



Hello Samena Families,

COVID is rearing its head again this spring in King County. We wanted to share with you our plans if King County reverts to Phase 2 of Washington's 'Healthy-Washington' plan. If a phase roll back is announced on Monday May 3rd, Samena will likely need to be in compliance by the end of next week. Due to this tight turn around, Samena will only be accepting reservations through Friday May 7th, until the phase change is likely confirmed on May 3rd. On May 3rd, we will release the updated pool schedule with phase 2 capacities and resume reservations for up to 7 days ahead of time.

AQUATICS

The Aquatics reservation system will remain largely unchanged between now and June 20th when we transition to our summer schedule. What will change in a possible phase 2, is our capacities and scheduled time blocks. Phase 2 only allows for two swimmers per lap lane and about half the capacity for open swim. Members will still need to read the pool schedule to see what is available during the 'mixed use' time frames. We will be changing our schedule to 60-minute time blocks in order to continue to safely serve as many members as possible.

Regardless of a phase change, we will be updating our immunocompromised lanes to be only 1-hour reservations rather than 1- or 2-hour reservations. This will allow us to serve more of our high-risk members and give them an option to safely recreate.

FITNESS

The Samena Fitness schedule and reservation system will also remain largely unchanged should King County move back to Phase 2. Class sizes, however, will drop by half to 25% of indicated capacity. Please see individual fitness classes for specific class sizes.

To ensure the health of our members and team, and in accordance with Phase 2 guidelines, we require face masks/face-covering and social distancing at all times, including during strenuous exercise, indoors and outdoors, *regardless of vaccination status*.

Thank you,

Samena Staff