



Borough of Alpine

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To those who expressed interest in joining the Alpine Swim Club:

We would first like to thank each and every one of you for your interest in joining this 2021 season.

Due to the extremely challenging circumstances of Covid-19, we felt that it was imperative to get feedback regarding your intention of joining the swim club for the season.

While the usual efforts have been made to open, we have faced extraordinary challenges to resume normal operations. As of the date of this letter, the current state mandates regarding municipal pool regulations have not substantially changed. The excessive requirements NJDOH imposes on municipalities have made it increasingly difficult to attract the qualified staff needed to successfully operate the swim club at the standard our members are accustomed to receiving. Finding full time lifeguards has been our number one challenge.

We would like to thank each of you for your continued support of our beautiful facility; however, the aforementioned circumstances prevent us from opening the swim club at this time.

Should we see significant changes and find an opportunity to have a delayed opening, we will keep you informed. In an effort to address the lifeguard shortage, we ask and encourage residents and interested club members to please refer any willing, able and certified lifeguards you may be aware of to the attention of the sub-committee care of the Borough Clerk's Office at (201) 784-2900 ext. 10 or 19 or boroclerk@alpinenj.org.

If we are unable to open this season, then we will look forward to a re-launch on Memorial Day 2022. As we move forward during these ever-changing times, we appreciate your continued interest, input, and involvement in our club.

Thank you very much.

Sincerely,

Alpine Recreation Subcommittee for the Alpine Swim Club

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