



2020 Ptarmigan Country Club Swimming Pool Information

POOL UPDATE (5/28/2020):

We hope that this email finds you and your family well. We are not open yet, but when we do, things may look different than in the past.

We have received word from the county that we are able to start running small group lessons. We are still working on all of the details of how entering and being on the pool grounds along with exiting the pool facility will work, but wanted to get the new swim lesson schedule to you. AS of now we will have in person signup at the pool starting June 2 from 10-12 each day. We are working on getting a reservation app for members to get signed up. Also, we will have a sign up table for lessons at the Jr. Golf Camp on June 2-4.

2020 Swim Lesson Schedule

- Group lessons will be two weeks long running Monday-Thursday for 30 minute classes.
- Group sizes will be no more than 4 students in a class at a time.
- To help with social distancing requirements, please limit one parent or guardian per student.
- Each student's family will have to pick an assigned area during their lesson time.
- All students and persons entering the facility will need to sign a liability waiver and symptom check form.
- If you or the student are not feeling well please do not come to the facility.
- Schedule is subject to change if the pool is able to open for free swim.
- Cost for lessons \$40 per lesson

Meeting Time	Session A (June 8 – June 27)	Seesion B: TBA	Seesion C: TBA
9:15-9:45 a.m.	Youth Yellow Stroke School		
10:00 – 10:30 a.m.	Tiny Tot Red Youth Blue		
10:45 – 11:15 a.m.	Youth Yellow Stroke School		
11:30-12:00pm	Tiny Tot Red Youth Blue		

Description of Classes

Tiny Tots: (Ages 3 – 5) Designed to meet the needs of preschoolers, this course will develop a high comfort level in the water, a readiness to swim, and for those children who are developmentally ready, teach beginning swim skills. This class approaches teaching swimming through creative, fun activities in

the water. Students work toward development of the five core swimming competencies. Children progress at their own pace in a small group setting.

Youth: (Ages 6 +) Students work toward development of the five core swimming competencies. The color levels are used to divide students into broad ability groups. Children progress at individual rates with the opportunity to learn the core swimming skills and progress to advanced strokes. Learning is self-paced but challenging. 5 year olds at Level Red or above may enroll.

Core Skills Achievement Levels

Red (Ages 3-5)	Yellow (Ages 6+)	Blue (Ages 6+)	Stroke School (Ages 6+)
<p><i>If the student...</i></p> <p>Can't swim without support but loves the water...</p> <p>Will get face wet...</p> <p>Will jump in...</p> <p>SIGN UP FOR RED GROUP</p>	<p><i>If the student...</i></p> <p>Is not afraid...</p> <p>Can float on front and back...</p> <p>Can jump in and return to the surface...</p> <p>SIGN UP FOR YELLOW GROUP</p>	<p><i>If the student...</i></p> <p>Can swim underwater or on the surface, and can get an occasional breath...</p> <p>SIGN UP FOR BLUE GROUP</p>	<p><i>If the student...</i></p> <p>Can tread water for at least 15 seconds...</p> <p>Can swim freestyle with rotary (side) breathing...</p> <p>SIGN UP FOR GREEN GROUP</p>

****Private lessons will be offered from 1pm-4pm with swim instructors. These will be 30 min sessions per child. No semi-private lessons unless they are in the same household.**

Morning Lap Swim:

Morning lap swim will begin June 8th - Hours: 5am-9am

- You need to be 18 or older
- You will need to have a signed waiver for both lap swimming and COVID-19 Waiver to have access to the pool at this time.
- We ask that the showers are not used at this time. You will need shower at home.
- Please practice social distancing during your time at the pool facility.
- At this time we are requesting no guests, only members are allowed to lap swim.
- These terms are subject to change based on State and County regulations, if any changes do occur, they will be communicated to our members.

In the last week, there has been some conversation with Governor Polis and the Larimer County health department about swimming pools. We wanted to give you an update on the information that we have been receiving from the Larimer County Health department and the City of Fort Collins . The Larimer County Health Department has shared that it is possible that we could open mid-June, but more direction will be needed from the Governor's Office. They will be looking more into this June 1st, according to the last news update and direct text from the health department

- Early information indicates that we will need to implement social distancing measures such as the layout and spacing of furniture, safe spacing for checking in and concessions.

- There is a possibility that we will have to, in the beginning, sign up for pool use. This will be based on how many people are able to be in the facility at one time. In the latest news that came out yesterday they are looking to move it up to 50 people in groups. It has not been confirmed if this is 50 in the pool or 50 total on the ground/pool.

*If we are able to open at a limited capacity we will not be allowing guests only members will be allowed in the pool facility. This is subject to change as we hear and adjust to any new guidelines.

- Proper pool operation and chemical use we follow should inactivate the virus in the water, per the CDC website

Below are the new measures that we plan on taking as a staff. But, keep in mind, this is just a start and we will be fine-tuning as we learn more.

- Guards have been hired and are meeting regularly for training and updates. You may see them on-site as they begin preparations.

- Posters and signs will be posted throughout the facility about COVID-19 and prevention measures that we are taking.

- Guards will come in and have routine questions asked and temperatures taken before and after shifts. Any staff showing symptoms will be sent home. (we will be tracking this information)

- We may have members sign an additional waiver for the season
- Social distancing will most likely be required. We are still working on how this will look. We do expect that we will be rearranging things on the pool deck. Anyone not acting with social responsibility may be asked to leave the grounds.
- We will RED and GREEN Signs at the tables and lounge chairs to signal when they have been disinfected or need to be disinfected. A green sign, which will signal that the table has been disinfected, or a red sign meaning it still needs to be disinfected. There will be spray bottles to use if a member wants to clean a chair. If you would like to bring your own lawn chair please feel free.
- There will be squares around the guard chairs for social distancing. When the guards are off the lifeguard stand they will be wearing masks.
- We will be sanitizing the bathrooms every 30 mins during the day and a deep clean at the end of the night. And we will add more sanitizer throughout the grounds.
- Check in will be no contact, pens will be cleaned after each use for guest check in

We hope this gives you a little more information on some of the guidelines we have been preparing in this uncertain time. We do understand that we do not have all of the answers for what the pool season will look like yet, but we are doing our best to be prepared and ready to open when they give us the green light.

Please do not hesitate to email us with questions. We will try our best to answer them, but please remember that we might not have some of them right now. We are working hard to get the pool to open as soon as possible for our amazing members.

Health and Happiness,