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Dear Santee Lakes Campers:

National, state and local emergencies have been declared due to the COVID-19 global pandemic declared by the World Health Organization. Social distancing has been proven to slow the spread of pandemics so that sick people don't overwhelm healthcare systems. San Diego County health officials have banned gatherings of 10 or more people in any indoor or outdoor space. People must stay six feet apart to slow spread of COVID-19.

As a result, we have closed the Day Use Park to all visitors, including campers, through April 13, 2020. We will re-evaluate opening of the Day Use Park at a later date as information develops.

Symptoms:

Reported illnesses have ranged from mild symptoms to severe illness and death for confirmed coronavirus disease 2019 (COVID-19) cases.

The following symptoms may appear **2-14 days after exposure:**

- Fever
- Cough
- Shortness of breath

As a registered camper, we are asking you to follow social distancing guidelines:

- If you are sick and on site, please cancel your reservation for a full refund and go home. If that is not an option, self-quarantine inside your RV for 14 days. Please let Park Staff know via email (santeelakes@padre.org) if you are in a self-quarantine.
- Clean surfaces that are frequently touched inside and outside your RV – things such as countertops, electronics, doorknobs, etc.
- Do not allow guests/visitors access to Santee Lakes unless you have a medical necessity that requires a family member, relative or friend to assist you.
- Keep social distance (6 feet) from your camping neighbors.
- If you have identified a case of COVID-19 in your social circle or tested positive, please let Park Staff know ASAP via email (santeelakes@padre.org) so we may follow public health and safety protocols. Self-quarantine for 14 days.

Along with social distancing, frequent hand-washing and use of hand sanitizers with 60% alcohol are the best options to prevent transmission.

County health officials have set up a real-time text messaging system for information about COVID-19 in the region. **To sign up to receive the messages, text COSD COVID19 to 468-311.** The system was set up to let County public health officials issue information and instructions on changes related to COVID-19 in the region.

For questions about your stay, please visit santeelakes.com or email us at santeelakes@padre.org

If you have individual questions related to COVID19, please talk to your health care provider. For community resources, please call 2-1-1 San Diego or visit www.211sandiego.org. or www.coronavirus-sd.com.