

2024

UWPD Lake Rescue and Safety Lifesaving Station Lake Mendota Rescue Service

SPRING SCHEDULE

April 3 through May 24

(Opening date will be delayed if ice conditions at boathouse or low winter lake levels prevent use of rescue boat)

OPEN: Wednesday through Sunday

CLOSED: Mondays and Tuesdays

April 3 through April 28

12:00PM to 7:30PM

May 1 through May 24

12:30PM to 8:00PM

SUMMER SCHEDULE

Memorial Day weekend through Labor Day

OPEN: Every Day

May 25 through July 21

11:00AM to 8:30PM

July 22 through August 11

10:30AM to 8:00PM

August 12 through September 2

10:00AM to 7:30PM

FALL SCHEDULE

September 3 through October 27

OPEN: Every Day up to September 30

CLOSED: Mondays and Tuesdays starting September 30

September 3 through September 15

11:30AM to 7:00PM

September 16 through September 29

11:00AM to 6:30PM

October 2 through October 13

10:30AM to 6:00PM

October 16 through October 27

10:00AM to 5:30PM

Please note: The hours of operation are designated to provide service to UW groups through approximate sunset and may change according to their schedule. Hooper Sailing Club members and Outdoor UW renters are to return 15 minutes before the Lifesaving Station closes.

EMERGENCY: 608-262-3505

Business: 608-262-5865

For Lake Mendota emergencies on days and times when the Lifesaving Station is closed, phone 911 to alert the Dane County Sheriff Department and City of Madison Fire Department emergency responders.