



Crystal Pool and Fitness Centre to Close for Annual Maintenance

Date: Thursday, August 28, 2008

For Immediate Release

VICTORIA, BC – The Crystal Pool and Fitness Centre will be closed for annual maintenance from Saturday, August 30 – Sunday, September 21, 2008.

Staff will conduct a thorough cleaning of the facility in addition to a range of mechanical repairs and maintenance. The facility will reopen on Monday, September 22, 2008 at 5:30 a.m.

Crystal Pool and Fitness Centre passes will be honoured at other recreational facilities in the Capital Region during the closure, however, pass holders are encouraged to contact regional facilities for their hours and drop-in schedules.

The *Fall 2008 / Winter 2009 Active Living Guide* is now available online and includes programs for all interests and ages. During the closure, registration will be available on weekdays, 8 a.m. - 6 p.m. at the Centre or by phone at 250.361.0732. Program registration will resume on weekends once the Centre reopens. Payments may be made by cash, cheque, debit, Visa, MasterCard and American Express.

Due to a system upgrade, payment for admission on August 28th and 29th will be cash only, however, passes and punch cards will be accepted. Registration forms for fall/winter programs will be held and processed once the upgrades are complete, and receipts will be mailed by early September.

The Parks, Recreation and Community Development department appreciates the community's patience and regrets any inconvenience this closure may cause.

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