



## **Lunenburg County YMCA Facility Closure Effective Monday March 16, 2020 (10:00 pm)**

In light of growing concerns around the COVID-19 (“coronavirus”) pandemic and a desire to protect our members, program participants, staff and volunteers from the risks of potential exposure, the Lunenburg County YMCA is closing our facility and cancelling all programs effective Monday, March 16, 2020 at 10:00 pm.

All Lunenburg County YMCA facilities will be closed to the public, and all rentals and recreation-related programs and services are cancelled.

No further membership payments or program fees will be collected until the Lunenburg County YMCA resumes services.

The Lunenburg County YMCA exists to help create healthy communities. This system-wide closure is a precautionary step to ensure our communities stay healthy and we believe it is the best way we can serve the community at this point during this global crisis.

We will continue to follow advice from public health authorities and encourage you to as well. At this time, we do not have a planned re-open date, but will share that information on our website and Facebook page as it becomes available.

### **Questions?**

Please review our website or Facebook page for regular updates.

The YMCA can be contacted by phone Tuesday to Friday this week from 9:00 am – 5:00 pm at (902) 543-9622. Please note staff resources will be limited so please be patient when attempting to contact us.

If you have any questions, comments or concerns, I can be reached by email at [yvonne.smith@ns.ymca.ca](mailto:yvonne.smith@ns.ymca.ca).

Thank-you for your understanding and commitment to the health of our community.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Yvonne Smith'.

Yvonne Smith  
CEO, YMCA of Southwest Nova Scotia