



SEAPARC COVID-19 UPDATE

Pool Use Safety Plan

We would like to welcome you back to the pool. The health and safety of the public is our top priority and as such, protocols are in place to support physical distancing and enhanced cleaning practices. Rules are subject to change and will be updated as needed. Those disregarding rules may be asked to leave the facility.

General Facility Access Information

Signage is posted reminding users to observe health and safety precautions and follow best practices for physical distancing. These measures will help to ensure a safe space for all. Users are expected to continue to adhere to public health guidelines which includes:

- Keep a 2 metre distance from others at all times where possible
- Do not use the facilities or attend activities if you are sick or feeling unwell
- Stay home if you have traveled in the past 14 days OR if someone in your household is sick outside of Canada
- Wash or sanitize your hands before and after your visit
- Masks are required in facility common spaces including hallways, change rooms and washrooms
- Abide by mask requirements that may apply to your selected activity
- Cover your cough and sneeze into your sleeve or tissue
- Do not loiter in the facility or on the grounds before or after your visit
- Adhere to facility Code of Conduct
- Be patient and considerate of others

SEAPARC Pool

Pool access now looks a bit different. Hours of operation are reduced and the number of patrons permitted in each swim activity is limited and will vary depending on the type of swim. The Pool Schedule is designed to support physical distancing protocols and to ensure staff have adequate time to clean the facility between each swim. SEAPARC is following the guidelines set forth by the Provincial Health Officer, Work Safe BC, BCCDC, the Life Saving Society of BC/Yukon and Island Health.

There will be 2 options for accessing the pool:

- *Express Access* Option is for those that come dressed and ready to swim and do not require a locker. You will access the pool via the lobby door and be provided with a bin on deck to store your belongings. You will take a cleansing shower on deck, and then exit the pool via an external door at the end of your swim.
- *Traditional* Option is for those that might need to get dressed and ready in a change room, who will request a locker from reception.

Important information to know before you attend the facility:

- Advanced reservation is required for all pool activities and programs. Drop-in access is not permitted.
- Arrive dressed for your swim and limit the amount of personal items you bring to the facility.

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- Everyone must que outside the facility following physical distancing guidelines, until staff are ready to welcome you in for your reserved swim time.
- Check in with reception when you arrive at the facility prior to accessing the change rooms or pool deck.
- Limited lockers will be available for use.
- Limit your time in the change rooms including use of showers. A cleansing shower is permitted.
- Hair Dryers are not permitted
- The number of showers available for use is limited
- Follow the directional signage while using the pool
- Maintain 2 metres of physical distance at all times while in the pool. Families living in the same household can be within 2 metres of each other.
- 24 hours' notice is required to cancel a reservation
- Some pool equipment and toys will not be available at this time
- Snorkels are not permitted
- Goggles are encouraged
- Do not spit or blow nose in water
- Hot tub access is limited to 4 per people at a time.
- The Sauna is CLOSED until further notice

Aqua Fit Class Information:

- Participants may enter 10 minutes prior to the start of class
- Class is 45 minutes in duration.
- Participants must maintain a 2.5 metre distance at all times while in class
- Participants will adhere to all other COVID facility access procedures
- Music will be kept low to support safe communication between the Instructor and Participants

To reserve a time to access the Pool, please login to PerfectMind via our website or phone SEAPARC Reception at 250.642.8000. Please answer the health questionnaire at time of reservation.