

# New Castle County Parks and Recreation Reopening Strategy





# Phase 1

June 1, 2020

## Tennis & Pickleball Courts (Outdoor Courts Only):

- Reopen for recreational play on a first come first serve basis
- Court reservations/permits will resume on June 15<sup>th</sup> and will require a safety and social distancing plan
- Indoor facilities remain closed.

## Dog Parks:

- All dog parks will reopen. Masks will be required in fenced in area

## Skate Park:

- Will reopen

## Playgrounds:

- All park playgrounds will remain closed at this phase.

## Basketball Courts

- Remain closed at this phase.

## Permits:

- Permits office will re-open to take reservations/permit applications. Park areas will not be permitted for use prior to June 15<sup>th</sup>. All permit requests will require a safety and social distancing precautions.



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## Farmers Markets:

- Will be drive thru markets until Governor's recommendations change
- Carousel Park- opening May 22
- Glasgow Park and Bellevue opening June 5

## Carousel Park:

- Cross County and Dressage Course will reopen

## Rockwood Museum:

- Guided garden tours with limited participation only at this Phase.

## Movies/Concerts:

- Coordinating with the Grand for drive in events.
- Target start date, June 20<sup>th</sup>.

## Surratte Pool:

- Pools permitted to open May 25<sup>th</sup> at 20% capacity
- Will follow Governor's safety guidelines
- Surratte pool opening TBD based on construction, lifeguards, staffing



# Tentative Phase 2

## Playgrounds:

- Reopen Neighborhood and District Park playgrounds.  
*Will provide signage as NCC is not able to regularly sanitize equipment*

## Basketball Courts:

- Reopened for public use.

## Sports Fields- Soccer, Football, Baseball/Softball:

- Open for recreational play only (no tournaments/competition).

## Porta Pots:

- Phased reinstallation of port a pots.

## Permits:

- Pavilion rentals resume at half capacity. All permit requests will require a safety and social distancing precautions.
- Special events (under 250 attendees) require safety and social distancing plan to be submitted with permit request.

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# Tentative Phase 2

## Rockwood Museum:

- Reopen museum following Governor's recommendations.
- Ghost Tours will be last to resume .

## Carousel Park:

- Riding lessons resume with limited participation.

## Glasgow Park:

- Frazer House to resume limited programming.

## Youth Sports:

- Half day clinics will resume.

## Art Studio:

- Open for programs with limited participation (less than 10 people) and increased cleaning/safety protocols. Indoor participants will be required to wear facial coverings.

## Rec Centers:

- Reopen under strict safety guidelines.
- Limit to 30% capacity.
- No Senior Programming.

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# Final Phase

## Pavilions:

- Pavilion rentals increase capacity.

## Pickleball

- Indoor pickleball courts reopen.

## Playgrounds

- All playgrounds are reopened.

## Special Events:

- Special events resume.
- Special Event permit will require safety and social distancing plan.

## Tournaments:

- Modified Tournaments will require safety and social distancing plan.

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## Carousel Park:

- Pony rides and parties resume.
- Schooling and horse shows resume.

## Rockwood Museum:

- Open and following Governor's safety recommendations.
- Ghost Tours will resume.

## Route 9 Reader's Café County Service:

- Will follow food establishment procedures outlined by DPH.
- Will NOT open until library opens.

## Summer Camps:

- Summer camps resume following ACA guidelines.

## Sports Leagues:

- Resume with modified play to reduce personal contact.

## NCC Sponsored Events and Gatherings:

- Resume with social distancing practices.

## Senior Programs:

- All senior programming resumes (leagues, Senior Center, Rec Center Programming)

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