**Scottish Government latest**

Following the Scottish Government announcement yesterday, here is a summary of the relevant points courtesy of Sport Scotland with those which may have particular relevance to divers highlighted.

* ***15 March***
  + ***Education:*** *Return of P4-7 pupils to schools full-time. More but not all secondary pupils returning to school at least part-time. (Full details to be confirmed next week)*
  + ***Sport:*** *Non-contact outdoor group sport permitted for 12 to 17 year olds (this is already permitted for under 12s).*
  + ***Gatherings:*** *Outdoor meetings of 4 people from 2 households permitted.*
* ***5 April***
  + ***Stay at home:*** *Stay at home requirement removed.*
  + ***Education:*** *Return to full-time in person education for all remaining school pupils.*
  + ***Gatherings:*** *Outdoor meetings of 6 people from 2 households permitted.*
  + ***Economy:*** *More retail businesses being classified as essential. Click-and-collect permitted for non-essential retail.*
* ***26 April***
  + ***Strategic (Levels) Framework:****Return to a levels system, which includes regional variation based on data. Further detail will be published in mid-March.*
  + ***Level 3:*** *Initially the intention is that mainland Scotland will move to level 3. The islands currently at level 3 may drop to level 2, based on data.*
  + ***Sport:*** *The levels system will support the phased re-opening of sport. The detail of what activity will be permitted in each level will be confirmed in mid-March.*

*It is important to note that the timings are indicative and any changes will be driven by the data. It should also be noted that the dates set-out by UK Government on 22nd February do not apply to Scotland.*

You can also find information on the BSAC website here.

https://www.bsac.com/news-and-blog/what-does-scotlands-lockdown-easing-mean-for-divers/

Please bear in mind that social distancing, hand washing/ sanitising, cleaning hard surfaces rules still apply.