

CITY OF NORTH BATTLEFORD

Parks & Recreation

2025 SPRING & SUMMER EDITION



North
Battleford



Spring
& Summer
2025



PARKS & RECREATION PROGRAMS

CENTRAL BOOKING

For booking information on the following venues, call 306-445-1755 or email centralbooking@cityofnb.ca

- Arenas
- Spray Parks
- Parks & Fields
- Don Ross Centre

All rentals require a minimum of 7 days cancellation notice. Short notice cancellations may be charged the full rental rate.

HOLIDAY CLOSURES

All programs and facilities will be closed on the following dates:

- Victoria Day.....May 19th
- Canada Day.....July 1st
- Saskatchewan Day.....August 4th
- Labour Day.....September 1st

3 WAYS TO REGISTER:



Aquatics:.....306-445-1745
Galleries:.....306-445-1760
Central Booking:.....306-445-1755
NationsWEST Field House:306-445-1790



Allen Sapp Gallery#1 Railway Ave East
Co-op Aquatic Centre.....#4 623 Carlton Trail
Don Ross Centre.....891 99th St Door #5
NationsWEST Field House ...#3 623 Carlton Trail
Payments accepted: cash, cheque, debit or credit cards
Please let us know if you have a credit on your account



www.cityofnb.ca/ProgramRegistration

Adult Programs

All classes are suitable for all fitness levels. Please check with your doctor if you haven't participated in an exercise program before.

Forever...

Forever In Motion – These volunteer led sessions help older adults improve and maintain their health with gentle physical activity. Register with the instructor.



Mondays, Wednesdays, & Fridays - 9:00am – 10:00am
Tuesdays & Thursdays - 10:00am - 11:00am
NationsWEST Field House



Chi Kung – Learn simple exercises and breathing techniques to manage stress and enhance your overall well-being.

Tuesdays, May 20th - June 24th - 7:00pm - 8:00pm
Don Ross Centre Door #6 Upper Mezzanine | Cost: \$60.00

Children & Youth Programs

Kids in the Kitchen – Learn how to prepare and cook nutritious meals the whole family will enjoy. Food and equipment is included. Please bring containers to take your meal home. Ages 9 - 13 years.



Wednesdays, July 9th - 23rd - 5:15pm - 6:30pm
Don Ross Centre | Cost: \$33.75

Babysitters Training – Be prepared for your babysitting jobs with this Sask Safety Council course. Ages 11 and older. Participants must bring a raw egg and lunch on Saturday.

Friday, July 11th - 5:00pm - 8:00pm
Saturday, July 12th 9:00am - 3:00pm
Don Ross Centre | Cost: \$63.00

On behalf of Council and the City of North Battleford, we acknowledge that we are on Treaty 6 Territory and the Homeland of the Métis. We pay our respect to the Indigenous and Métis ancestors of this land, including the Nehiyawak, Nakaw, Nakoda, Dakota, and Métis, and reaffirm our relationship with one another.



GALLERIES

Adult / Teen

Introduction to Acrylic Painting for Adults and Teens

Dates: Mondays - May 5th, 12th, 26th, and June 2nd
Time: 6:30pm - 8:30pm | Location: The Allen Sapp Gallery
Cost: \$130.00 plus GST per person | Age: 14 +

Painting Skyscapes

This class will focus your attention on the scenic living skies of Saskatchewan where we will explore playful colour and mark making techniques.

Date: Thursday, May 29th | Time: 6:00pm - 8:00pm
Location: The Allen Sapp Gallery
Cost: \$30.00 plus GST per person | Age: 13 +

Urban Sketching

Like Plein Air landscape painting, urban sketching is fun! Observe some of downtown North Battleford's buildings and find the beauty in everyday life.

Date: Wednesday, July 23rd | Time: 10:00am - 2:00pm
Location: The Allen Sapp Gallery
Cost: FREE! Please bring your preferred art medium.
We will have some drawing supplies available. | Age: 13 +

Watercolour (Heat) Wave

Enjoy a watercolour paint night that captures the warmth of a hot Saskatchewan day!

Date: Tuesday, July 29th | Time: 6:30pm - 8:00pm
Location: The Don Ross Centre Craft Room
Cost: \$25.00 plus GST per person | Age: 14 +

Youth

Painting Skyscapes

This class will focus your attention on the scenic living skies of Saskatchewan where we will explore playful colour and mark making techniques.

Date: Wednesday, May 14th | Time: 6:00pm - 8:00pm
Location: The Allen Sapp Gallery
Cost: \$20.00 per person | Age: 8-12

Expressive and Experimental Drawing For Youth – 2 Day Program

Get creative using drawing techniques to capture images of your favourite things. Explore different drawing mediums and learn what you can do with them.

