

Florida Health Mission:

To protect, promote & improve the health of all people in Florida through integrated state, county, & community efforts.

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HEALTH NOTICE

Harmful algal blooms may be present

Lee County, FL— The Florida Department of Health in Lee County is recommending that the public be cautious before exposing themselves, pets or livestock to the brackish and fresh water of the Caloosahatchee River and its tributaries due to sporadic but potentially harmful algal blooms.

It is recommended not to fish, participate in recreational activities or drink the water if:

- The water appears greenish or off color
- The water smells different
- Dead or distressed animal and aquatic life are present.

Algae may grow in lakes, canals and rivers of the county for the foreseeable future. There are a large number of these fresh water bodies, making it impractical to track the algae conditions in all areas. An advisory will be issued if toxic blooms are identified in public areas.

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SWIMMING LESSONS IN LEE COUNTY

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|-----------------------------------|-----------------|--------------------|----------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------------|
| | | South Re | egion | | |
| Name and Pool Address | Student Ages | Type of Lessons | Seasons Available | Scholarships Available | Scheduling Information |
| Bonita Springs Community Pool | 12 mos. | Private | March | | (239) 947-1948 |
| (BSCP) 26890 Pine Avenue | to | and | through | None | www.bonitaspringsrecreation.org |
| Bonita Springs | Adult | Group | November | | |
| Bonita Springs YMCA | 6 mos. | Private | May | | |
| 27200 Kent Road | to | and | through | Yes | (239) 221-7560 |
| Bonita Springs | Adult | Group | August | | www.swflyca.org Bonita Springs |
| FGCU Aquatic Center | Pre-School | | Summer | | |
| (FGCU) 10501 FGCU Blvd. S. | to | Group | and | No | (239) 590-7700 |
| Fort Myers | Adult | | Fall | | www.fgcu.edu/aquatics |
| Fort Myers Beach Pool | Infant | | | | |
| 2600 Oak Street | to | Group | Summer | Limited | (239) 463-5759 |
| Fort Myers Beach | Adult | | | | www.fortmyersbeachfl.gov |
| San Carlos Community Pool | Pre-School | Private | Year-round | | |
| 8208 Sanibel Boulevard | to | and | Summer - | Limited | (239) 533-7275 |
| San Carlos Park | Adult | Group | Infant to 18 | | www.leeparks.org |
| Sanibel Recreation Complex | Infant | Private | | | |
| 3840 San-Cap Road | to | and | Year | No | (239) 472-0345 |
| Sanibel Island | Adult | Group | Round | | www.mysanibel.com |
| | | Central R | egion | | |
| City of Fort Myers Golf View Pool | 6 mos. | | Spring | | |
| (FMGVP) 1865 Golf View Avenue | То | Semi-private | and | No | (239) 931-7020 |
| Fort Myers | Adult | Group | Summer | | www.cityftmyers.com |
| Fort Myers Aquatic Center | Infant | Semi-Private | Spring | | |
| (FMAC) 1750 Matthew Drive | to | and | Summer | No | (239) 931-7020 |
| Fort Myers | Adult | Group | Fall | | www.cityftmyers.com |
| STARS Complex | Age 5 | | | | |
| 2980 Edison Avenue | to | Group | Summer | Children | (239) 332-6671 |
| Fort Myers | 12 years | | | | www.cityftmyers.com |
| Tice Community Pool | 4 years | | | | |
| 4515 Glenwood avenue | to | Group | Summer | Yes | (239) 533-7275 |
| Fort Myers | 12 years | | | | www.leeparks.org |
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| Lehigh Acres Community Pool | Pre-School | Private | Year-round | | |
| (LACP) 1400 West Fifth Street | to | and | Summer - | Limited | (239) 533-7275 |
| Lehigh Acres | Adult | Group | Infant to 18 | | www.leeparks.org |
| | | North Re | gion | | |
| North Fort Myers Community Pool | Pre-School | Private | Year-round | | |
| (NFMCP) 5170 Orange Grove Blvd. | to | and | Summer - | Limited | (239) 533-7275 |
| North Fort Myers | Adult | Group | Infant to 18 | | www.leeparks.org |
| | | Western F | Region | | |
| Cape Coral Yacht Club (CCYC) | 6 mos. | Group, | | | (239) 542-3903 |
| 5819 Driftwood Parkway | to | Synchronized | Year | No | www.capecoral.net |
| Cape Coral | 12 years | Swimming | Round | | Cape Coral Yacht Club |
| Phillips Park Community Pool | Pre-School | Private | Year-round | | |
| (PPCP) 5675 Sesame Drive | to | and | Summer - | Limited | (239) 533-7275 |
| Pine Island | Adult | Group | Infant to 18 | | www.leeparks.org |
| Sun Splash Water Park | Infant | | | | (239) 574-0558 |
| 400 Santa Barbara Blvd. | to | Group | Summer | No | www.sunsplashwater |
| Cape Coral | 12 years | | | | park.com |
| Wellness Center of Cape Coral | 6 mos. | Private | Year-round | | (239) 424-3220 |
| 636 del Prado Boulevard | to | and | Summer - | No | www.leememorial.org |
| Cape Coral | Adult | Semi-Private | Infant to 18 | | Wellness Center Aquatics |
| YMCA | 6 mos. | | Spring | | |
| Cape Coral High School Pool | to | Group | Summer | Yes | (239) 275-9622 |
| Cape Coral | Adult | | Fall | | www.leecountyymca.org |