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Limited Pool Reopening

On June 9th guidance was released to allow us to open our pools with certain limitations. The Club will open the reservation system immediately for lap swim reservations.

In accordance with the guidance from [Modified Phase 1 Miniature Golf, Putt Putt Golf, and Staffed Water Recreation Facilities \(Public and Private\)](#) and [King County's modified phase 1 of the Safe Start reopening plan](#) the Samena Club will be opening the indoor & outdoor pool for a limited number of lap swim lane reservations. Our hours will be modified during this initial phase, Monday-Friday 6:30am-6:30pm and Saturday & Sunday 9am-5pm. Samena will utilize on-line, our App and phone-in reservation systems to make class/lap lane reservations to limit in person interactions. Reservations are required. Transactions at this time will be limited to credit card only to eliminate the handling of cash. [All members will be required to sign a waiver of consent and commitment to the facility's reopening policies.](#)

Safety is our top priority as we begin our staged re-opening. To ensure the health of our members and team, we have created a new schedule with limited capacities to ensure social distancing requirements, provides time to clean and sanitize between activities/sessions. As part of the Club's ongoing safety plan, things will look a little different. All members will be asked to complete a health screening upon entering the facility, to wear a mask/face-covering while in the building, and to adhere to social distancing. In addition to our online reservation/registration process we have instituted contactless check in, enhanced cleaning procedures, and clear designations for social distancing. We are beyond excited to begin to welcome you back to the Club.

Lap Swim

1. During this 'Modified Phase 1' of the Safe Start Reopening plan, lap swim will be available in the indoor and outdoor pools by reservation only.
2. Lanes will have a maximum of 2 swimmers of the same household with the exception of our designated Household lane that will be available for 2-5 swimmers of the same household.
3. Reservations will be 45 minutes in length with 15 minutes to clean and sanitize before next reservation.
4. Outdoor pool reservations will begin at half past the hour and indoor pool reservations will begin at the top of each hour to allow staggered time between groups.
5. At the beginning of each reservation session swimmers will wait in the designated social distant waiting area until the Lifeguard delivers the safety briefing and directs them to their lane.

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6. Reservations may be made for one spot per day, up to 7 days in advance – reservations are required. [Out of a courtesy to other members we ask that you cancel as far in advance as possible to allow us to serve as many members as possible.]
7. Your 45-minute reservation can include time in the hot tub. Please note there is a limit of 3 people max for the hot tub and will be available on a first come first served basis.
8. Aquatic classes (*coming soon*) will have a maximum of 5 participants -- not including the instructor.
9. Members are required to sign a waiver of consent and commitment to the facility's reopening policies prior to their reservation.
10. Members are required to wear their swimming attire. Locker room use will be limited use for hand washing and restrooms only or avoided if possible.
11. Members are required to bring their own water bottles, towels and aquatic fitness equipment. Water bottle refilling stations will be available, but no drinking fountains, towel service or aquatic equipment such as kickboards or pull buoys will be provided.
12. Social distancing guidelines of at least six feet of separation must be maintained by every person in the Club at all times to the greatest extent possible.
13. Members are asked to leave the facility immediately after lap swim session/class to eliminate congestion/gathering.
14. **Cancellation Policy**; Lap Swim reservations must be cancelled at least 2 hours prior to the reservation start time to avoid a \$15 late-cancel/no-show fee.

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Other procedures to be aware of

1. No in-facility childcare services will be available.
2. The following areas will be closed: Showers and saunas. Locker room use will be limited use for handwashing and restrooms only or avoided if possible.
3. Masks are required inside Samena buildings.
4. Please check in at the front desk for each visit and get your capacity control bracelet. Return the bracelet to the marked bin as you exit.
5. Reservations are not allowed if a participant has been diagnosed with COVID-19 and is still within the required 14-day quarantine period, have symptoms of COVID-19, or had contact with a person that has or is suspected to have COVID-19 within the last 14 days.
6. During this phase we are only open to members there will be no guest passes sold/redeemed.