



COVID-19 Recovery & Funding Update

June 14th, 2021

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2021

- ▶ On May 25th, BC announced its Restart Plan which had a more optimistic forecast for large scale gatherings than was previously expected
- ▶ Timeline has had positive impact on the PNE's business planning for 2021

STEP	Criteria	PHO Guidance	Personal Gatherings	Organized Gatherings
1 MAY 25	C: stable H: stable D1: 60%	Masks mandatory, indoor public spaces Physical distancing If sick, stay home and get tested	Outdoor personal gatherings – up to 10 people Indoor visitors – up to 5 people or 1 household	Indoor seated organized gatherings – up to 10 people Outdoor seated organized gatherings – up to 50 people
2 JUNE 15 (Earliest date)	C: declining H: declining D1: 65%	Masks mandatory, indoor public spaces Physical distancing If sick, stay home and get tested	Outdoor personal gatherings – up to 50 people Indoor visitors – up to 5 people or 1 household Playdates	Indoor seated organized gatherings – up to 50 people Sector consultations on next steps on indoor and outdoor gatherings
3 JULY 1 (Earliest date)	C: low H: declining D1: 70%	Masks – recommended Careful social contact If sick, stay home and get tested	Return to usual on indoor and outdoor personal gatherings Sleepovers	Increased capacity, indoor and outdoor gatherings – Safety Plan Fairs & festivals with Safety Plan
4 SEPT 7 (Earliest date)	C: low H: low D1: 70%+	Masks – personal choice Normal social contact If sick, stay home and get tested	Normal social contact	Increased capacity on large organized gatherings (i.e. concerts)



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Playland

- ▶ Originally scheduled to open May 1st
- ▶ Opening weekend now Friday, June 11th
 - COVID-19 Exposure Control Plan in place (reviewed by VCH)
 - Reduced Capacity (20%)
 - Physical distancing and face mask requirements in place
- ▶ Marketing message focused on “safe, clean fun”
- ▶ Planning for more regular Fright Nights experience in Oct
- ▶ Capacity and in-park restrictions will evolve with the Restart Plan



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Fair

- ▶ BC's Restart Timeline indicates as of July 1st, summer Fairs will be permitted to operate
- ▶ Management team is cautiously optimistic that a reduced capacity, in-person Fair is still possible
- ▶ Management team is working through modelling. More details to be announced in next few weeks.
- ▶ Currently planning 15 days, in person at 15-25% capacity with ability to increase capacity if restrictions allow
- ▶ Limited entertainment options due to timeline. No large concerts planned



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Year-Round Events

- ▶ BC's Restart Timeline indicates as of September 7th, concerts may be permitted
- ▶ Film will remain an integral component of venue use through summer
- ▶ Concerts, family shows, trade shows are expected to gradually increase over fall and winter
- ▶ Winterlights - considering a walk through option as well as drive through



Government Funding Update

- ▶ PNE has submitted application for \$1M funding grant for BC Major Anchor Attractions
- ▶ Conversations continue with provincial government for additional funding specific to over head costs (ie-insurance, business continuity)
- ▶ Canada Emergency Wage Subsidy (CEWS) payments of \$4.2 million remains in separate account until CRA confirms PNE's eligibility (not included as part of \$8.0M loss for 2020)
- ▶ Federal MP working on what is required to get that confirmation

