



# PADUCAH PARKS & RECREATION

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Hello,

On behalf of Paducah Parks and Recreation, I would like to make you aware of our reopening plans for the Paducah Recreation Center. Beginning Tuesday, September 8, we will once again be able to provide our members with exercise and fitness opportunities. Things will look different as we've taken every effort to make fitness opportunities in our facility as safe as possible. Please see a few of the changes you can expect to see upon your return:

- 1) Paducah Recreation Center will be opening September 8, 2020 for fitness classes only.
- 2) Classes will be limited to 9 participants and will require a reservation for each class by calling Parks and Recreation at 270-444-8508.
- 3) When a class reaches maximum capacity of 9 participants, no more reservations will be available for that class.
- 4) Reservations for each class can be made up to 24 hours in advance.
- 5) Due to limited facility capacity, spectators will not be permitted to enter. Childcare will not be provided.
- 6) Only one person at a time will be allowed through the front doors.
- 7) Anyone who wishes to enter the facility must have their temperature checked by a Paducah Recreation Center staff member before entering. Any person(s) who records a temperature of over 100.4 will not be permitted to enter the facility.
- 8) The temperature check will be followed up by a short verbal survey regarding exposure to COVID-19.
- 9) Masks are required at all times except when participating in a class.
- 10) Upon entry, a "Sanitization Station" with masks, sanitizer, wipes, paper towels, disinfectant, etc. will be available.
- 11) Entry to the facility will only be permitted through the main doors.
- 12) When exiting the facility, the side door in the hallway between the kitchen and the water fountain must be used. If special accommodations are needed to enter and/or exit through the main doors, please notify a Paducah Recreation Center staff member upon arrival.

- 13) Individual spots are set-up on the gym floor to allow for social distancing. After entry in to the facility, choose a workout spot immediately. After a spot is selected, stay in that location until the class has concluded.
- 14) Once the class has ended, please leave the facility immediately unless waiting for the next scheduled class. If you are staying for the next scheduled class, please stay in your current selected spot.
- 15) Mingling and socializing before or after class is not encouraged. Please maintain social distancing of at least 6 feet at all times.
- 16) Participants must bring their own equipment for each class, including bands, yoga mats, water bottles, etc.
- 17) Cleaning of the facility will be a priority. There will be approximately 15-30 minutes allotted between each class, dedicated to allowing staff time for cleaning of the facility, including restrooms, the gym floor, chairs (when utilized), door handles, light switches, etc.

Some instructors have altered their class schedules to accommodate these new procedures. For the most current schedule of classes please visit the Parks and Recreation website at [www.paducahky.gov/parks-recreation-department](http://www.paducahky.gov/parks-recreation-department).

Because the facility has been closed to the public, we've extended memberships for an additional six months! Please note, this only applies to those whose memberships were still active on the last day the facility was opened before closing for COVID-19 (Friday, March 13, 2020). Due to guidelines for groups and gatherings, we are unable to reopen for Open Gym's at this time. If you only partake in Open Gym's (I.E. Basketball Open Gym, Volleyball Open Gym, etc.), your membership will be extended with the appropriate amount of time once Open Gym times return.

Thank you for your patience with us. We look forward to your return to the Paducah Recreation Center. If you have any questions or concerns regarding the Paducah Recreation Center or reopening policies and procedures, please contact us at 270-444-8508 or e-mail [parkinfo@paducahky.gov](mailto:parkinfo@paducahky.gov).

Thank you,

Paducah Parks & Recreation