

## COMMUNITIES DIRECTORATE ANGUS COUNCIL SERVICES TO COMMUNITIES, LEISURE DIVISION

### PRICING POLICY FOR SPORTS FACILITIES, SWIMMING FACILITIES AND TOWN HALLS 2015-2016

The Charges are updated each year (normally for April) and indicate the level of charges for the current year.

1. All users (except those attending club and private sessions), shall be given the option of accessing the indoor sports facilities, synthetic pitches, swimming pools, town halls, countryside car parking and countryside water sports/outdoor activities by a Monthly Direct Debit (DD), as part of the Council's bACTIVE Scheme.
2. Angus Council employees will be offered a 25% discount on standard, joint and family memberships of the Council's bACTIVE Scheme.
3. Angus College employees will be offered a 25% discount on standard, joint and family memberships of the Council's bACTIVE Scheme.
4. Businesses / Organisations will be offered a 10% discount off the standard, joint and family membership charges of the Council's bACTIVE Scheme if 10 or more of their employees / members join.
5. Off-shore workers will be offered a discounted annual membership of the Council's bACTIVE Scheme based on 9 times the current monthly standard rate.
6. A joint membership option of the Council's bACTIVE Scheme will be available for any two people staying at the same address. Proof is required.
7. A family membership option of the Council's bACTIVE Scheme will be available for a maximum of two adults and any children aged 17 or under or still in secondary education staying at the same address. Proof is required.
8. bACTIVE members will be offered a 25% discount on personal training and one to one swimming lesson charges.
9. Access to the Health Suite includes a free swim when available.
10. A family swim option will be available for up to two adults and three children under the age of 17. The charge will be based on two times the current adult swim and one times the junior swim price.
11. The Angus concessionary entitlement scheme is available to Senior Citizens (60 years and over), Registered Unemployed, Full Time Students, residents in receipt of Working Tax Credit, Disabilities Tax Credit or Income Support. Subject to proof of entitlement and a 12 month fee.
12. Junior charges to apply to juveniles aged 17 years of age or under.
13. Only clubs who have registered for the Angus ACE awards will be entitled to the club charges.
14. Club rates only apply to block bookings.
15. Clubs will be charged the mixed rate when 50% or more of the participants attending the session are aged 17 or under.
16. Customers who are registered as Angus Carers will be entitled to concessionary rates.
17. Customers who are registered as Young Carers will be entitled to the same free use as bACTIVE members.
18. Customers who require assistance when using facilities may apply for an Angus Buddy Card. The Angus Buddy Scheme will allow service users that require support or help to attend and take part in physical activity sessions by allowing the buddy to attend the session at no financial cost.
19. Angus Gold card and National Entitlement Card (NEC) holders will be entitled to concessionary swims.
20. Social and Health Care Workers can apply for a **Routes to Leisure card that will give them free access when they are accompanying service users during their working hours.**
21. **Clubs using the football pitches to play regular league** matches must pay the appropriate seasonal club charge at the beginning of the season.
22. Angus athletes who are in national squads at Scottish, United Kingdom or Great British levels can enrol on the NASA scheme which will entitle them to free use of leisure facilities, relevant to their training programme
23. A fee is payable to the Performing Rights Society when live or recorded music is performed within any of the council venues. This fee is based on the type of performance/activity, the material played, and where appropriate, box office receipts. All required returns must be submitted within 30 days of the performance to the relevant office.
24. Normal charges relate to bookings within normal opening hours or between 9am - 12 midnight at town halls. Where booking extends beyond this period an additional hourly staff charge may be applied.
25. Town hall hourly charges, where appropriate, are based on a minimum charge of two hours, with the exception of sports bookings.
26. Customers will be given a 50% discount off hourly, daily and weekly lesser town hall charges, if they have also booked the main hall.
27. Sports bookings by clubs, organisations or individuals using any town hall will be charged at the appropriate area charge. Activity examples being football, badminton, boxing, bowls, martial arts, highland dancing, aerobics and keep fit.
28. In connection with town hall bookings non-commercial charges will apply to the categories listed below:-
  - Local voluntary organization meetings and events;
  - Rehearsals and performances by local music and dramatic groups (town halls);
  - Local flower, craft, bird or dog shows or similar;
  - Weddings, birthday parties or similar family events.
29. Commercial rate charges will apply to all bookings run for business, commercial or political purposes, unless otherwise authorised by the Leisure Services Manager.
30. The bar charges will apply to anyone selling non alcoholic or alcoholic drinks within town hall premises.
31. The minimum charge when booking sports facilities and synthetic pitches will be based on the following occupancies:
 

• Main halls	10
• Half main hall	5
• Full synthetic pitch (Arbroath, Station Park)	22
• Half synthetic pitch (Arbroath, Station Park)	14
• Quarter synthetic pitch (Arbroath, Station Park)	10
• Full synthetic pitch (Pitskelly, Webster's)	14
• Half synthetic pitch (Pitskelly, Webster's)	10
• Full synthetic pitch (Brechtin)	10
32. Equipment hire charges are not included in the membership scheme. Juniors RTL and bACTIVE members will be entitled to free use of hire equipment.