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To: Swim Sask Clubs

We have some great news; yesterday the Government of Sask updated the Re-Open Saskatchewan Plan and the Public Health Order, which have some specific changes that affect the sport of swimming effective immediately:

Government of Saskatchewan and Sask Health Updates:

- Age distinction removed for group training and conditioning for both team and individually practiced sports both indoors and out
- 19+ can now join 18 and under for training and conditioning in groups using the same format as 18 and under have been using, i.e.
 - Groups of 8, plus a coach or two
 - Non-contact only
 - 3 meters of physical distancing among all participants
 - Masking as directed in the Re-open Saskatchewan Plan
 - Training and conditioning only
 - Competition remains prohibited for all ages in team sports

As such our masters' swimmers and any swimmers that are over the age of 18 can now return to club training and conditioning as per the restrictions above.

You can access and read the updated Sports and Activities Guidelines in the [updated Re-Open Saskatchewan Plan](#) (April 28, 2021) and [Public Health Order](#) (April 27, 2021).

Swimming Canada Updates:

- Olympic Trials has been postponed to June 19-23, 2021 at TPASC.
- Paralympic Trails has been cancelled
- Read complete news release: [Changes to the Olympic and Paralympic Swimming Trials news release April 28, 2021](#)

Summer Swimming Update:

- The Summer Swimming season officially begins Saturday May 1, 2021.
- We are excited to have 17/18 summer clubs affiliate and operate this summer season.

We look forward to continuing to work to ensure that we stay safe and stay swimming.

Yours in Swimming; stay healthy and safe and continue to be adaptable.



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