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An Open Letter on SPR Summer Camp:

We've heard from many of you that you are excited to start thinking about your summer plans with Saco Parks and Recreation. We are too – summer is one of our most favorite times at SPR! Usually at this time we are in full swing with summer camp registration, but we are looking ahead to planning summer in a season that feels a little unknown at the moment.

We are taking time now to consider how COVID-19 may potentially impact our summer camps and theater academy. There are many areas to explore, from possible date changes to locations to field trips to show offerings. We know this spring has been strange and that many of us have had events and opportunities be changed as we all work together to minimize the spread of COVID-19. We can certainly relate to those difficult feelings as so many of the programs we hoped to offer this spring have been cancelled.

Our goal at the moment is to allow our customers to look forward to a time where we can reconnect and offer the programs and services you have come to expect from us. To that end, at this time, we will be offering a “summer program interest” activity. This is not enrollment, but a way to let us know that you plan to participate in the upcoming summer season with Saco Parks and Recreation.

- To sign up for our interest activity for 2020 summer programs, please visit us at www.sacorec.com and view our “SPR Summer Program 2020 Interest” page.
- *There are interest options for both K-8 summer camps and our Twin City Theater Academy.*

As spring moves forward and we are able to solidify plans for summer, we will follow up with families who have signed up for the interest-activity with concrete camp details on enrollment, dates, locations, and trip plans. We hope to have this information available early May.

We appreciate your support of our programs and all that everyone is doing in our community during this challenging time. For any questions, please email us at parksandrec@sacomaine.org.

Sincerely,

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