

The pool will open June 6-7 from 12:30-6:30, close June 8-9 for new staff training, and then reopen June 10 for the summer (hours will be posted at www.ranchosantateresa.org). Please read and understand the new COVID-19 operating rules below.

The latest Santa Clara County SIP Order update allows outdoor pools to open. The required paperwork is filed and we have our COVID-19 prepared checkmark. The Board has worked hard trying to understand and create a policy that best represents the desires of our members while operating within the guidance provided by local, state and federal agencies and examples from other private local pools and recreational facilities. While the Centers for Disease Control reports that there is no evidence that COVID-19 can spread to people through the water used in swimming pools, participation is at your own risk and maintaining social distancing is a personal responsibility.

We ask that everyone be patient with the staff and each other and to please adhere to the guidelines below. We will continue to adapt and adjust as we work to ensure the safety of our members.

New COVID-19 Operating Rules:

- Do not come to the pool if you have a temperature of 100+ or if you have been sick within the last 72 hours. Employees must have their temperature checked at arrival.
- All members must check-in at the window and be verified.
 - If you do not have a current photo in the system, bring your id.
 - You will also need to initial that you acknowledge and accept the potential risk of COVID-19 infection for you and your family and that you will follow the guidelines.
 - Pool usage is limited to no more than 25% of capacity. Total facility capacity limited to no more than 90 people.
 - No guests or pool parties are allowed.
 - Members receive a colored wrist band at check-in. If we reach capacity, members who have been at the pool the longest, based on the bands, will be asked to leave the pool so others can have their turn. Each band color will cover a set 2-hour window.
 - Members are responsible for social distancing with people not in your household.
- Masks are required at check-in and are recommended when not in the pool or when interacting with anyone outside of your household. Masks cannot be worn in the pool.
- Tables will be set apart to encourage proper social distancing and can only be shared within the same household. Please do not move the tables. Chairs must be at least 6 feet apart for anyone not in the same household. Self-service disinfecting stations are available for members to re-clean tables and chairs before use. You may also bring your own chairs.
- Showers and Game Room are closed; No check-out of shared equipment.
- The drive-thru parking lot will not be open, please use the back-parking lot or walk.

- No club sponsored activities are scheduled (e.g., 4th of July, movie nights, swim lessons).
- Morning lap swim is available (M,W,F , 5-7 am). No lifeguards are on duty. Members are responsible for following proper social distancing guidelines.
- Hall rentals are not available. Lounge rentals are available for 12 people or less.

Staff will be cleaning and disinfecting common areas regularly throughout the day. Self-service disinfecting stations will be available for members to re-clean tables and chairs before using. We are counting on you to respect your neighbors and follow social distancing guidelines while at the facility. The primary role of the staff will be lifeguarding and cleaning, not social distancing enforcement.

Our official Social Distancing Protocol is available at the club office for review upon request and will be update frequently as required. If you have questions or concerns, please contact the Board directly.