

# Staff Round-up

9/18/20



## COMMUNITY SUPPORT

The GVR staff received an avalanche of support in response to last week's eBlast telling members that abuse and disrespect will no longer be tolerated. It really is a small percentage of the community that is in the habit of bullying others. Please continue to offer a clear but kind reminder of the expectation when you encounter a hot-headed person, and then step back and call a COA if the interaction continues to feel inappropriate, aggressive, insulting, etc. We can all relay our message in a calm manner, not raising our voices and remaining kind!

## MASK RULE RESTATED

**In a pool:** If the exercise the member is doing would naturally result in a wet mask, they do not have to wear one. If the exercise the member is doing would not naturally result in a wet mask, they will have to wear one unless they are claiming an exemption. For some pool users, this might mean bringing a mask to wear while water walking, then removing it to swim or use a kick board. Masks do not eliminate the social distancing requirement. Both are expected.

**Indoors:** Masks are required at all times. Masks do not eliminate the social distancing requirement. Both are expected.

## LC FITNESS ROOM OPENING

Las Campanas fitness opens Wednesday, September 23. Reservations are required and can be made one day in advance of a visit. Members can go to our homepage to make a reservation and learn more. We don't yet know when the next fitness center will open or which one it will be.

## FITNESS RESERVATION TOOL

IT was able to add an option to the GVR app so members and staff can quickly access the Fitness Reservation Sign-up tool. **Fitness Reservations** appears sixth in the list.

## FREE FITNESS CLASSES

Outdoor fitness and sports classes will remain free through the end of 2020. The Fall Catalog will be available on the [gvrec.org](http://gvrec.org) homepage starting Monday, September 21. Beginning October 1, registration will be required. Please visit the home page for details on how to register.

## PROPERLY WORN MASKS

Properly-worn masks are required at all times indoors at GVR. Members who cannot wear masks cannot enter GVR buildings at this time. Reminder: staff (aside from landscaping staff) must wear masks whenever they are in view of members or in the presence of another person. Masks must snugly fit over the nose and mouth, face shields are not permitted.

## FACILITY UPDATES

Here are some upcoming closures or reopenings. You can view all of the outstanding projects completed by Facilities, Maintenance, Custodial, and Landscaping here:

<https://www.gvrec.org/about/information/construction-updates/>

**Abrego North pool and spa** will be closed from Monday, September 21 thru Thursday, September 24. The caulk line above the water line will be replaced on both pool and spa during this closure.

**Canoa Ranch**—New LED bollard lights will be installed west of the entrance in the coming weeks. These lights will illuminate the pathway the leads from the southwest parking spaces to the building

## MESSAGE TO MEMBERS

As the COVID infection rate in southern Arizona continues to decline, and GVR members become more accustomed to the new habits of mask-wearing and social distancing, GVR's confidence in reopening increases. Barring a significant change in those trends, GVR intends to reopen as fully as social distancing rules allow, by January 1, 2021. That means we expect to resume classes, concerts, club activities, and other indoor recreational options where social distancing can be readily maintained. Keep wearing your masks and avoiding gatherings! It is working!

Stay well!