

Be Smart...Be Safe: Water Safety Tips

When the weather turns warm, everyone wants to be in or around the water. Hanging out at the pool, lake or the beach on a hot day is a great way to beat the heat and have some summer fun. Most water-related accidents can be avoided by knowing how to stay safe and following a few simple guidelines:

- Learn to swim.
- Always swim with a buddy; never swim alone.
- Swim in areas supervised by a lifeguard.
- Read and obey all rules and posted signs.

- Watch out for the dangerous "too's" – too tired, too cold, too far from safety, too much sun, too much strenuous activity or too much alcohol.

- Limit the amount of direct sunlight you receive between 10:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. and wear a sunscreen with a sun protection factor of at least 15.

- Watch for signs of heat stroke including hot, red, and dry skin, changes in consciousness or rapid, weak pulse.

- When lake swimming, select an area that has good water quality. Murky water can have hazardous and hidden underwater objects

that can turn an event that began as fun into a tragedy.

Alcohol and boating don't mix. Over 50% of boating drownings and 17% of all boating fatalities result from alcohol misuse. For the same reasons it is dangerous to operate an automobile while under the influence, people should not operate a boat while drinking alcohol. An intoxicated driver of a boat or jet ski puts the public in danger.

Curbing the number of alcohol related accidents is key to achieving a safer and more enjoyable environment for recreational boating. Therefore, the US Coast



UTSAPD wants you to be informed about water safety
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Guard and local law enforcement are participating in Operation Dry Water from June 24-26, 2011. This is a national weekend of Boating Under the Influence education and enforcement actions aimed at reducing alcohol accidents and fatalities.

References: kidshealth.org, redcross.org, operationdrywater.org, tdcaa.com

Lost and Found

All found property that is turned in to the University Police Lost & Found section is stored at the University Police Lost & Found for 60 days. After 60 days, the found property is transferred to the Surplus Property Department for public auctions or further disposition. To report lost property items or to make inquiries regarding lost property call 210.458.4242 (24 hours a day). To claim found property items, individuals must present a valid Texas Driver's license, UTSA photo ID card or a valid photo ID card from another source; military ID or another state photo ID card. Individuals must be able to accurately describe the property that was lost in order to claim property from the lost & found section. The below listed items are currently being held by UTSAPD. If not claimed in 30 days, they will be disposed of in accordance with policy.

Qty	Item	Description	Qty	Item	Description
54	Bikes	Various Brands & Colors	1	First Mark Debit MasterCard	Belonging to Bianca Ramirez
19	Books/Binders/Folders	Various Titles & Brands	1	Bank of America Visa Debit Card	Most give Account #
10	Cell phones/Cases/Chargers	Various Brands & Colors	1	First Mark Debit MasterCard	Belonging to Paul Perez
7	Clothing/Shoes/Coats	Various Brands, Styles & Colors	1	USAA Debit MasterCard	Belonging to Jared T. Stills
1	Bank of the Hills Visa Debit Card	Belonging to Ilda Alva	1	IBC Bank Visa Debit Card	Belonging to Kelsey Layne Miller
1	USAA Debit MasterCard	Belonging to Matthew A. Hudson	14	Electronics	Laptop & Phone Chargers, Calculators, etc
1	USAA Debit MasterCard	Belonging to Alana U. Urbano	7	Flashdrives	Various Brands, Colors & Styles
1	SACU Debit MasterCard	Belonging to Cassandra M. Chavez	19	Prescription glasses & Sunglasses	Various Brands, Colors & Styles
1	Chase Visa Debit Card	Belonging to Penny Ramon	1	Hats & Caps	Various Brands, Colors & Styles
1	Texas Drivers License		14	Jewelry & Watches	Rings, Necklaces, Bracelets, Watches
1	BCBS PPO Insurance Card	Belonging to Matthew T. Adrian	17	Keys	Various Types, Styles & Colors
1	Frost Bank Visa Debit Card	Belonging to Adreil Rolando Azuna	1	Box of AC Filters	Owner must give size & location found
1	RBFCU Debit MasterCard	Belonging to Anthony W. Herbold	1	Art Bag	Contents: Drawing Notebook & backpack
1	Bank of America Visa Debit Card	Belonging to Xiaochen Liu	1	Manila Folder with documents from Saudi Arabia	Belonging to Emad Khalid Bassan Al-geagai Al-rewaili
1	Wells Fargo Visa Debit Card	Belonging to Jonathan L. StMary	4	Purses, Bags & Book bags	Various Brands, Colors & Styles
1	Bank of America Visa Debit Card	Belonging to Teron L Gant	1	Tools/knives/Hardware	Stainless Steel Knife
1	Bank of America Visa Debit Card	Belonging to Stephen Lee Dandrade	1	Wallet	Belonging to Michael Hild
1	Texas Drivers License	Belonging to Albert Vasquez	1	Wallet	Belonging to Rene Patino Rodriguez
1	Chase Visa Debit Card	Belonging to Kayla R. Broussard	1	Wallet	Belonging to Frank B McKay
1	Wells Fargo Visa Debit Card	Belonging to Roshni N. Jariwala	1	Wallet	Belonging to Michael Baumann
1	Spurs Sports & Entertainment Card	Belonging to Katie Durkin	1	Wallet	Belonging to Ahmad H. Ali. Ali S. Enterprise
1	Employment Authorization Card	Belonging to Norma Reyes	1	Money Order	Owner must state amount
1	Bank of America Visa Debit Card	Belonging to Valerie A. Vasquez	1	Checkbook	Belonging to Maricella G. Marrero
2	Misc Items	Belonging to Nana B. Gyambibi	1	Checkbook	Belonging to Azam Ibrahim Abobaker
1	Frost Bank Visa Debit Card	Belonging to Yadira Limon	1	Wallet	Belonging to Joel Delarosa
1	Security Service Debit Master Card	Belonging to Melissa A. Davila	1	Check	Belonging to Joseph P. Nichols
1	USAA Visa Debit Card	Belonging to Derwin L. Bohne Jr.	1	Wallet	Multiple ID's inside
1	Wells Fargo Visa Debit Card	Belonging to Alex S. Lugo	1	Frost Bank Visa Debit Card	Belonging to Joseph F. Denario IV

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