

### OUR PLAN FOR REOPENING THE WITHERELL RECREATION CENTER

Greetings! Happy Memorial Day Weekend!

Although our doors are currently closed, we are busier than ever planning and preparing to welcome you back! We have a 4-Phase plan and at its heart is our CCBA Member Protection Plan. Everything we are working on revolves around keeping you - and our staff - safe. In terms of timing, we are awaiting Governor Sununu's approval for fitness facilities to reopen. We are hopeful that comes soon. Here is the broad overview of our plan; as we get closer to each new phase, more details will unfold.

## PHASE 1:

#### Virtual Classes

We quickly pivoted our delivery model to offer virtual classes for free to anyone in the community for 8 weeks. We even had a participant join us from Ireland! We've had such positive feedback from our virtual class participants and we've heard your request for these classes to continue! In order to keep them going, beginning Monday, May 25th, all virtual classes will require an active CCBA membership or an "All Virtual Class" membership. We've

# PHASE 2: Virtual Classes + In-person Classes Outside

On the rollercoaster that is an Upper Valley spring, it finally stopped snowing a few weeks ago and today it is 80 degrees! We all want to get outside and soak up summer! When we get the green light from the governor, we will be offering classes outside. We have a team of instructors ready to go and we will be strictly following all health and safety protocols. We will also continue our virtual classes. An active CCBA Membership will be required to had well over 500 people sign up to stay in shape with us while in their living rooms. Bravo to you!

> Purchase an All Virtual Class Membership!

#### **PHASE 3:**

Soft Reopening of WRC

We know many of you will be excited for this phase! When the state allows us to reopen the Witherell Recreation Center we will be ready! To maintain social distancing and to allow for our staff to sanitize spaces properly between guests, our plan is to have a reservation-based system for using the facility. All cardio equipment, the circuit room, the free weight room, and group fitness classes will need to be reserved online ahead of arrival. We will be moving equipment around our space to maximize safety and opportunities for use. Our hope is to open the Dwinell Pool a few weeks after we open the WRC. Hours at the facility will be reduced when we first reopen. Some of the new protocols will include:

- Temperature checks and a health questionnaire will be given to members and staff upon their arrival.
- Staff and members will be required to a wear face mask at all times, unless a member is involved in vigorous exercise in a designated space.
- Sanitation stations will be set up throughout the building for staff and member access.

A more detailed plan for this phase will be shared when we receive the final set of guidelines from state officials. An active membership will be required; unfortunately, no walkparticipate in outdoor classes.

Click Here to Renew Your Membership!

**PHASE 4:** 

WRC Open as Usual ("New Normal")

This probably doesn't need too much explanation! We are all EAGER to experience community life again without the worry of COVID-19. The timing for this phase is truly unknown, but we will get there. And when we do, we will celebrate!



Some members have asked when our tennis courts will be available. We do not have permission from the state or the city to open them at this time. We will keep you posted when we know more! ins will be allowed.

