

# Club closed in response to COVID-19

**By order of the Edmonton Squash Club Board of Directors**

March 17, 2020

To all ESC members,

**The Edmonton Squash Club facilities are closed to ALL members until further notice.**

Today, the Alberta Government has raised a state of emergency for Alberta in response to the COVID-19 pandemic. As part of this announcement, the government has ordered the closure of gymnasiums and recreational facilities.

<https://www.alberta.ca/coronavirus-info-for-albertans.aspx>

- Albertans are prohibited from attending public recreation facilities and private entertainment facilities.
  - This includes gyms, swimming pools, arenas, science centres, museums, art galleries, community centres, children's play centres, casinos, racing entertainment centres and bingo halls.

Following this order, the board of directors has instructed the closure of the club until further notice. This creates significant impact to our valued members, squash professionals, and staff. We will be providing ongoing information to members as we deal with the closure.

We hope you all understand the nature of this closure and will continue to support the club during this challenging time.

**On behalf of the Board of Directors,  
Patrick Binns, Chair**

<https://www.alberta.ca/coronavirus-info-for-albertans.aspx>

<https://www.albertahealthservices.ca/topics/Page16997.aspx#restrict>

<https://www.albertahealthservices.ca/assets/info/ppih/if-ppih-ncov-2019-public-faq.pdf>