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COVID-19 Response: Community Update

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The Walking Track at the Essex Centre Sports Complex will re-open to the public on Monday, November 9, with new protocols in place.

The track will be open to the public, Monday to Friday from 7:00am to 2:30pm. All visitors will be required to wear a mask, sign in, and undertake a standard COVID-19 screening procedure.

"As the days get colder we know residents are looking for somewhere to be active while staying safe," said Doug Sweet, Deputy CAO and Director, Community Services, adding that walkers and track users must continue to abide by physical distancing and hand hygiene practices.

The operating hours will give Town of Essex staff members the time to disinfect high touch points prior to opening for ice rink user groups. Current group size limitations also means the track will remain closed on weekends.

For guidance on what individuals can do to reduce their risk of contracting the virus, or what to do if they display symptoms, please visit the [Ontario Ministry of Health's COVID-19 resource page](#). For local updates, please visit [Windsor Essex County Health Unit's Novel Coronavirus page](#).

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