



PHASED REOPENING OF GALWAY COMMUNITY CIRCUS

Phase 1 (18 May)

Up to four Galway Community Circus employees/Volunteers/Artists can meet outside for Company meetings, strictly following government guidelines on social distancing and hygiene.



Maximum 4 people at any 1 time in an outdoor space while social distancing



Physical and respiratory hygiene adhered to



Maintaining 2m social distancing

Phase 2 (8 June)

Up to 6 Galway Community Circus employees/Volunteers/Artists can meet outside for Company meetings, strictly following government guidelines on social distancing and hygiene. The development of plans, policies, procedures and programme to support the reopening of Galway Community Circus. Appropriate training of staff carried out on Covid 19 return to work induction, Covid 19 Compliance officer training, first aid Covid Upskill training.



Groups of 6 can now meet outside or inside maintaining social distancing



Physical and respiratory hygiene adhered to



Maintaining 2m social distancing



Development and Updating of all relevant policies & procedures



Legally required training on Covid 19 completed by relevant workers

Phase 3 (29 June)

The continuation of all paperwork and construction needed for re-opening of the Circus Offices and indoor training halls.

Preparation for outdoor Summer Camps taking place in August.











Policy/Rules and regulations updated and disseminated on Professional Artist training space.



Small Indoor gatherings are permissible while maintaining social distancing










Galway Community Circus

-  Continuing the development of all policies & procedures (Covid 19)
-  Legally required training on Covid 19 completed by relevant workers
-  Strict hygiene to be observed as outlined in policies
-  Cleaning and sanitizing stations provided
-  Necessary signage and markings clearly visible
-  Access to St Joseph's Community Cr if compliance requirements completed
-  No access to kitchen or lounge areas permitted
-  Cleaning & disinfecting of Circus equipment routine & procedures completed
-  Preparation for outdoor balance Summer Camps taking place in August
-  Communication with membership on re-opening safety measures

Phase 4 (20 July)

Completion of reimagined youth circus programme. Continuation of Professional Artist Training space. Communication with membership on policies, procedures, and reimagined Youth Circus programme, Youth Circus September Term and all policies, procedures, and paperwork regarding this, including that of disclaimers, consent between members and an outline of individual responsibilities regarding Covid 19. All Covid 19 building preparation completed. Registration of September Circus Term open.

-  Preparation for outdoor summer camps complete
-  PPE provided in Circus space
-  All relevant policies & procedures and paperwork in place
-  Legally required training on Covid 19 completed by relevant workers
-  Cleaning and sanitizing stations provided for each space in use
-  No access to kitchen or lounge areas permitted
-  Communication with membership on September Circus Term registration



Phase 5 (10 August)

Dissemination of reimagined youth circus programme to membership and continuation of registration. All paperwork regarding participation in Septembers Youth Circus Term collected from participants. Collaboration with St Joseph's Community Centre for Building compliance for reopening. All Covid 19 building preparation completed and signed off on by Health and Safety representative. Return of classes with restrictions to allow for Social Distancing and adequate cleaning routines in place.



All Covid related preparation in place



Delivery of outdoor summer camps



Employees return to workplace where necessary



Access to kitchen and lounge areas permitted



Monday 14th September-**Circus School Re-opens**

Dear Circus Members,

The Galway Community Circus Team are excited to get back to our space and classes! We continue to do everything necessary to ensure the safety of our team and membership for our return. If you have any concerns or questions regarding our reopening and your future participation, please do get in touch and we will answer to the very best of our ability. We can't wait to see you all again. Stay safe, stay well, and stay Circus!

With the warmest of regards

Galway Community Circus Team

