



## **Operational Plan for Special Events**

### **Responsibility – Event Participants**

The Town of Quispamsis will continue to follow the Provincial State of Emergency, the Provincial Recovery Plan, and the guidance and direction of the Office of the Chief Medical Officer of Health (CMOH) at its recreation facilities during the COVID-19 pandemic.

This document outlines the various responsibilities of event visitors to the Town of Quispamsis properties.

#### 1. SPECIAL EVENTS MEASURES

- **a.** Participants must complete the **mandatory screening** for COVID-19 prior to attending an event. The questions are listed **at the end of this document**.
- **b. Non-medical face masks** must always be worn when indicated by the specific event. Individuals without a non-medical face mask are not permitted to attend an event, unless eligible for an exception outlined by the CMOH.
- **c.** All participants must **pre-register** for each event due to contact tracing and to ensure compliance with the current mandatory order. These details are available to the public within the event's information on the Town's webcalendar prior to each event.
- **d.** Physical distancing measures of 2 metres are required at each event.
- e. Most special events are touchless and allow for physical distancing.
- **f. Traffic flow** and **disinfecting measures** must be followed. Signage will be posted on-site with event mapping sometimes shared online. Frequent cleaning and disinfecting of commonly touched surfaces will be completed by the Special Events staff/volunteers.
- g. Special event participants are to remain with their family/friends bubble during the event.
- **h.** Event participants are to arrive, complete their activity and leave immediately after. **No gathering** in the parking lot before or after the event.
- i. No food or beverage is to be brought onto the property, except for water for the participants. Water bottles should be filled prior to coming to the facility. There will be no sharing of water containers.
- j. Washrooms and handwashing facilities are generally unavailable at events. When facilities are available they will be cleaned and sanitized on a regular basis. All other sanitizing is the responsibility of the user. It is strongly recommended that users bring individual hand sanitizer to events for personal use.

#### 2. ILLNESSES OR SYMPTOMS - VISITORS/PARTICIPANTS

Should a visitor / participant develop symptoms during their time at the event they must leave the event immediately, contact 811 and follow their direction.

#### 3. ADMISSION TO EVENTS

Participants may lose access to other Town events if they do not follow this Operational Plan.

#### 4. Provincial Mandatory Order

All participants must abide by the conditions outlined in the current mandatory order.





# **Mandatory** Screening for COVID-19

Participants who attend the event are required to wash or sanitize their hands upon entry





If you answer 'YES' to any of the following questions, DO NOT ENTER this building. Please return home and self-isolate.

Do you have TWO (2) of the following symptoms that are not related to a known pre-existing health condition (i.e., seasonal allergies)? If YES, you should be tested for COVID-19.



Fever

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Cough (or worsening cough)



Diarrhea



Loss of sense of smell and taste



In children, purple markings on the fingers and toes



Runny nose



Sore throat



Muscle pain



Headache



Fatigue/ exhaustion

- Have you been advised by Public Health, a health-care provider, travel registry, or a peace officer that you are currently required to isolate?
- Are you waiting for a COVID-19 test or COVID-19 test results AND have been told you need to isolate?
- Have you travelled outside of the Atlantic Travel Bubble (which includes Avignon and Témiscouata) in the past 14 days? (This question does not apply if you are exempt from isolation because you have received at least 1 dose of the vaccine or because you tested negative on day 5-7 of your isolation).
- # Have you travelled outside of Canada in the past 14 days? (This question does not apply if you are exempt from current provincial and federal isolation requirements).

# If you answered 'NO' to the above questions, YOU MAY ENTER the facility.

If you are experiencing any symptoms, you should get tested. You can register for a test online by clicking 'Get tested' on the GNB Coronavirus website, calling Tele-Care 811 or by contacting your primary health-care provider.

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For the latest information visit: www.gnb.ca/coronavirus

