



# Newsletter SPR

## July 2024

Dear SPR'er

Summer has really started now, enjoying sunshine and for many of us probably more free time/holidays.

It also means that the Sports Center and other locations we use for various sports are transitioning to the summer schedule. There is a limited sports schedule offered by the ACLO during the summer – see:

<https://www.acloport.nl/en/schedules/grouplessons-and-open-hours/>

### Summer schedule - opening hours

#### Monday, July 8 through Sunday, August 11:

- Monday through Friday open from 1 p.m. to 8 p.m.
- Weekends closed

#### Monday, August 12 through Sunday, August 18:

- Monday to Friday open from 1 p.m. to 8 p.m.
- Saturday and Sunday open from 13.00 to 20.00 hours

#### Monday, August 19 through Sunday, September 1:

- Monday through Friday open from 1 p.m. to 11 p.m.
- Saturday and Sunday regular opening hours.

#### From Monday September 2:

- Regular opening hours
- New schedule

### General Membership Meeting April 17, 2024 - review

On April 17, 2 General Membership Meetings were held. This was to enable a new member to formally join the audit committee. Erik Merx was elected.

In the 2nd ALV dated April 17, the 2023 financial report was presented, discussed and approved. The audit committee gave a number of recommendations to the treasurer and advised the ALV to grant the treasurer discharge. This was done. New members for audit committee are requested, sign up at [spr@rug.nl](mailto:spr@rug.nl).

The **2024-2025 sports offer proposal** was discussed and approved by the members. Some previously expressed wishes have been realized:

- climbing has been realized in the spring,
- swimming refresher course has been stepped up,
- padel will start,
- swimming lessons have changed, was together with ACLO and that will be pulled apart again. SPR and ACLO will have their own swimming hours again.

The Sports Center will now convert the sports offerings into a schedule, also in coordination with the ACLO.

Wishes such as golf and sailing have unfortunately not yet been realized.

Herman Blom, Anne Bouwmeester and Teye Marra have been **re-elected** as members of the board, and will fill a new term.

There is still a vacancy! For information: [spr@rug.nl](mailto:spr@rug.nl)

In 2025 the **SPR will exist 75 years**, we need to celebrate that. In what way?

Wishes, ideas and application for the lustrum committee please report via [spr@rug.nl](mailto:spr@rug.nl)

A presentation **New Building Sports Center** was discussed.

Suggestion: do not call the new building Sports Center, but choose another name. See also the names of buildings RUG and Hanze.

Finally, on the recommendation of HCU, Rieks Messchendorp has been appointed **honorary member** of the SPR. This for his many years of commitment to the HCU: as secretary, also for reporting the matches (1978 - 1991), and as match commissioner from 1998 to the present. Rieks was presented with a certificate and flowers by the SPR president.



**Have a good summer,  
Board SPR**

