



Dear Valued Students, Faculty, Staff, Alumni and Community Members:

I would like to thank you for your continued support of Mason's Recreation Department and use of our facilities. As we continue our tradition of providing superior fitness facilities and equipment, Mason Recreation's administrative staff proactively develops plans to systematically maintain, renovate, or, when needed, replace resources. This proactive approach has allowed us to avoid many of the pitfalls of sudden equipment and facility failures. However, this approach and these measures are not without some inconvenience.

The Aquatic and Fitness Center's Competition Pool has reached a point in its life where an extensive construction project is needed to correct many failing components. Our anticipated plan is to begin work on Monday June 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2014. Unfortunately this means that the entire competition pool area will be closed for patrons. We are unsure of the exact timeline to complete all the work needed, but we promise to keep you informed throughout. Updates will be made on our website at [recreation.gmu.edu](http://recreation.gmu.edu) and throughout the building.

Please note that during the time the competition pool is closed, the rest of the Aquatic and Fitness Center will remain open to include the Recreation pool, Whirlpool and Sauna.

We apologize for this inconvenience and assure you that we will reopen as soon as all the work is completed. If you have questions regarding the nature of the project please don't hesitate to contact me directly at [ebarber@gmu.edu](mailto:ebarber@gmu.edu) or 703.993.3814.

Sincerely,  
Erica Andresen

Assistant Director, Aquatic and Fitness Center

**UPDATE: As of 5/30, construction has been delayed. The competition pool will be open June 2-6<sup>th</sup> from 10a-2pm.**