

**What is the current status of the fundraising campaign?**

As of May 20, 2016, we have raised over \$11.2 million in commitments toward our current goal of \$12 million.

**What exactly is being renovated and when?**

**PHASE I: [Complete]:** Social Hall, Gallery, Social Hall Kitchen and Restrooms, Classrooms, Art Studio, Ceramics Studio, Dance Studio, Program Staff Offices, Classroom Restrooms, ECC Upper Level Classrooms and the Bender-Dosik Parenting Center

**PHASE II: SPRING/SUMMER 2016:** Family and Adult Locker Rooms (design to be posted), ECC Lower Level Classrooms and Indoor Pool

**PHASE III: FALL/WINTER 2016/17:** Outdoor Pool

**Will there be a new café as part of the renovation?**

We are planning for a new food service location that will be opened before the end of the year.

**How much money will you be raising for the renovation?**

Our goal is to raise at least \$12 million.

**How do I support the campaign?**

Visit the website ([iccgw.org/newj](http://iccgw.org/newj)) or call Adam Tennen at 301.348.3815.

**Which construction company is doing the renovation?**

Davis Construction

**What entrance do we use during the renovation?**

During the summer we will only be using the front entrance of the building for entering/exiting the Center. The side entrance will not be open during summer 2016 due to construction activity. Camp families will be notified directly about the location of carpool. We will notify all members well in advance if there are any changes to these plans.

**How will the renovation impact parking availability?**

During the summer there will be fewer parking spaces in the back of the building due to construction activity. We will notify all members well in advance if there are any other changes to parking and traffic flow during the renovation.

**When is the construction going to start?**

Updating of the family locker rooms is in process and will be complete and re-opened by Tuesday, May 31. At that time, the adult locker rooms and indoor pool will be closed for renovation. We expect these areas to be completed and re-opened in mid-September and will provide more specific information as we get closer to completion. Renovation of the ECC lower level classrooms will begin June 13, after the school-year program ends. This work will be completed in time for the new school year. We will keep you posted through frequent construction updates via email and our website ([www.iccgw.org/newJ](http://www.iccgw.org/newJ)) during the renovation process.

**Will there always be a place to swim?**

Yes, the Outdoor Pool opens Saturday, May 28 and will remain open at least until the indoor pool re-opens in September. You can find the pool schedule on our website ([www.iccgw.org/hours-schedules](http://www.iccgw.org/hours-schedules)). Any classes or lessons scheduled for the Indoor Pool will be moved to the Outdoor Pool after May 30.

**Will the depth of the indoor pool remain the same after it is renovated?**

Yes, the depth of the indoor pool is not changing. Most of the work is focusing on the pool decking and ceiling. The pool's HVAC and mechanical system will also be replaced during the renovation.

**What is the plan for massage?**

The last day for massages before the locker room renovation will be Monday, May 30. Massages will begin again in September when the indoor locker rooms re-open.

**What changes will be made to the adult locker rooms?**

The adult locker rooms will be completely renovated and include more lockers, better spacing and improved air circulation. The spa areas will include the steam room and sauna only as there is not sufficient space to maintain the whirlpool in a way that meets the requirements of the Americans with Disabilities Act. Montgomery County code requires that all facilities be brought up to code when there is a major renovation. As a result, the whirlpools would require a chair lift for which there is insufficient space. We are planning to include a whirlpool as part of an expanded indoor pool area at a future date.

**How was the decision made to remove the whirlpool from the adult locker rooms?**

A task force of staff and active fitness users reviewed and approved of the renovation plan presented by our architect. The task force considered a number of trade-offs in reaching its decision. First, the space necessary to meet ADA requirements and install a lift would have prohibited us from expanding the number of lockers and improving the overall flow and air circulation in the locker rooms. Second, our insurance company identified a number of safety concerns with the current location of the whirlpools. In considering these issues, the task force recognized the importance of the therapeutic nature of the whirlpool and for that reason, our future plans include adding one to the deck area of the indoor pool (with the design still to be finalized). At this point in time, our construction plan is final and our permit

has been issued. Despite the change, expect that you will enjoy the new locker rooms and renovated indoor pool.

**Will membership prices go up after the renovation?**

Membership prices are regularly reviewed and adjusted based on operating costs and competition in the area. The last price increase was in January 2015. There will not be any increase in membership prices before the end of this year. We notify all members well in advance of any changes to our membership pricing.