



**To:** NYU Faculty, Administrators, and Staff  
**Subject:** Important Updates about the Opening of 404 Lafayette Street and the Closing of Coles  
**From:** Christopher Bledsoe, NYU Director of Athletics **and** Linda Chiarelli, Vice President for Capital Projects and Facilities

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### **New Dates for Opening 404 Lafayette Street and Closing Coles**

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From the outset, the University has said it would not close Coles until the new facility is fully operational, so Coles will remain open for most uses – except the pool (see below) – until 9 p.m. on **Sunday, February 21**. As indicated in the November 13 memo, **Coles will not be open this weekend**. Coles will reopen at 6:30 a.m. on Monday, January 25.

[Click here for more information about the schedules for the NYU Fitness Network facilities](#), including Palladium and the Brooklyn Athletics Facility, both of which will be open this weekend unless the University closes due to the major snowstorm that is expected to hit New York City this weekend.

### **Beginning Work in the Pool Area on Monday, Jan 25**

We will be permanently closing the pool area this weekend so that multiple investigatory borings can be drilled below the floor of the pool. These borings will provide information that will be relevant to the construction of the new building's foundation.

Please [visit the Athletics website](#) for more information about the free swim schedule at Palladium, [subsides offered to eligible swimmers](#) who use the [McBurney](#) and [Chinatown](#) YMCA facilities, and for a [list of local facilities that have pools](#).

### **Purchasing Spring Memberships to the NYU Fitness Network**

The Athletics website also contains information about [purchasing Spring memberships](#) to the NYU Fitness Network. Current members will be able to use Coles, Palladium, and the Brooklyn Athletic Facility until 404 Fitness opens on February 22, at no additional charge. New members will pay a weekly fee of \$7 per week for access until 404 Fitness opens.

The Athletics Department will hold Open Houses at 404 Fitness during its first two weeks of operation for current Coles members and other potential users who would prefer to see the gym before making a decision about purchasing memberships.

Matriculated students need not take any additional action and will incur no additional cost to obtain membership to the NYU Fitness Network.

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Click [HERE](#) (**insert link to the new Athletics page Chris is creating**) for more information about the schedules for the NYU Fitness Network facilities, including Palladium and the Brooklyn Athletics Facility, both of which will be open this weekend unless the University closes due to the major snowstorm that is expected to hit New York City this weekend.

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**To:** NYU Alumni Members of the Coles Sports Center  
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**To:** Community Board #2 Resident Users of the Coles Sports Center  
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### **Purchasing Passes**

The Athletics Department will hold Open Houses at 404 Fitness during its first two weeks of operation for current Coles members and other potential users who would prefer to see the gym before making a decision about purchasing passes. If you wish to purchase 6-use or 12-use passes for 404 Fitness, you may do so by visiting the Membership Office in Coles during [Membership Office Hours](#). You will also be able to purchase passes at 404 Fitness when it opens. A 6-use pass will cost \$55 and a 12-use pass will cost \$110. The rules that currently apply to Coles access will remain in effect.

### **Conclusion**

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