



DETROIT ATHLETIC CLUB  
**DRESS CODE**

The Detroit Athletic Club is a world-recognized city club steeped in tradition and elegance. Members and their guests are expected to dress with good judgement. For the courtesy of all DAC members and guests, we kindly ask that you respect the DAC dress code policy. Members and their guests are fully responsible for conforming to the dress code. DAC staff are instructed by the Board of Directors to respectfully and as inconspicuously as reasonable under the circumstances, advise a member or guest if they are in violation of the dress code. Members and their guests are expected to respectfully and immediately correct the situation.

## **DAC ATTIRE** *Ages 14 and Over*

**MEN** | Pressed collared shirt or turtleneck and tailored slacks; quarter-zip pullovers with collared shirt underneath preferred; collared golf shirt; tucked in shirttail and polo; tailored slacks with a finished hem. Jacket required in the Main Lobby, Reading Room, and Tap Room; Jacket required and tie preferred in The Gallery

**WOMEN** | Blouse or sweater; slacks or long cropped pants; skirt not shorter than mid-thigh; leggings worn with mid-thigh length or longer skirt, dress or top. Suit; dress; skirt or tailored slacks required in the Main Lobby, Reading Room, Tap Room, The Gallery



## **FOOTWEAR**

Athletic footwear (tennis and gym shoes) is only permitted in athletic areas (unless worn for medical purposes). Leather sandals and other open-toed footwear are acceptable. Plastic and rubber flip flops and sandals are not allowed.

## **NOT PERMITTED**

Denim of any color; tattered, torn or cutoff clothing; cargo pants or shorts, hats or caps (women's dress hats are acceptable); excessively revealing clothing; short shorts; tank tops, spandex and all acceptable DAC Athletic Attire (see below) that is not covered up when outside the athletic area. Hoodies may not be worn over the head.

## **DAC ATTIRE** *Ages 13 and Under*

Boys – Pants with button down or polo-styled shirts; no denim.  
Girls – Pants with shirt; dress or skirt; no denim.



## CLUBHOUSE

### CLUBHOUSE ENTRY

DAC ATTIRE is preferred to enter the building through the Randolph (Atrium) or from the Madison entrances. Members wearing athletic attire are encouraged to enter through the Athletic (preferred) entrance and must use the Athletic or Randolph elevators and not pass through the lobby area.

### COAT CHECK AND LOCKERS

All coats and outerwear must be checked at the coat check unless kept in a locker. Athletic bags are not allowed in restaurants or bars and are not allowed to be kept in the Lobby or other common areas of the Club.

### PAVILION

DAC ATTIRE with the following permitted exceptions: tailored Bermuda length shorts, denim, Athletic Attire, flip flops and hats.



## EXCEPTIONS

**BASEBALL SEASON** – from Tigers Opening Day through final game of season.

Allowed in the entire Clubhouse except the Main Lobby and The Gallery: Tailored Bermuda length shorts and collared shirt for men and conservative top for women. No t-shirts or flip-flops.

### JERSEY GAME DAYS

Allowed in The Abbey, Stadium Club, The Fresco and no other dining room or bar area. Game-day jerseys worn over DAC ATTIRE (i.e., collared shirts -preferred, blouses, etc.).

### THANKSGIVING DAY PARADE EVENT

Denim and outdoor wear are permitted inside the Clubhouse during the pre-reception for this annual event only.



## DAC ATHLETIC DRESS CODE

All athletic members and guests are required to conform to the rules of dress and conduct when entering and leaving the Clubhouse. Members and guests wearing informal clothing, athletic attire or outfits not in conformity with DAC ATTIRE are encouraged to enter through the Athletic preferred entrance and must use the athletic or Randolph elevators and not pass through the lobby area.

A cover up is required for tight clothing such as speedos, tights, and bike or spandex shorts for men, while open midriiffs and sports bras must always be covered for women.

## FITNESS CENTER ATTIRE

### PERMITTED

Family-oriented, acceptable attire includes covered midriiffs, tank tops, bandana or headband; footwear that is clean and used indoors only, except for programs that require footwear to be removed (i.e., yoga, Pilates, meditation).



### NOT PERMITTED

Shirts and t-shirts that have been altered by removing sleeves; hats; denim; cargo pants or shorts; clothing that is ripped, frayed, torn or that displays language, motifs or insignia that may be deemed offensive; open-toed shoes or sandals.

## COURT ATTIRE

### PERMITTED

Short-sleeved shirt or polo; classic shorts; bandana or headband; proper athletic footwear with non-marking soles is required on basketball, squash and handball/racquetball courts. Safety eyewear is required.

### NOT PERMITTED

Same as Fitness Center Attire.