Dates: Thursday, July 24th & Friday, July 25th
Time: 1:00pm - 3:00pm
Location: The Don Ross Centre Craft Room
Cost: \$50.00 for both sessions. | Age: 8 +

Art is Messy! Spectacular Sculptures

Get messy in this 2-part class. First, we will spend an afternoon learning the art of paper mâché, creating forms and messy sculptures. The next afternoon will be spent exploring colour and adding vibrancy to our sculptural masterpieces!

Dates: Wednesday, August 13th & Thursday, August 14th
Time: 1:00pm - 3:30pm
Location: The Don Ross Centre Craft Room
Cost: \$40.00 for both sessions. | Age: 8-12

**For more information or to register
please call 306-445-1760 or
email galleriesofnb@cityofnb.ca
or register online at
www.cityofnb.ca/ProgramRegistration.**

PROGRAMS WITH LOW REGISTRATION NUMBERS MAY BE CANCELLED
PRIOR TO THE START DATE AS ALL CLASSES MUST MEET
MINIMUM ENROLLMENT NUMBERS TO RUN AS ADVERTISED.

PROGRAM REFUND POLICY:

- A REFUND REQUEST THAT IS RECEIVED TEN (10) DAYS PRIOR TO THE START OF A COURSE WILL RECEIVE A 100% REFUND.
- A REFUND REQUEST RECEIVED WITHIN 10 DAYS AFTER THE START OF THE COURSE WILL RECEIVE A PRO-RATED REFUND WITH A \$10 ADMINISTRATION FEE.
- A PRO-RATED REFUND WITH NO ADMINISTRATION FEE WILL BE ISSUED UNDER THE FOLLOWING CIRCUMSTANCES:
 - MEDICAL REASONS (MEDICAL CERTIFICATE WILL BE REQUIRED).
 - PROGRAM CLASS CANCELLATIONS, WHERE CLASSES CANNOT BE MADE UP.
 - 100% REFUND OR CREDIT WILL BE ISSUED IF THE PROGRAM IS CANCELLED BY THE PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.
 - REFUNDS OR CREDITS WILL NOT BE ISSUED FOR CLASSES NOT ATTENDED.



GALLERIES

Half Day Art Camp

Drop off/Pick Up available 30 minutes before and after program.

Botanical Illustration for Youth Half Day Art Camp

Youth will have the opportunity to try various drawing and watercolour materials to capture the essence of plant life and the landscape.

Date: Tuesday, July 8th | Time: 1:00pm - 5:00pm

Location: Finlayson Island

Cost: \$25.00 Includes materials and a snack | Age: 8-12

Pop Art For Youth Half Day Art Camp

Youth will learn some art history and immerse themselves in the world of Pop Art where we will explore portraiture, collage, and comic-strips through the lens of bright colour and pattern!

Date: Monday, July 28th | Time: 1:00pm - 5:00pm

Location: The Don Ross Centre Craft Room

Cost: \$25.00 Includes materials and a snack | Age: 8-12

Rock Mosaics Half Day Art Camp: Get out into nature and gather inspiration and supplies on a nature walk. Turn your found items into a mini-mosaic!

Date: Thursday, July 31st | Time: 9:00am - 12:00pm

Location: The River Valley Centre

Cost: \$25.00 Includes materials and a snack | Age: 8 +

Plein Air for Youth Half Day Art Camp: Enjoy time painting and being creative outdoors, making your own plein air sketchbook, and learn how to use pastels and watercolour.

Date: Tuesday, August 5th | Time: 1:00pm - 5:00pm

Location: The River Valley Centre

Cost: \$25.00 Includes materials and a snack | Age: 8 +

Back To School Half Day Art Camp

Prepare for the upcoming school year in style! Youth will make their own keychains or pins for book bags, design their own custom pencil pouch, create a bookmark, and collage a binder!

Date: Wednesday, August 20th | Time: 1:00pm - 5:00pm

Location: The Don Ross Centre Craft Room

Cost: \$25.00 Includes materials and a snack | Age: 8-14

Man's Best Friend Half Day Art Camp

Enjoy art activities themed to man's best friend, where we will create portraits of dogs in different styles and mediums! From line and pattern with ink, to vibrant watercolours, to miniature sculptures.

