



Parks, Arts & Recreation

COVID-19 RESPONSE DETAILS

Olympia Parks, Arts and Recreation is committed to following up to date guidelines to help our community and our staff stay healthy and well. The health and wellness of program participants, park visitors and staff will be in the front of our minds as we continue to adapt our programs and services.

Following is a list of modifications either required or planned. This document will continue to be updated as new guidance is shared from Washington State and Thurston County Health.

Current Services

The Olympia Center is closed to the public until further notice.

- Customer Service can be reached by phone: 360.753.8380 or email: olympiaparks@ci.olympia.wa.us, Monday-Friday, 8:00 AM-5:00 PM.
- Online recreation registration can be accessed 24/7 at olympiawa.gov/experienceitonline.
- You may make an [online service request](#) for non-emergency issues at one of our parks or facilities. Service requests submitted outside of business hours will be reviewed the next business day.

Recreation Programming

We are currently offering a limited amount of [in-person recreation programming](#), where guidance and restrictions can be met. Our Virtual Programming continues to be a popular option with both [free](#) and [fee-based options](#).

School Day Childcare

Details on our school day childcare program can be found [here](#). Scholarships are available, contact 360.753.8380 for more information.

Facility Reservations

Facility reservations for [Park Shelters at Priest Point Park](#), [The Olympia Center](#) and [Harbor House](#) are available on a limited basis based on facility maximums and current state and county guidelines. For all facility rentals, the permit holder is responsible for implementing and enforcing mask and physical distancing measures as required by the State of Washington. The [COVID-19 Reopening Guidance for Businesses and Workers](#) web page is a good place to stay updated on current restrictions and guidance. To check on availability of facility and shelter reservations, facility maximums and hours of availability, please contact our customer service staff, Monday-Friday, 8:00 AM-5:00 PM at 360.753.8380 or olympiaparks@ci.olympia.wa.us.

Percival Landing Boat Moorage

Moorage at Percival Landing is currently open. Phone payment can be made Monday-Friday, 8:00 AM-5:00 PM at 360.753.8380. Payment may also be made at the drop box at the "Welcome Boaters" sign between the north and south gangways on "E" Dock.

Outdoor Youth and Adult Team Sports

As approved through the State's [Outdoor Youth Team Sports and Outdoor Adult Recreation Team Sports Guidance](#).

General Park Visit Guidance

Parks are open during operating hours, access to some facilities may be limited. Please observe the following guidelines, along with state and county guidance on outdoor gatherings, to ensure we can safely provide this access to the community:

- *Masks Are Required:* Unless you are recreating alone, masks are required for everyone ages 6 and up, and strongly recommended for children ages 3-5.
- *Practice Physical Distancing:* Stay 6 feet apart from other park-goers. If there's a crowd, come back another time.
- *Stay Home:* If you're not feeling well, please stay home.

Cleaning and Disinfecting Procedures

High touch surfaces will be sanitized regularly throughout the day by staff. At a minimum, sanitization will happen following daily check-in, after trips to the restrooms, before and after lunch, and whenever shared equipment is used. Cleaning products will meet the standards established by the CDC.

All areas used by program participants will be provided with a deep cleaning following the conclusion of each day. Cleaning products will meet the standards established by the CDC.

For broader Citywide response measures, visit the [Coronavirus/COVID-19 Response page](#).

Updated: 1/14/2021