

## Leisure Centre – Re-opening

Welcome back!

The Leisure Pool will open on **Friday 14 May**, however your visit will be very different from what it used to be, given some new protocols in line with recent government guidelines and information on managing the Covid-19 virus.

The pool will only be open for public lane swimming during the following session times and must be advanced booked, we will not be accepting customers that have not booked in advance. **Please also note that the Diving & Baby Pool will be closed and are not available for use at this time.**

### Monday to Friday sessions

- Session 1 0900 – 1000
- Session 2 1030 – 1130
- Session 3 1200 – 1300
- Session 4 1330 – 1430
- Session 5 1500 – 1600
- Session 6 1630 – 1730
- Session 7 1800 – 1900
- Session 8 1930 – 2030

### Saturday & Sunday sessions

- Session 1 0900 -1000\*
- Session 2 1030 – 1130
- Session 3 1200 - 1300
- Session 4 1330 - 1430
- Session 5 1500 - 1600

*\*Leisure Pool will only open at 1030 on a Saturday morning due to staff training.*

### Access and Egress

A one-way system will be in operation - to access the Leisure facilities customers should enter via the disabled entrance which is situated around the corner from the main entrance. Exiting the facility will be via the corridor fire exit doors opposite the swimming pool changing rooms staff will be on hand to assist you should it be required. **There will be no public access to the Leisure services via the Main Entrance to the school.**

### Car Parking

All Leisure users should park in the overflow car park adjacent to the school. There is no public parking within the school grounds from 0830 – 1630 Monday to Thursday and from 0830 – 1300 on Fridays.

### Bookings / Admissions

All Leisure users must book in advance providing contact details for track & trace purposes and if required by Protect Scotland. Please telephone: 0131 621 8303 to book a session or make an enquiry.

To avoid queuing plan to arrive for your session just before the start time do not arrive too early as there is no waiting or seating available. Please note there will be no admittance 15 minutes after the session start time has commenced.

On booking you will be allocated a swim lane based on your swimming ability, please let the receptionist know your preferences when booking:

- Fast Lane – can swim one length in under 30 secs
- Medium Lane – can swim one length between 30 – 45 secs
- Slow Lane – swims one length in 45 secs or more

Maximum bather load per session 24 (6 swimmers per lane).

### Swimmer Information

- Every effort has been made to ensure your safety and comfort when visiting the centre should you require to see the full risk assessment then please contact [bookings@whec.edin.sch.uk](mailto:bookings@whec.edin.sch.uk) for a copy.
- Diving & Teaching Pool – **Closed at this time.**
- Children 12 and under must be accompanied by an adult in the water and must be able to swim lengths as only lane swimming is available.
- Where possible arrive ready for swimming with your swimwear on under your clothes.
- Hand sanitising stations are available at reception and throughout the centre.
- You will be given a key and should utilise the changing bay next to your locker, please use the same changing bay when leaving the pool and return your key to reception on the way out.
- Showers & toilet facilities are available but maybe limited due to social distancing rules and regulations. If required and to avoid overcrowding in the shower area it is advisable to allow time for this at the end of your session.
- There will be no hair-drying facilities available – *users are not permitted to bring in their own equipment.*
- Pram & buggy storage is available on request – *please note that these will not be locked away and will be stored at your own risk.*
- To ensure user numbers around reception & changing areas are kept under control swimmers should exit the building at the earliest opportunity and before the next session is due to start.
- There is no spectating available.

***Please note that the programme is subject to change as government guidelines and lockdown restrictions are eased.***

### Payment Method

- Contactless available (preferred method of payment)
- Card
- Cash

**Catering & Vending**

- Cafeteria Closed
- Vending machines will not be available at this time.

**Lost & Found Property**

- Valuables such as money, jewellery, keys will be recorded as per normal reporting and logging procedures.
- All other items such as swimwear, clothing, goggles etc. will be bagged and disposed off at the end of the day as we are not permitted to hold these onsite.