



Pearland Recreation Center & Natatorium

Kidz Korner

Hours of Operation

Monday - Thurs.: 8 a.m.-12 p.m. & 4 p.m.-8 p.m.

Friday & Saturday: 8 a.m.-12 p.m.

KIDS HAVE FUN
WHILE YOU WORK OUT!





KIDS STAY SAFE WHILE YOU WORK OUT!

Parents, rest easy knowing your child will be playing and making new friends in our fun-filled play areas. They'll also have the chance to join activities including imaginative play, reading, craft sessions and group games.

AGE GUIDELINES & IMPORTANT INFORMATION

The Kidz Korner program is designed for children between the ages of 6 months to 11 years old. The parent will need a valid membership or day pass for children to participate. While parents are enjoying our facilities, the children will participate in a variety of age-appropriate activities.

HOW DOES DROP OFF & PICK UP WORK?

Parents will create a KidCheck account on the first visit and provide updates as necessary. KidCheck is a secure children's check-in system that enhances the Kidz Korner security system and helps ensure no one can pick up your child without your consent. We know the importance of safety when considering a childcare provider and by choosing one that uses KidCheck you can be assured they have your child's security as a top priority. Parents will check child(ren) in upon arrival and out upon departure of each visit. Parents will place the child's name tag sticker on their back and either wear/carry the guardian sticker until pick up.

Parents/guardians are required to remain in the facility while their child is in the Kidz Korner. Children will be allowed to leave the center only with the person that signed them in, unless prior arrangements have been made.



Scan the QR code to download the KidCheck app to create your account or go to **go.kidcheck.com/signin.aspx** to log in or create a new account.

WHAT SHOULD MY CHILD WEAR?

Clothes for active play are recommended. For safety reasons, children 2 and up must wear shoes at all times. Children under 24 months must wear booties or socks.

WHAT ITEMS SHOULD STAY AT HOME?

We ask that you please leave all electronics, toys and stuffed animals at home. The Kidz Korner has a wide variety of age appropriate toys and games that your child will enjoy. Medications should not be brought into the Kidz Korner because our staff cannot administer medication to your child. Due to allergies, food and drink are not allowed in the program, but a labeled water bottle is permitted. Parents of child(ren) 6 months to 16 months may provide prepared and appropriately labeled bottles; Kidz Korner staff is not authorized to mix formula bottles.

WHAT IF MY CHILD GETS HURT?

In case of an accident, the staff will provide basic first aid and the parent will be asked to assess the child. There is at least one staff person on duty is certified in first aid, CPR and rescue breathing.

WHAT IF MY CHILD CRIES?

Staff are trained to use positive methods to **re-direct** to a fun activity. If crying persists for more than 10 minutes, and after all attempts to console are exhausted, parent will be asked to return and comfort or remove their child.

HOW IS DISCIPLINE HANDLED?

Staff are trained in behavioral guidance that is constructive in nature, while being age and stage appropriate. Redirection, positive reinforcement and clear communication of expectations to manage inappropriate behavior and to resolve conflicts is utilized by staff. Parents/guardians will be notified upon pick up if and when techniques have been applied for behavioral guidance. Parents will also be notified if techniques are unsuccessful and child is a danger to self or others (hitting, bitling, bullying). If the persistent disruptive behavior continues, the child may potentially be suspension from the Kidz Korner program for a designated length of time or permanently.

WHAT HAPPENS IF THE PROGRAM IS FULL?

To ensure a safe environment for your children, there could be occasions when we have to restrict the number of children that can be in our Kidz Korner program. We regret that we might have to ask you to wait a period of time before you will be able to leave your child in our care. Following the Texas Department of Child Protection Services, the ratio of staff to child is:

- 5-12 years/1:15
- 3-4 years/ 1:12
- 0-2 years/1:4

WHEN SHOULD MY CHILD STAY AT HOME?

Parent will be notified for pick up if child develops symptoms while in our care. Children who have symptoms of infectious illness should <u>stay home</u> and refer to your healthcare provider for care. We ask all parents to be vigilant in monitoring your child's health for symptoms of illness and to <u>keep them home</u> if your child is showing any signs or symptoms of illness. Parents should pay particular attention to:

- Fever of 100.4 or more
- Sore throat
- Undiagnosed rashes
- Diarrhea or vomiting

- Pink Eye
- Head Lice
- Excessive coughing
- Other contagious illnesses