

Aquatic centre shutdown at The Meadows extended

The aquatics area at the Meadows Community Recreation Centre will remain closed until the spring of 2016 as warranty work at the facility is completed.

The Meadows opened to the public in November 2014. During the scheduled warranty inspection of the facility – which occurs during the first year of operation – it was discovered that tiles on the pool deck were damaged. As a result, the City of Edmonton is working with the project contractor to replace the tiles.

This means the aquatic centre will not reopen until early spring of 2016 in order to complete the work. The City has determined it would not be safe for the public to be in this area while construction work is underway.

The rest of the facility, including fitness centres, gymnasium, arenas, indoor playground, and Edmonton Public Library, remains open.

Warranty inspections are an important part of the City of Edmonton's project management process as they allow material or mechanical issues to be identified and addressed at no cost to the City.

The City understands this work may have significant impact on customers and thanks Edmontonians for their patience and understanding while it is being completed.

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