



March 16, 2020

Day Camp Notice

We have been working closely with health authorities to reduce the spread of COVID-19 and want to help in decreasing the risk of the virus being transferred through community transmission. As of today, March 16, we will immediately close all recreation facilities including most programming. These actions will hopefully help “flatten the infection curve”. However we realize that many patrons rely on the Spring Break day camps for child care, so we are attempting to keep the camps running until the end of the week (Friday March 20, 2020) while parents/guardians can make alternate arrangements. Be sure to check in with your local community centre day camp as some may need to close sooner due to staffing shortages. Community Centres will not be taking any new registrations.

Interim measures in place to promote health and safety:

- If children are sick, they should stay home
- Frequent hand washing
- Practicing social distancing, working in small groups
- Increased cleaning of high contact areas such a door handles, countertops, elevator buttons etc...
- Out-trips limited to local parks
- No public transit

Facilities will remain closed until further notice. Please be patient with us as we work with you on next steps. We thank you for your cooperation and understanding given the short notice of these changes due to the significant public health concerns.

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