



EXCELLENCE IN SPORT

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ST LUKE'S SWIM SCHOOL UPDATE

SWIM SCHOOL RESTART

Planning for a restart

We very much look forward to welcoming you back soon! At the moment we don't have a confirmed date when the lessons can restart but we are busy planning the operational measures and the lessons structure and will be in touch very soon.

We understand it has been a long time and the last 14 months has seen many lost weeks of lessons and we, of course, appreciate that water safety is an important life-skill. We are very keen to get started but safety of the wider University Community and visitors is paramount and therefore we will only restart when it is safe.



We thank you for your patience and support during these unusual times, we very much hope to welcome you back soon. Keep an eye on our [Covid-webpage](#) and our [questions / answers section](#).

Don't forget, even though we are not collecting Swim School payments at the moment, we are committed to offering Swim School members (children) free access to the Outdoor Pool. Please register and book [online](#) and follow the Adult to Child ratios.

SWIM SCHOOL DD PAYMENTS

Still Frozen!

Don't worry, your DD payments for the Swim School are still frozen. As per our previous communications – collections will not restart until after the lessons restart to account for payments taken after we were required to stop in January. You won't miss out!

We will submit a list to our DD partner for collections restart and inform you of the timeline when we are ready – you should not need to do anything. Please do not cancel your DD at your bank as this may jeopardise your place in the lessons. If you have cancelled your DD at the bank please let the sportsadmin@exeter.ac.uk know and we can arrange for it to be set up again.

OUTDOOR POOL

25m, 4 lane, heated!

The Outdoor Pool, on the Streatham campus, is very popular and available to members and non-members – please be aware that a perk of membership is the ability to book an extra week in advance than non-members.

The Outdoor Pool is 25m, 4 lanes and heated to 29o. All sessions must be booked in advance online and please be aware the venue is cashless. We have created a [FAQ section online](#) to help you book your pool sessions.

To follow the guidelines, spaces per session are limited and **prior booking is required**. A varied pool programme includes lane swimming, recreational swim, training lanes and family swim sessions - please ensure you book for the correct session.

- As a thank you for your on-going support - **Children attending our Swim School can swim for free in the Outdoor Pool!**

- Lane Swimming is aimed at swimmers who are comfortably able to swim multiple lengths
- Training Lanes are for advanced swimmers who will swim lengths continuously and must be booked individually
- Family Swim is for parents / guardians and their children to enjoy a session where small floats and inflatables can be used
- Recreational Swim is a relaxed swim session where no formal lanes are present so you can enjoy a gentle splash and swim.



- There will be **no cash taken at site**, the electronic payment machines will be available but **please book and pay online**
- Social distancing is required in the pool and the surrounding area, please behave responsibly and adhere to the guidelines to ensure we can operate in a covid-secure manner.

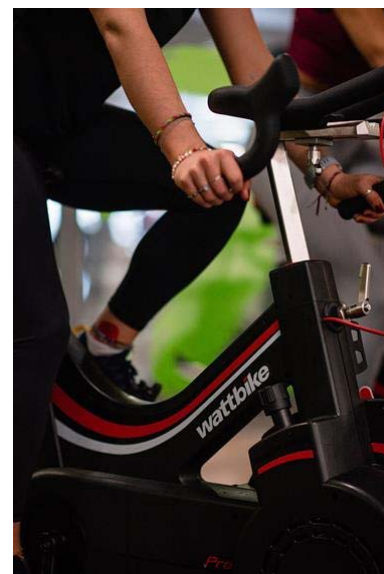
Please see the **website** for the full timetable and pricing information.
Please check the video on our **Facebook page** for an operational update on the guidelines.

SUMMER MEMBERSHIP

Gym, classes, swimming

We have a fantastic offer this summer: for just £25 a month with no long term contract you can access our gyms, classes and swimming! Just pay a month at a time when it suits you! Y

You can sign up **online** or through the Sports Park reception, please give us a call on 01392 724452 or email us at **exetersport@exeter.ac.uk** to activate your membership after you have signed up so you can start making bookings! No previous membership is required.



THANK YOU

Stronger Together

A huge thank you for your support and loyalty during the latest lockdown (and indeed over the past 14 months), as we implement our phased return. Our Covid-secure operational measures are for the safety of the University Community, students, staff and visitors.

We look forward to welcoming you back very soon.

Thank you from the entire Sports Office Team.

EVENTS

Saturday 3 April 2021 - Outdoor Pool opens

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