



# Worthington Community Center

## *Re-Opening Phase One*

### Hours

The Community Center will be open as follows:

Monday – Friday, 6:00 AM – 11:45 AM (75-minute time slots)

Monday – Thursday, 2:15 PM-8:00 PM (75-minute time slots)

Saturday, 8:00 AM – 1:45 PM (75-minute time slots)

\*2:15-3:30 time slot for High Risk Users

\*The City of Worthington reserves the right to further modify hours as necessary.

### Members/Worthington Residents Only

Only members (including SilverSneakers members) and Worthington residents will be permitted to utilize the facility at the present time. Persons must be at least 12 years of age (those age 12-15 will need to already have a Junior Fitness card, we will not be able to issue new cards at this time). Persons interested in renewing or purchasing a new membership may email Customer Service Coordinator, Jennifer Button, at [jennifer.button@worthington.org](mailto:jennifer.button@worthington.org).

### Membership Suspension/Extension

All Community Center memberships were suspended due to our closure starting on March 16. They will be adjusted for the number of days the facility was closed and will be reinstated on June 1. **If you would prefer to keep your membership on hold, you will need to email your request to [memberrequests@worthington.org](mailto:memberrequests@worthington.org).**

### Using the Facility

Members and Worthington Residents will be able to start signing up for time slots at 8:00 AM on June 1. **Go to [Worthington.org/communitycenter](http://Worthington.org/communitycenter) to reserve your time.** Residents who are not members can reserve a time slot for \$8 or \$6 for Seniors.

### Wearing of Masks

The City of Worthington recommends that all facility users wear a mask. City staff are required to wear a mask, will have their temperature taken and will verify that they are symptom free prior to each shift.

### Arrival

When you show up for your time slot, please stay in your car until your reserved start time as the doors will be locked during the clearing and cleaning of the building.

When you arrive at the facility, please conduct a self-assessment prior to entry. A Symptom Check flyer will be posted outside of the facility for you to reference. If you are experiencing symptoms or have been exposed to COVID-19, **DO NOT ENTER.**

Please enter the facility only through the doors marked “Entrance” and exit only through the doors marked “exit”. The automatic door opener will remain accessible to those who require it.

Please make use of the hand sanitizing station when entering and exiting the building. There are also a number of sanitizing stations throughout the building.

Please wait your turn in line, while maintaining 6-feet of distance throughout the check-in process. You will be greeted by staff who will confirm your reservation, check you in, make sure you are symptom free and send you on your way to work out in one of the 2 fitness areas.

The customer service desk will not be open so we will not be able to accept walk-ins. If you have any questions or concerns please call 614-436-2743, email [wprd@worthington.org](mailto:wprd@worthington.org) for general questions or [memberrequests@worthington.org](mailto:memberrequests@worthington.org) if it is regarding membership.

### **Social Distancing**

Members are requested to social distance in our facility. Members should maintain a six feet buffer zone between themselves and others, unless from the same household. Fitness equipment has been spaced to provide at least a 6 foot radius. Measurements are taken from the center of the equipment’s main operation.

Tables and chairs in the lobby area have been removed to discourage congregation, directional signage has been added as well as doors marked as “entrance only” or “exit only” to help keep the flow of traffic in the building.

### **Locker Rooms**

Locker Rooms and Family Changing Rooms will remain closed during Phase 1 of reopening. Please come dressed to exercise. We ask that any items you bring in remain on your person.

### **Restrooms**

The Lobby Restrooms and Fitness Floor Restrooms will remain open and cleaned every 2 hours.

### **Storage Cubbies and Lockers on the Fitness Floor**

There will be no cubbies or lockers available on the fitness floor. Bags and other bulky items will not be allowed to be placed on the floor however you may keep a backpack or other wearable storage on your person.

### **Lost & Found**

Per Ohio Dept. of Health’s order, we will no longer have a Lost & Found. However, understand that if we find IDs, wallets, purses, cell phones or jewelry we will secure those items for temporary safe keeping.

## **Fans**

Per ODH orders, we have removed all floor fans and removed all fans from the treadmills.

## **Fitness Areas**

Our staff has moved many pieces of equipment to comply with the new social distancing protocols. Only a few pieces of equipment have been closed. Some pieces of equipment have been relocated to our North Gym.

Members are REQUIRED to disinfect equipment PRIOR TO and AFTER use. All areas “touched” must be cleaned. Please do not forget to clean:

- pins in the weight stacks
- any free weight touched, including dumbbell handles & plates
- free weight bars
- other fitness accessories

There will be no reservations for cardio equipment. We still ask that you keep your time on the cardio equipment to 30 minutes or less when there are others waiting. With no reservation boards, the equipment will be first-come, first-served.

Partners exercising together and sharing equipment MUST maintain group segmentation from others exercising.

Staff will not be available for “spotting” and we strongly discourage “spotting” unless among members of the same household.

Personal exercise folders and logs have been relocated. If you would like your folder, please request staff to get it for you. You will be asked to take the folder with you.

## **Gymnasiums**

North Gym will be used for fitness only. There is no open gym during this phase 1 of reopening.

## **Track**

The indoor track will be partially open (middle lane will be closed). Side-by-side walking is NOT PERMITTED. Please occupy only the inner most lane and use the outside lane for passing only. The middle lane should not be occupied at any time. There will be no sitting on the benches around the track.

## **Elevator**

If you need to use the elevator, please only ride individually, unless you are with another person in your household.

## **Indoor Pool**

The Worthington Community Center indoor pool will remain closed during Phase 1 of reopening.

### **Childcare**

The Childcare Room will NOT be open during Phase 1 of reopening.

### **Drinking Fountains and Vending Machines**

Drinking fountains and vending machines will NOT be available however the water bottle filler will be on. Please bring your own beverage and snack to the facility for consumption.

### **Televisions**

Televisions on the Fitness Floor will be on. However, the remote control will not be available to patrons. If you would like the station changed on a television please see a staff member.

### **Magazines**

Magazines have been removed from the facility.

### **Birthday Party Packages/Rentals**

The Recreation Department is currently NOT offering Birthday Party Packages or room rentals at this time.

### **Fitness Classes**

Fitness Classes will NOT be open at this time. It is our intent to offer classes in the future once we are sure that we can handle occupancy limit restrictions and social distancing requirements.

### **Swim Lessons**

Group, Semi-Private & Private Swim Lessons are NOT available at this time.

### **Ball Diamonds**

At the present time, Worthington Parks and Recreation is planning to reopen ball diamonds only on June 15 for current local organizations (Worthington Youth Boosters, Adult/Senior Softball Leagues). Multi-purpose fields are not open at this time.

### **Griswold Center**

The Griswold Center will remain closed at this time, per State of Ohio order.

### **Parks**

All City parks are currently open. However, playground equipment and outdoor basketball courts remain closed.