## Berlin Parks and Recreation Department Lifeguarding class



The Parks and Recreation Department will be offering the American Red Cross **Lifeguarding class** this summer, for residents and non-residents. There is a minimum of 6 and a maximum of 8 allowed. Prerequisites for the course are: you must be at least 15 years old, swim a 300 yards continuously demonstrating breath control and rhythmic breathing, tread water 2 minutes using only your legs complete a timed event including swimming 20 yards, surface dive & brick retrieval from 7-10 ft water, return to surface and swim 20 yards on back holding brick, exit water without using a ladder or steps.

Certificate earned includes lifeguarding/first aid/CPR/AED valid for 2 years. Classes will be held from 8 a.m.-12 p.m. at Percival Pool. The course will start on August 5th for approximately 5 classes, with August 10 as a test/makeup date, **you must attend every class**. The fee, which includes a resuscitation mask, is \$155\* for residents and \$165 for non-residents. **Program #240201A** 

\*Any residents that register for this class, successfully pass all requirements and are hired by the Berlin Parks and Recreation Department the summer of 2025 and work the entire summer, will be reimbursed the \$155 registration fee in August 2025. Please note that successful completion of the course does not guarantee being hired by the Department.

The Berlin Parks and Recreation Department is accepting registration on-line through WebTrac on the Town's website at www.berlinct.gov or in person at 230 Kensington Rd, Berlin, CT 06037. Deadline to register is Thursday, August 1 at 7 p.m.

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