Date: Monday, August 25th | Time: 1:00pm - 5:00pm

Location: The Don Ross Centre Craft Room

Cost: \$30.00 Includes materials and a snack | Age: 8-14

Information coming soon on River Valley Programming. To learn more about our programs and additional family activities visit the City of North Battleford Community Calendar at www.cityofnb.ca or www.chapelgallery.ca or find us under North Battleford Galleries on Facebook. Call us at 306-445-1760

BATTLEFORDS CO-OP AQUATIC CENTRE

Beginning May 5th

	SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
PUBLIC SWIM	1:00PM-8:00PM	6:30AM-9:00PM	9:00AM-4:00PM 7:00PM-9:00PM	6:30AM-4:00PM 7:00PM-9:00PM	9:00AM-9:00PM	6:30AM-9:00PM	1:00PM-8:00PM
Swim Lessons & Rentals (Hot Tub & Steam room open to public)			4:00PM-7:00PM Hot Tub & Steam Room open to public.	4:00PM-7:00PM Hot Tub & Steam Room open to public.			
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Subject to change based on bookings

*** Swim Lessons end on June 11th, there will be no closures for lessons the last two weeks of June.**

Summer Hours (July & August)

	SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
PUBLIC SWIM	1:00PM-8:00PM	6:30AM-4:30PM & 6:30PM-9:00PM	9:00AM-4:30PM & 6:30PM-9:00PM	6:30AM-4:30PM & 6:30PM-9:00PM	9:00AM-4:30PM & 6:30PM-9:00PM	6:30AM-4:30PM & 6:30PM-9:00PM	1:00PM-8:00PM
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*** July 2nd - August 25th - Weekday Features 2:00pm - 4:00pm & 7:00pm - 8:30pm
No Swim Lessons / Closures August 5th - 9th**



BATTLEFORDS CO-OP AQUATIC CENTRE

Lifesaving Society Leadership Courses: Dive into the world of water safety excellence with the Lifesaving Society's Leadership programs! These advanced aquatic training courses are designed for those seeking to enhance their lifesaving skills and take on a leadership role in water safety. Throughout the program, participants will master rescue techniques, improve endurance, and develop a deeper understanding of water-related emergencies. From water entries and carries to spinal injury management, these courses are a comprehensive journey into advanced water rescue skills.

Bronze Medallion: July 7th - 9th - 8:30am - 5:30pm

Bronze Cross: July 14th - 17th - 8:30am - 5:30pm

Swim for Life Instructor: July 28th - 31st 8:30am - 5:30pm

Lifesaving Instructor Course & Swim for Life combo course: May 20th - 23rd, 27th - 29th, June 3rd - 5th - 5:00pm - 9:00pm

National Lifeguard: August 5th - 10th 8:30am - 5:30pm

Lifesaving Instructor Course: July 3rd & 4th 5:00pm - 9:00pm and July 5th & 6th 8:00am - 5:00pm

Spring Aqua Adventures: Looking for a fun way to keep your kids active this spring? Spring Aqua Adventures is a staff-led, supervised program for kids ages 5-10, featuring exciting water games and activities that build confidence and keep kids moving. Some sessions will also include games or a craft after swimming for even more fun! Parents — drop your kids off and take time to run errands or fit in a workout next door at the Field House.

Dates: June 1st, 8th, 22nd | Time: 10:00am - 12:00pm

Location: Drop off and pick up at the Battlefords Co-op Aquatic Centre | Cost: \$10

Summer Aqua Adventures: Make a splash this summer with Aqua Adventures — a fun-filled, staff-led program designed for kids ages 5-10! Participants will enjoy an afternoon of supervised water games and activities, building confidence and having fun in the pool. From relay races to creative water challenges, there's something for everyone!

Dates: July 13th, 20th, 27th, & August 10th

Time: 1:00pm - 3:00pm

Location: Drop off and pick up at the Battlefords Co-op Aquatic Centre | Cost: \$10

Summer Swimming Lessons: Our Lifesaving Society Swim for Life lessons in the summer are a fast-paced, two-week set of daily classes designed to build water confidence, stroke development skills, and essential lifesaving techniques. Taught by certified instructors, these lessons are perfect for kids and youth who thrive in a focused, condensed format. Summer lessons run Monday to Friday — a great way to boost swimming skills and water safety all at once!

Set 1: July 7th - 18th

Set 2: July 21st - August 1st

Set 3: August 11th - 22nd

Classes viewable at cityofnb.ca > Parks, recreation & culture
Registration opens: June 23rd

Swim & Splash Day Camp: The Swim N' Splash Camp provides campers with the opportunity to engage in water activities that enhance movement skills, teamwork, and sportsmanship. A daily 60-minute lesson is included, allowing swimmers to improve aquatic skills, strokes, safety, and fitness. After the lesson, participants will engage in instructor-led games and other fun activities. There will be planned activities at the NationsWEST Field House as well when not at the pool. The camp will emphasize fair and safe play, while promoting water safety. Campers will be placed into their respective Swim for Life levels based on their most recently completed swimming level.

