

Media Advisory – 9th July 2020

Re: Re-opening of Public Swimming Pools and Leisure Centres

The Covid-19 Pandemic has and will continue to radically change the habits, behaviours and expectations of all of us. This is very true of the facilities and services at the Council's Swimming Pools and Leisure Centres in Clonmel, Nenagh and Tipperary.

The Pools and Centres will be different facilities to the ones we knew before. The Council's main priority is your and our staff's health and safety, and we have carried out some significant changes. We will be implementing best practice in the areas of social distancing, hygiene and sanitisation. The numbers of patrons using our facilities will be reduced and managed according to the HSE guidelines.

NENAGH LEISURE CENTRE

- From Monday 13th July, swimming and gym for designated user groups with time slots for over 60's, lane swimming, special needs, families and casual use.
- Pre-booking is not required and walk-ins can be accommodated subject to revised capacity restrictions in place.
- Details of opening hours and time slots will be available on www.tipperarycoco.ie and on Nenagh Swimming Pool & Leisure Centre Facebook page.
- Queries to 087-7854662.

CLONMEL SWIMMING POOL & GYM

- From Monday 20th July, swimming only for adult members and NGB-affiliated clubs/groups; gym for adult members only.
- From Monday 27th July, family and general public swimming and general public in the gym.
- Facilities will only be able to be used by pre booking specified time slots and walk-ins will no longer be possible.
- Details on opening and further information on booking arrangements will be available later next week.

SEÁN TREACY MEMORIAL SWIMMING POOL, TIPPERARY TOWN

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Note:

More detailed guidance on the availability of all council services can be accessed on the website www.tipperarycoco.ie and the Council is asking members of the public to avail of these services by:-

- **Post or**
- **Telephone on 0761 06 5000, from 9.30am to 4.30pm**
Monday to Friday excluding Public Holidays or
- **Email to customerservices@tipperarycoco.ie**

Emergency numbers **outside of office hours** for the following services are;

- **Roads - 1890 923 948**
- **Housing (Emergency Electrical and Plumbing issues only) - 1890 923 948**
- **Water and Wastewater - 1850 278 278**