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Hillsdale College Properties Announce Reopenings

Hospitality and Shooting Sports Venues Resume Operations

Hillsdale, Mich. — As the state of Michigan relaxes restrictions related to the coronavirus crisis, Hillsdale College announces the reopening of its John A. Halter Shooting Sports Education Center and its two hospitality venues: the Dow Hotel and Conference Center, located on Hillsdale College’s main campus, and the Rockwell Lake Lodge, located in northwestern Michigan.

The Halter Center, located five miles from the Hillsdale College campus, reopened to the public on June 4. New safety and sanitation practices include contactless check-in and payment, frequent cleaning of restrooms and high-traffic areas, expanded outdoor seating, and one guest per party at a time in the AcuSport Lodge. Shooting stations are already spaced at least six feet apart.

“The Halter Center is already perfectly suited to socially distanced recreation, with plenty of outdoor activities for enthusiasts of all ages,” said Bart Spieth, rangemaster at the John A. Halter Shooting Sports Education Center. “We’re eager to welcome back our members and the general public to enjoy all that we have to offer.”

Public hours at the Halter Center are Thursdays and Fridays from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. and Saturdays from 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. Visit <https://shootingsports.hillsdale.edu> for more information.

The Dow Hotel and Conference Center, located on the Hillsdale College campus, reopened on June 1. The Rockwell Lake Lodge, located in Luther, Michigan, reopened on June 10. Both venues have re-committed to the highest standards of anti-viral sanitation and have updated guest, dining, and staff policies to ensure the safety and well-being of guests and staff. Practices include contactless check-in and check-out, frequent disinfection of high-traffic areas, and hand sanitizer available to all guests. As a precautionary measure, all housekeepers and front desk attendants will wear masks and gloves during interactions with guests. Both venues are also equipped to accommodate groups in a responsible and safe manner.

“We’re excited to welcome guests to our venues once again,” said Aaron Tracey, director of hospitality operations at Hillsdale College. “It has always been our goal to provide our guests with the highest level of service, and we will continue to exceed expectations when it comes to safety and sanitation. We’re ready to help make your stay memorable, enjoyable, and worry-free.”

To book a stay or an event at either the Dow Center or the Rockwell Lake Lodge, call (517) 437-3311 or visit <http://lp.hillsdale.edu/dow-center/> or http://lp.hillsdale.edu/rockwell/?utm_source=rockwelllakelodge.com.

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