



August 19, 2020

Dear CORE Members,

We would like to THANK YOU for all your support, dedication and understanding as we continue to navigate these uncertain times. As always, the Lemont Park District is continuously monitoring the COVID-19 pandemic as well as following all state and federal safety guidelines. The Lemont Park District will always put safety first. This is doubly true when it comes to our operations during these unprecedented times. Here are some updates regarding safety and CORE operations:

- **Never miss an update! Text COREFIT to 36000** – To get all the latest CORE updates, including closures and cancellations, join our text program. All you have to do is open a new text message, enter the phone number 36000, type the message COREFIT and press send!
- **Possible CORE Closures** – Based on the recommendations from the Cook County Department of Public Health and the Park District Risk Management Association (PDRMA), an area of any facility should be closed for a 24-hour period to undergo deep cleaning procedures due to verified COVID-19 cases reported. As a precautionary measure, the District will continue to follow this protocol and the facility will be further sanitized with our electrostatic machine when this situation is to arise. **Please note – refunds will not be processed for minimal closures in adherence to safety guidelines.** Closing information will be sent out via email and our text messaging system.
- **Be the Sunshine Behind the Mask!** – Please remember, **FACE COVERINGS ARE REQUIRED** to enter the facility, in restrooms, and in all common areas of the facility including the 3-court gymnasium unless you are actively participating in a program. Face coverings are also required in the locker rooms and pool area bleachers. It is also strongly recommended and encouraged that visitors wear masks in the fitness center when walking from one machine to another and when not using cardio equipment. By entering the facility and/or participating in programs, participants are agreeing that they are free of COVID-19 symptoms. Thank you for continuing to help us “Be Safe Together!”
- **Group X Class Update** – Classes continue to be held indoors with a 10-participant limit per class and outdoors as well. *For Schedule and Registration Information, please Click Here.* Registration opens the Sunday before each week’s class. Please note, classes with low enrollment (3 or less), will be cancelled. This information will be communicated via the District’s text messaging system. If classes need to be cancelled, evening classes will be cancelled in the early afternoon on the same day and morning classes will be cancelled the evening prior before The CORE closes.



Currently the state is in Phase 4 – Revitalization – of the Restore Illinois Plan which allows Fitness Centers to be open. Details of this plan can be found on the Illinois Department of Public Health (IDPH) website at www.dph.illinois.gov. Please contact us at 630-257-6787 during CORE Hours of Operation or by email at information@lemontparks.org if you have any questions or concerns.

Sincerely,

The Lemont Park District Staff