved, or saved for later, and each member or guest is allowed only one lounge. **If a member leaves their lounge for more than 3 hours, it is considered abandoned,** the belongings will be removed and secured, and the lounge offered to another member.
- 23) Beach Tents and Canopies:** As outlined in Ordinance 2025-05, **tents and canopies are not allowed on the beach,** only beach umbrellas with a central support structure are permitted, with a maximum size of 7 feet in diameter and 6 feet in height. "Baby tents" under 40 inches in height are allowed. Members or guests with tents or canopies will be asked to remove them, and a penalty, as per the ordinance, may apply.
- 24) Beach Chair Setups:** On the Beach and by SSUs - Setup of chairs & umbrellas can be done only if staff is notified, by call or text, on or before the day of arrival. Members can arrange setups with staff, based on availability.
- a) **Setups may be removed** if not used within 3 hours. If a member cannot use their setup, they should text the staff to remove it. Advance notice to staff, to remove setups by a certain time, is acceptable.
  - b) **After 3 hours,** if staff is not notified, setups are **considered abandoned,** and may be removed to accommodate other members. If a member abandons their setup more than 3 times, they will be prohibited from staff setups for the rest of the season.
- 25) Beach Chair Tags:** Beach chairs are stored on the beach for setups by the staff. Each chair will have a special tag. **Only ONE chair per member is allowed.** A locker may not have more chairs than members. **Extra chairs, not tagged, must be stored in the members' facility.** All non-tagged chairs will be removed from ABC beach.

- 26) Child Supervision:** Children under 12 must be supervised by an adult at all times. Parents or guardians are responsible for their behavior, and disruptive children may be asked to leave.
- 27) Swimming & Lifeguards:** Lifeguards at the Pool and Beach have authority to determine where and when to swim. Lifeguard instructions, posted or verbal, are to be followed at all times. Disobeying lifeguard instructions is unsafe and may result in injury to yourself or others, and may result in removal from ABC.
- a) On the Beach, swimming is allowed in designated areas. Surfing is allowed in designated areas, and is prohibited where swimmers are present.
  - b) Posted rules at the Pool or Beach must be followed.
- 28) Sports:** Sports, ball playing, frisbee, kite flying, etc.. must be conducted in designated areas, away from members and beach goers. Excessive noise or disruption of quiet enjoyment of our members will result in the activity being stopped, and may result in removing participants from ABC.
- 29) EVENTS:** Events, Parties, Weddings, and any similar organized gatherings, on any portion of ABC property, including the beach, are prohibited at all times.
- 30) Garbage and Recycling:** Members are responsible to clean up after themselves and their guests. Garbage and Recycling bins are available in all areas. Bottles & cans are to be disposed in blue recycling bins, everything else in the grey bins. DO NOT leave garbage, toys, newspapers, bottles, food, or other disposable items on lounges or beach setups. **Leaving garbage behind is littering**, punishable by fines, and not very nice. Please keep ABC clean.
- 31) General Code of Conduct:** All members and guests must treat staff and fellow members with respect. Excessive noise, music, derogatory or hateful language, loud and disruptive sports or ball playing, or horseplay that draws complaints from members will be addressed with disciplinary action on a case-by-case basis. Complaints should be addressed to the Beach Club manager on duty.
- 32) Violations of Rules:** Members are responsible for ensuring compliance with all Allenhurst Beach Club rules and must show respect for all members, guests, and employees. Principals of facilities are responsible for the behavior of all members and guests in their facility. ABC Management and Allenhurst Board of Commissioners reserve the right to enforce the rules, including, but not limited to, written and posted rules, and impose penalties, up to and including removal, suspension, or expulsion of members, revocation of membership, cancellation of guest passes, cancellation of SSU licenses, with no refunds, as deemed necessary, to maintain the integrity and safety of ABC.

**33) Rule Modifications:** The Allenhurst Board of Commissioners reserves the right to amend these rules at any time for the safety and benefit of the Allenhurst Beach Club and its members. These rules updated July 10, 2025.