



Whitpain Township Parks & Recreation Department

Reopening Plan and Guidelines



Whitpain Township Parks and Recreation has developed this reopening plan for our parks, amenities, facilities, programs and events we manage. The goal of this plan is to ensure the health and safety of all our park visitors and program participants. We have strived to create a plan of opening that is as consistent as possible with our neighboring municipalities, sharing plans and using the same guidelines. Each 'Phase' refers to the phase that the PA Governor's Office has classified Montgomery County as being in related to the COVID-19 pandemic. **Please note that during the transition period between phases, park visitors should allow up to two weeks for facilities and amenities to be reopened by staff unless otherwise noted.**

* This plan is subject to revision upon further definite guidance provided by local, county, state and/or federal agencies. The most up to date version of this plan will be posted at www.whitpantownship.org.

Outdoor Recreation Facilities	Red Phase	Yellow Phase	Green Phase	Phase Out
Athletic Facilities - Organized Use (by permit/agreement) Including both Youth and Adult Team Sports and Camps Includes: Baseball, Softball, Soccer, and Lacrosse fields (including Centre Square Park Synthetic Turf Fields),	Closed	Closed	Open for regular practices, clinics/camps, and games. All permit holders will be required to provide a written plan to Whitpain Township as to how they will adhere to and enforce current PA Dept. of Health and CDC guidelines. Participant and spectator capacity at each facility will be determined by the ability to adhere to physical distancing guidelines Informative signage required	Open to full capacity
Athletic Facilities - Pick-up/Unorganized Play Includes: Baseball, Softball, Soccer, and Lacrosse fields,	Closed	All Closed to unorganized group activities Only same household members may have pick-up activities	Open. Participant and spectator capacity will be determined at each facility by the ability to adhere to social distance guidelines Informative signage required	Open to full capacity
Athletic Court Facilities: Includes Tennis Courts, Volleyball Basketball Courts, In-line Hockey Rink	Closed	Closed Except Tennis Courts - Singles Play Only Permitted	Open with physical distancing required Informative signage required	Open to full capacity
Playgrounds	Closed	Closed	Open with physical distancing required Informative signage required	Open to full capacity
Exercise Stations at Wentz Run Park	Closed	Closed	Open with physical distancing required Informative signage required	Open to full capacity
Pavilions (rentals) Centre Square Park, Wentz Run Park including Gazebo	Closed	Closed	Open with physical distancing measures in place. Follow PA Dept. of Health and CDC Guidelines for cleaning prior to use. Informative signage required	Open to full capacity
Whitpain Dog Park	Open with physical distancing requirements. 4 dogs with handlers at a time	Open with physical distancing requirements 4 dogs with handlers at a time	Open with physical distancing requirements. Informative signage required	Open to full capacity
Public Restrooms (Includes) Wentz Run Park, Stony Creek Park, Centre Square Park	Closed except Centre Square Park	Open with physical distancing requirements of one person at a time. Daily cleaning to occur including weekends. Staff will follow PA Dept. of Health and CDC Guidelines for cleaning and disinfecting Informative signage required	Open with physical distancing requirements of one person at a time. Daily cleaning to occur including weekends. Staff will follow PA Dept. of Health and CDC Guidelines for cleaning and disinfecting Informative signage required	Open to full capacity
Trails and Open Space/Reserves Includes all trail surfaces in parks and Open Spaces	Open with physical distancing requirements.	Open with physical distancing requirements. Informative Signage where possible. Cycling restrictions on some trails	Open with physical distancing requirements. Informative Signage where possible. Cycling restrictions on some trails	Open to full capacity
Prophecy Creek Manor House	Closed	Open for tours of facility by appointment only. Limit 8 guests and 1 staff Physical distancing requirements and facility disinfecting following CDC and PA Dept of Health Guidelines. No weddings/receptions	Open. Following PA Dept of Health and CDC Guidelines on maximum indoor capacity Physical distancing requirements and facility disinfecting following CDC and PA Dept of Health Guidelines.	Open to full capacity