



## Summer 2021

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The Division of Aquatics has worked diligently toward welcoming patrons back in the facility with modifications to prevent the spread of the COVID-19 virus. Management will continue to take guidance from local & state entities, as well as the Center for Disease Control and Prevention. As this is a fluid process, all operations and hours are subject to change.

### Amenities Currently Offered

- Drop-in recreation will continue; recreating on a reservation only basis is no longer in effect
- Locker rooms will remain open for public use, showers will continue to be available
- Fitness Decks - masks still required when using area for unvaccinated individuals
- Lap Pools - lap lane sharing continues
- Recreation Pools - spray features will continue operation at DPAC; slides will resume operation depending on staffing levels
- Saunas & hot tub will reopen once inspection and maintenance is completed
- Lobbies are open at both facilities. Masks are still required when using area for unvaccinated individuals
- Modified instructional programs recommencing

### Amenities Currently Offline

- Facility rentals

### Facility Guidelines

1. Unvaccinated employees will continue to wear face coverings while directly dealing with the public, and when 6 ft. of distance cannot be maintained among another staff member.
2. Unvaccinated members of the public are still required to wear face coverings in our common spaces (fitness deck, lobby, front desk, and locker rooms/restrooms). Face coverings will be provided.
3. The entire facility will be disinfected periodically throughout the day.
4. Social distancing of at least six feet recommended between individuals and household groups when in the common spaces, as well as the natatorium.
  - i. Plastic “sneeze guards” are installed at the front desk, and in between each lane at DPAC to allow for an extra degree of separation where distancing is not possible.
  - ii. Floor stanchions and markings are installed to direct flow of traffic when entering and exiting aquatic facilities.



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## **Frequently Asked Questions**

### *Facilities:*

**Q: Will pool space be by reservation only?**

*A: No. Reservations are no longer accepted as drop-in rec to continues.*

**Q: Do I have to share a lane with another patron when lap swimming?**

*A: Yes. Lap lanes are no longer be restricted to single occupants.*

**Q: Will I/my family be able to use locker rooms to change and shower?**

*A: Locker rooms will remain open, including showers.*

**Q: Will the sauna or hot tub be open?**

*A: The sauna & hot tub will reopen after maintenance is conducted.*

**Q: Are the spray features and slides open at this time?**

*A: The spray features are open during semi-open swims and the slides will be a part of the second installment of amenities offered, once staffing levels are sufficient.*

**Q: Are facility rentals available?**

*A: No, not at this time.*

## Programming – Certification Courses, Swim Lessons & Aquatic Programing

### **Q: Will programs like certification courses, and swim lessons be offered?**

*A: Modified instructional programs will resume early in the summer of 2021 with the safety of our staff and patronage as our top priority we will continue to reevaluate the situation as needed.*

### Safety:

#### **Q: What is Aquatics Division doing to provide a safe environment for staff and patrons?**

*A: The Division of Aquatics is adhering to recommendations from the Center for Disease Control (CDC), CBJ Municipal Assembly, and American Red Cross Training Services, and have established robust sanitation procedures. See below for examples:*

- *Employees are strongly encouraged to receive a COVID19 vaccine, but not required*
- *Unvaccinated employees will be required to take a weekly COVID19 test*
- *Splash guards are installed between each lane for lapswimming*
- *Sneeze guards are installed at check-in counter*
- *Modifying resuscitation & rescue protocols to protect staff and patrons regarding COVID-19*

#### **Q: Do I/my household have to wear a mask?**

*A: Unvaccinated individuals are still required to wear face coverings in the common spaces. Fully vaccinated patrons (two weeks from final dose) are no longer required to wear a face covering.*

### Admission:

#### **Q: Can I watch my child during their swim lesson?**

*A: Yes, guardians are permitted to watch their child during their swim lesson from the lobby, if they wish to enter the natatorium they must:*

- *Pay an entry fee*
- *Sit in the natatorium and wear a mask if not in the water.*

#### **Q: Will my information be collected for contact tracing?**

*A: Yes. Patrons will be required to sign in at the front desk. This information will be used for contact tracing only.*

All inquiries and comments should be directed to the Juneau Pools Aquatics Manager:

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