

Public Notice: While the City of Miramichi begins to release information on the plans for the reopening of recreational facilities, the following general guidelines will be included in all City of Miramichi Recreation Facility Operational plans. These guidelines are in place in order to meet the guidelines as set out by the Province of New Brunswick and Public health for the safe reopening of our facilities.

General Guidelines

1. All patrons will be screened upon entry, and contact information collected for contact tracing purposes.
2. All users will be required to sanitize their hands upon entry to facilities.
3. While on premises of recreation facilities physical distancing of a minimum of **6 feet / 2 metre** separation will be maintained in common areas.
4. Spectator seating will be based on 3 feet/1M physical distancing with continuous use of mask.
5. No food and or drink will be permitted to be brought into facilities, with the exception of participant water bottles.
6. Non-Medical Face masks are required for entry into the facility and must always be worn while inside the facility with the exception of participant activity area.
7. Admittance to facilities will be limited to 15 minutes before and after the designated activity times.
8. Participants are asked to arrive as close to “ready for activity” as possible. There will be no early admittance to the facility.
9. No re-entry into the facility will be permitted during scheduled activities.
10. There will be enhanced cleaning and disinfecting protocols in place.
11. Signage will direct participants and patrons to and from their designated areas to control the flow of patrons.
12. There will be limited access to dressing rooms and changerooms.
13. Activities must be designed to minimize the amount of contact during an activity.
14. All user groups must present a COVID -19 Operational plan. All plans will be reviewed by the City of Miramichi and must meet the guidelines set out by governing bodies, and public health guidelines before activity will be authorized.

Our community recreation facilities play a vital role in the health and wellness of our community during these difficult times. We would like to take this opportunity to welcome the community back into our facilities, and thank the public for their patience.