

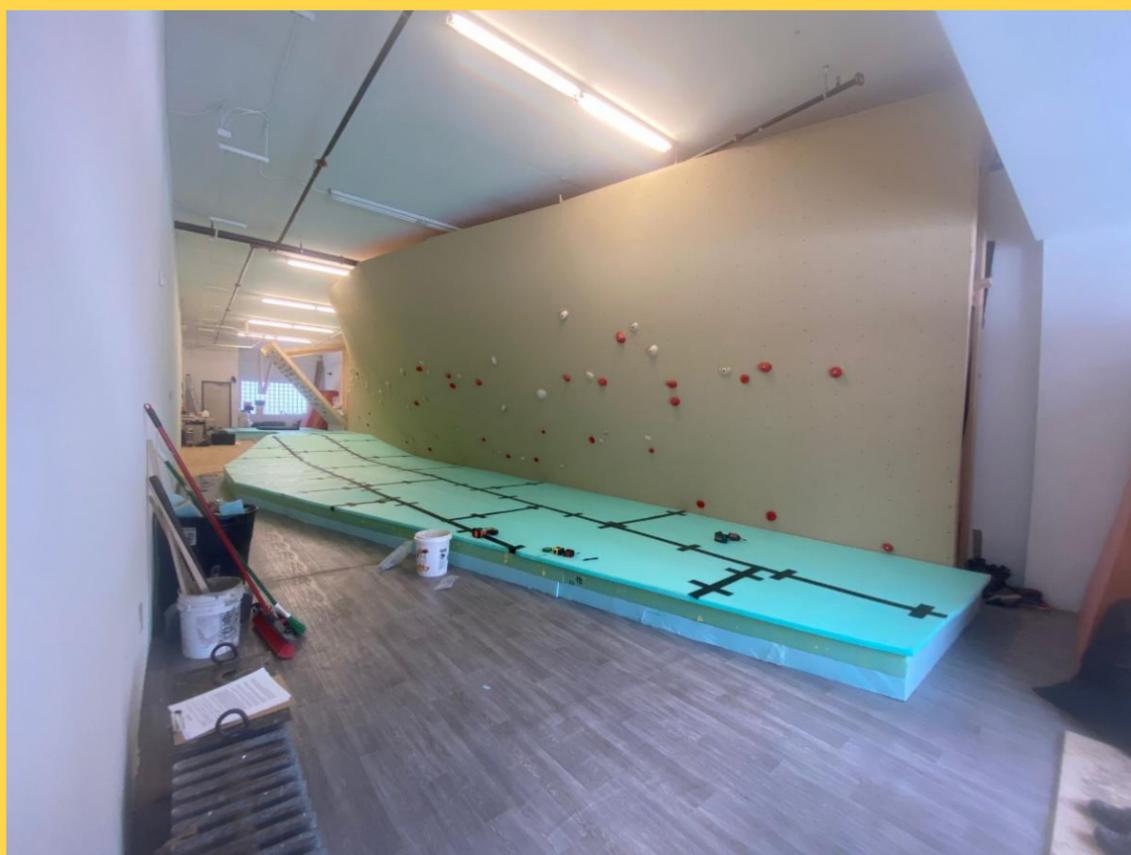


## Duluth Climbing & Fitness Co-op: Member Hang and Update

Oh hi, hey, hello! Yes, we're still here. And YES! We're very close to having this gym complete! Before we get into the juicy details of our build out, we have a meeting announcement for members.

### Current Members Meeting

We are scheduling our first 2022 Member Meeting/Hang for Thursday, February 24th. In this meeting we will give members a full update, including financials, holds, events coming down the line, and of course, our projected opening date! We are also here to listen to our members - anything you've been curious about or have wanted to discuss in-depth, this will be a great opportunity to do so. Come join us **Thursday, February 24th at 6:30pm** for a meeting and hangout in the nearly completed gym! Official meeting will start at 7pm.



### Build Out Update

In the past two months since the Access Pass Drive, here is a list of things we've accomplished!

- Finished building main wall and moon board, got holds up on the moon board
- Painted main wall beige/sandy (as voted on by members) with walnut-shell textured paint (eco-friendly texture!)
- Ordered, received, installed, and cut foam (see photo below)
- Got fresh flooring to cover floor patches
- Installed motion-sensors for the gym lights
- Ordered aquamarine fabric (as voted on by members) and hired a local professional industrial seamster to sew the mat cover
- Put some holds we had lying around up on the wall for a fun traverse!

Up Next:

- Order holds
- Get fob system in place
- Prep space for opening!

### Membership, Access, and Support

Become a member of the Duluth Climbing and Fitness Co-op today! This community is growing and we'd love to have you be a part of something new, exciting, and stoke-filled! Each membership, access pass, donation, and member loan goes directly back into the gym and ultimately enhances every users' experience. Our current focus is purchasing holds for routes that will be accessible and fun for all levels of climbers!

Would you like to become an access pass holder but are unable to purchase the pass all at

once? Send us an email and we can discuss multiple payment options. We can't wait to have you in our gym!

Looking to support us financially? Send us an email about a member loan or donation at [climb@duluthclimbingandfitness.com](mailto:climb@duluthclimbingandfitness.com)

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*The DCFC board would like to say WELCOME to those new to this newsletter, and new to the concept of Duluth Climbing & Fitness Cooperative. We are glad to have you on board! We hope you enjoy the content and get STOKED! Please pass this newsletter along and help grow our community. Thank you.*

**Mission:** Duluth Climbing and Fitness Co-op is a member owned bouldering gym. Our mission is to create an inclusive indoor climbing space that promotes health, community growth, and skill improvement. Members will be encouraged to participate in all aspects of the gym, as well as supported in creating routes, teaching courses, and starting clubs. The Co-op's fundamental goal is inclusivity.