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**13 February 2019**

## **Temporary Pool Closure**

The aquatic area at the Bay of Isles Leisure Centre (BOILC) will be temporarily closed for a 13-week period to allow essential maintenance work to be undertaken. The closure period will commence from Friday 19<sup>th</sup> April 2019.

The entire aquatic area will be closed for the duration of the work being undertaken. All other areas of the Bay of Isles Leisure Centre will be open and functioning as per normal. This includes the gymnasium, health and fitness classes, and crèche. The closure period selected was deemed to have the least impact across the diverse user groups that utilise the pool area of the BOILC.

Works will include tiling the lap pool, tile maintenance to the lagoon and hydrotherapy pools and sauna refurbishment. The pools are required to be drained and dried fully before work can start and the completed work will also need sufficient time to dry before the pools can be refilled. General pool and plant maintenance will also be carried out during this time.

CEO Matthew Scott said, "We know these works will be an inconvenience to pool users and we ask for your patience whilst they are being carried out. We have tried to time the closure to the minimise impact on our community as much as possible."

BOILC members have been sent information regarding the closure and their options with respect to the impact on their current memberships.

BOILC members affected over the closure period who have not been contacted by BOILC staff to discuss membership options are asked to contact BOILC staff as soon as possible. If you have any queries about the closure and how this might affect you, please do not hesitate to contact the BOILC on 9083 1700.

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