

# **Children's Policy Guidelines**

Homestead is a family-oriented community. We welcome members of all ages, and work continually to provide quality and variety in our amenities. Children are an important element of the membership, but safety and liability concerns require specific and restrictive rules. Please refer to below age groups for specific Club policy.

### **ALL CHILDREN**

All children must exhibit appropriate behavior, picking up after themselves, and showing respect for property and other members. Misbehaving children of any age will be requested to leave the building. Appropriate behavior must also be exhibited on Open Space, parks, playgrounds, and trails.

On tennis courts, there will be no play other than tennis. No bikes, skateboards, scooters, etc. are allowed on the courts or on the sidewalk in between courts.

No children are permitted to add any guests to the guest list.

#### **CHILDREN UNDER 12**

Children under 12 are not permitted in the Club without direct supervision. This means that the responsible person, defined as 16 or older, must be watching the child (or children), and not working out or otherwise engaged while children are present. Supervised children under the age of 12 may use the following Club amenities: pool area, racquetball court, tennis courts, and Homestead parks and Open Space. Children under the age of 12 are not permitted to use any cardio or weight room equipment.

## **CHILDREN 12-17**

All children 12 and over who would like to use the Club without a parent present (or responsible person) must be registered with the Club, and have their own membership number, which they key in as they enter the building. Unregistered children must enter with a parent or responsible person. To register a 12 year old (or older) please stop by the Club to fill out a membership change form.

Children between the ages of 12-17 may use the weight room and cardio area after they have been certified by the Fitness Director.

## **CHILDREN 18-21**

All children ages 18-21 will be allowed to remain on their parent's membership. All Club rules and standards must be upheld at all times. Once your child turns 22 years old, they will no longer be allowed to remain on the family membership and will be removed from the family account. A single membership can be purchased at this time.