

Joslyn Adult Recreation Center – Reopening Q&A

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The Joslyn Center is expected to reopen for club activities when the State of California allows community centers to resume operations, likely on or about June 15th. This list of questions will be updated as more information becomes available. For additional questions or concerns, please e-mail JoslynCenter@JoslynRec.org.

Q: What activities can be resumed when the JRC reopens?

A: Presently, it looks like all club activities, indoors or out, along with regular/recurring rental users will be allowed once the state gives the go-ahead for community centers to open.

Q: What precautions should be followed when attending the JRC?

A: We encourage all members and other users to follow [California State](#) and [CDC](#) guidelines and recommendations related to transitioning back from the recent quarantine. There is no ability to monitor or enforce behavior once the JRC is open, but we will try to provide written communications, reminders and requests as warranted. Hand sanitizer is available in all rooms (near entrance/exit doors) and restrooms and the pump bottles will be refilled as needed.

Q: Can individual clubs set parameters around their use of the JRC?

A: Each club can determine how they want to conduct their activities which may include restrictions such as limiting number of participants, mask requirements, etc. (as long as any constraints are consistent with our [bylaws](#)). Please note that the JRC runs under a multi-use model, so there is no guarantee that everyone in the building will comply with individual club preferences (e.g. a member of “X” club in the conference room may walk to the restroom through the main hall while club “Y” is using that space).

Q: Are there any extra cleaning or other preparations being performed at the JRC compared to 2019 operations?

A: We will comply with all state or CDC requirements for community centers, but at this time do not know of any that apply. We intend to contract with someone to clean the restrooms professionally twice a week, while clubs remain responsible for cleaning after each and every use of the facility as needed (e.g. sweeping, vacuuming, wiping tables, emptying trash receptacles, etc.). Kitchen cleanliness is especially important right now for any clubs that use it!

Q: Will the JRC office be staffed again?

A: Yes! We have hired an Office Manager named Peg Greiner who will help organize day-to-day operations at the Joslyn Center. Her duties include working with clubs on the Joslyn-wide calendar, keeping an eye on supplies that may be needed, etc. Peg will begin training in late May and we expect to have the office open Mon, Tues, Weds and Fri from 10am-2pm beginning mid-June. Office policies and procedures will reflect the duty we have as an employer to protect employees which may include office access restrictions.

Q: What are the requirements for paying 2021 annual dues?

A: At the general membership meeting in November of 2020, dues for this year were fixed at the same rate they were in both 2019 and 2020, \$50 per person, annually. While we understand that there were times that the JRC was not available during the pandemic mandated closure, many (most) of our costs are fixed and didn't go away just because there were few people in the building (taxes, insurance, and utilities, for example). The board is asking all returning members to pay their full 2021 annual dues. If you haven't done so, payments can be made online at www.JoslynRec.org (via PayPal or with a credit card on PayPal) or by check either mailed to 950 Main St., Cambria CA 93428, or left in the office mail slot. Thanks for your support!

Q: Will there be a Joslyn reopening event/party?

A: Once we feel it is safe for larger groups to meet and the state allows it, we hope to have a celebration welcoming all of our members back to the JRC. For now, the focus is on making the center available for existing clubs to begin using again safely as soon as possible.