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Hello Mayor and Council,

Later today, Park Board will issue a news release confirming plans to restart additional services that were closed in mid-March in response to the pandemic. Specifically, in partnership with local community centre associations, Park Board will begin by reopening 12 [fitness centres](#) in mid-September, with the remaining 12 locations reopening in a phased approach later this fall.

Kerrisdale, Sunset, and Trout Lake [arenas](#) are also scheduled to reopen September 21, with the remaining arenas aiming to reopen the following month. Initially, arenas will only be available for organized play by permit holders, but plans to expand access to the general public are underway, and will be offered once the required health and safety precautions are put in place.

With respect to indoor pools, the Park Board has developed a phased safe-return plan in anticipation of federal and provincial funding support and is aiming to provide a timeline in the coming weeks.

Best,
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