



YMCA of Greater Halifax/Dartmouth Re-opening Update: June 5, 2020

Today, June 5, marks the first phase of re-opening some businesses and services in our province. We are excited to see more people out and enjoying the warmer weather, the parks and now restaurants and other favourite places that we have all missed.

On **June 15**, the YMCA Purdy's Wharf Child Care Centre will be opening its doors. Our child care staff are very excited to welcome our families back and over the next 10 days, they will be working diligently to prepare a safe, welcoming and warm environment for our little ones.

You probably are wondering about the rest of our YMCA; when are we opening and what will the "new normal" look like? We can assure you that we are hard at work planning our re-opening and we wanted to share with you our approach to this work.

Guided by our YMCA Core Values of, Caring, Respect, Honesty, Responsibility, and Inclusion, the YMCA of Greater Halifax/Dartmouth is committed to re-opening our YMCA in a thoughtful manner that ensures the safety of our members, participants and staff and the viability of our YMCA, while meeting the needs of our community.

- YMCA Warm Water Aquafit and AIM program remain closed until further notice.
- YMCA Forever Fit Program will remain closed until further notice.

Over the next two weeks, we will be releasing our re-opening plans. Please follow us on our social media channels and this website for the latest updates on YMCA programs. We thank you for your patience while we work through our planning. If you have any questions in the meantime, please contact Lorrie Turnbull, Chief Operating Officer at lorrie.turnbull@halifax.ymca.ca

Stay safe and keep smiling.

Your YMCA Team