Dress Standards

The following standards, which are applicable depending on venue and function, are expressed as guidelines, except those identified as "unacceptable." Children over the age of 12 are expected to adhere to the dress code.

Business Casual

Gentlemen are requested to wear a collared or turtleneck shirt with tailored trousers. Ladies attire should be professional/ social commensurate. Business Casual is the minimum standard of dress in the clubhouse outside of the health club facilities, unless otherwise specified. It is the minimum standard expected in the Tower bar and Steinman Room.

Jacket & Tie

Gentlemen are requested to wear a business suit or sport jacket and trousers with collared shirt and necktie. Ladies may wear professional/ social attire including suits, dress slacks, skirts and dresses. Clergy or members of the Armed Forces may wear the commensurate uniform. While dining in The Grille for the round table gentlemen may choose not to wear a tie, and jackets are recommended but not required.

Smart Casual

For regular dining service in the Buchanan Bar and Club wide on First Fridays. Gentlemen shall wear a collared shirt or turtleneck shirt with tailored trousers. Appropriate denim (properly fitted, in excellent repair, of a consistent color and so on) is permitted. Ladies attire should be social commensurate.

Summer Casual

For the Buchanan and Tower Bars from Memorial Day through Labor Day. Smart Casual applies with the addition of Bermuda Shorts in the Tower Bar and Lounge as well as the Buchanan Bar on weekends. Please remember that this style does not apply to the Steinman Room.

Unacceptable Attire

Under no circumstances are tank tops, tee shirts, halter tops, shorts, baseball caps, athletic shoes, sweat pants, beach clothes, exposed undergarments, tops exposing a bare midriff or any other very casual clothes permitted in any area of the club other than as appropriate for the Health Club facilities.

Cell Phone Etiquette

Cell phone and personal digital assistants should be placed on silent or vibrate mode when in the Clubhouse. Cell phone conversations, e-mailing, and texting may be employed discretely in the Cell Phone Room, Foyer, Peacock Alley, Men's and Women's Locker Rooms, Center Stairwell and the Top of Stairs outside the Tower Bar. Speaker phones are prohibited, and members and guests should avoid loud conversations that disturb other members and guests.

Personal digital calendar, memo, task and other non-communicative functions may be used discretely throughout the Club. Cell phone conversations and speaker-phone use shall be permitted in private rooms at the discretion of host or hostess.