

**SPORTS DEVELOPMENT**  
**FREE SWIMMING FOR RESIDENTS AGED UNDER 16 AND 60+**

Residents over the age of 60 and under 16 will be able to take a free dip in the borough's public pools from January 2010 until March 2011. This follows the Council's decision to join the national Free Swimming programme.

Free swimming at Loddon Valley Leisure Centre, Carnival Pool and Bulmershe Pool.

In order to manage the scheme, participants will be asked to complete a registration form and provide evidence of eligibility. They will then receive a membership card which will enable them to swim for free at general swimming sessions at any of the borough's public pools.

Registration will commence in December 2009 and forms will be available at Council offices and facilities across the borough. Further details will be available at leisure centres, Council offices, libraries and on the borough council's website.

[www.wokingham.gov.uk/leisure/sports/leisure-facilities/](http://www.wokingham.gov.uk/leisure/sports/leisure-facilities/)