

## Data Sheet

### Design and construction information

- Operations at the Hal Moe Pool were indefinitely suspended by the Snohomish School District Board of Directors in a June 12, 2007 motion. The motion was unanimously approved.
- Design Committee Members - Bill Fulton, Jodi Judd, Bill Mester, Steven Moore, Rick Pedack, Bruce Richards, John Weekes, and Betsy Wygant
- The Snohomish Aquatic Center is located at 516 Maple Avenue in Snohomish. It is at the site of the Snohomish School District's former Maple Avenue Campus/Freshman Campus.
- The Snohomish Aquatic Center opened to the public on January 26, 2014.
- The Snohomish Aquatic Center Groundbreaking was held on June 27, 2012. More than 100 community members attended this event.
- Dull Olson Weekes Architects of Portland, Oregon, designed the facility. They were selected in summer 2008.
- The site selection process began in fall 2008. Site selection and schematic design development occurred between 2009-2010.
- Absher Construction Company of Puyallup, Washington, was the general contractor. Construction began in June 2012 and was substantially completed in late December 2013.
- Heery International of Seattle, Washington was the project manager.
- The Snohomish Aquatic Center was constructed with funds from the Snohomish School District's 2008 Capital Projects Bond. Voters approved a bond in May 2008 to complete the Snohomish High School renovation, to replace Valley View Middle School, to renovate and expand Centennial Middle School, to replace Machias and Riverview elementary schools, to build the Snohomish Aquatic Center, to make district-wide capital improvements, and acquire classroom technology to improve student learning.
- Construction of the Snohomish Aquatic Center cost \$22.2 million.
- The facility is 52,000 square feet. The competition pool has its own natatorium to provide functional and acoustic separation from the recreation pool areas. The competition pool and recreation pool areas are able to function independently of the activities that occur in the other areas.
- The entrance is located off of Maple Avenue in downtown Snohomish. The Snohomish Aquatic Center has 193 parking spaces, including six ADA spaces. There is a convenient and safe drop-off and pick-up zone. A separate entrance is on the north side of the facility designated for meet events.

### Saline pool system

- The pool water at the Snohomish Aquatic Center is treated through a system that produces natural chlorine out of simple salt water, which reduces reliance on typical pool chemicals. The system creates a more swimmer-friendly environment with improved water and air quality. (Note: The FlowRider® is not a saline system.) Prior to opening, about 21,500 pounds of salt were used to get the water in the pools to appropriate levels.

## **Recreation pool**

- The pool supports a variety of structured and non-structured uses including swimming lessons, water fitness and water play.
- The pool area includes a recreational pool (5,091 square feet), warm-water pool, spray-play area, zero-entry area, surf-simulation machine (FlowRider), lazy river and waterslide (Splashtacular).
- The main recreation pool begins at 2 feet and deepens up to 4.5 feet. There is also a zero-entry spray/play area.
- The pool is 84-86 degrees Fahrenheit.
- The warm-water pool is 102 degrees Fahrenheit.
- The pool spaces hold 112,726 gallons of water (5,091 square feet). The FlowRider® uses 39,086 gallons of water. The Splashtacular uses 650 gallons of water per minute.
- The recreation pool spaces have a maximum capacity of 203 people.
- The Splashtacular waterslide is 151 feet long and 20 feet high.

## **Competition pool**

- There are 10 competition lanes each 25 yards long.
- The pool is 25 yards by 25 meters.
- The pool bleachers seat 420 spectators. This area, which has view of the Cascade Mountains, also incorporates a separate air supply for the added comfort of spectators.
- The pool is 78-80 degrees Fahrenheit.
- The pool begins at 7 feet and deepens to 12.5 feet.
- The diving well is 12.5 feet deep.
- There are three 1-meter diving boards.
- There are 10 Xcelerator adjustable track starts. The facility utilizes the Colorado Timing System and has a 10-lane display board.
- The pool holds 438,380 gallons of water (6,163 square feet).
- The competition pool has a maximum capacity of 205 people.

## **City of Snohomish**

- The only discounts available are to City of Snohomish residents who pay their water bill to the City of Snohomish. There are no discounts for any other groups. City of Snohomish residents must provide proof of residency (City of Snohomish water bill) to receive the 20% discount on 3-month and annual passes. The agreement to provide city residents with this discount was made with the Snohomish School District in February 2012 when the City of Snohomish agreed to fund the facility's water and sewer costs.

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