Dates: August 5th - 8th | Time: 8:30am - 5:30pm

Location: Drop off and pick up at the NationsWEST Field House | Cost: \$200 | Ages: 8-12

The Aquatic Centre will be closed from August 25th - September 7th for annual maintenance. Reopening on Monday September 8th.

Annual Diving Clinic & Water Polo Clinic for Youth 8+

We look forward to hosting Water Polo Saskatchewan and Dive SK this summer and are excited to offer youth clinics from both of these provincial sport associations!

To be added to the interest list for these clinics, please email aquatics@cityofnb.ca.



NATIONSWEST FIELD HOUSE

Drop-in Schedule Hours of Operation

Monday-Friday 6:30am-9:00pm Saturday-Sunday 9:00am-9:00pm

LOCATION	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
COURTS	9:00AM – 12:00PM Pickleball	9:00AM – 12:00PM Pickleball	9:00AM – 12:00PM Pickleball	9:00AM – 12:00PM Pickleball	9:00AM – 12:00PM Pickleball
	1:00PM – 3:00PM Pickleball	1:00PM – 3:00PM Pickleball & Badminton	1:00PM – 3:00PM Pickleball & Badminton	1:00PM – 3:00PM Pickleball	
	3:30PM – 5:00PM Basketball	3:30PM – 5:00PM Volleyball & Basketball	3:30PM – 5:00PM Badminton & Basketball	3:30PM – 5:00PM Volleyball & Basketball	3:30PM – 5:00PM Badminton & Basketball
TODDLER TURF		10:30AM – 1:30PM	10:30AM – 1:30PM	10:30AM – 1:30PM	

Times and / or activities are subject to change without notice.

Father's Day Promo – Dads Get Half-Price Admission!

Celebrate Dad this Father's Day with some family fun at the Battlefords Co-op Aquatic Centre and NationsWEST Field House! Dads receive 50% OFF when purchasing a family admission — whether it's swimming, sliding, or hitting the turf for a game, it's a great way to spend quality time together! No registration required — just show up and celebrate Dad!

Date: June 15th

Locations: Battlefords Co-op Aquatic Centre
& NationsWEST Field House

Kids Night Out: Parents, it's time to treat yourselves to a well-deserved break! Send the kids to the Innovationplex for Kids Night Out. Led by our Summer Day Camp Staff the program is designed for youngsters aged 8-13. It's an evening of supervised pool time, exciting games, and a delicious pizza dinner. Rest easy knowing our lifeguards are on duty, ensuring a safe and enjoyable experience for the kids. Our dedicated staff will keep a watchful eye both in and out of the water guaranteeing a night filled with laughter and fun.

Dates: May 23rd, June 6th, 13th, July 18th, 25th, August 15th, & 22nd
Time: 5:00pm - 9:00pm

Location: Drop off and pick up at the NationsWEST Field House
Cost: \$15

Summer Day Camps: Our Summer Day Camp is packed with exciting activities to keep kids active, engaged, and having fun all day long! Designed for children ages 6-11, campers will enjoy a mix of high-energy play at the Field House and Aquatic Centre, along with creative activities like arts and crafts, games, and more. Lunch and a snack are provided daily — please inform staff of any dietary allergies when registering.

Dates:

July 2nd - 4th - Crafty Camp (3 day camp*)

July 7th - 11th - Sherlock's School

July 14th - 18th - Time Travelers

July 21st - 25th - Science Quest

July 28th - Aug 1st - Folktales and Fables

Ages 6 - 11 | Cost: \$178.50 (5-Day Camps) & \$107.10 (3-Day Camp)

Sunny Sprouts Summer Daycamp: Back for the second year this summer we will be offering a half-day day camp for pre-school aged children (ages 3-6) at the NationsWEST Fieldhouse. Our camp provides a safe and stimulating environment where children can explore, learn, and have fun.

Date: August 11th - 15th | Time: Group A: 8:30am - 11:30am
Group B: 1:00pm - 4:00pm Cost: \$62.50 for the week

Save the Date! September Sale — Calendar Memberships Only

Aquatic Centre & Field House | September 8th - 12th

Last Sale of the Year

Next sale won't be until March 2026 — don't miss out!



Outdoor Spaces

Spray Parks

Kinsmen Park - 1701 94th Street
 Centennial Park - 2001 106th Street
 Senator Herb Sparrow Park - 13th Ave and 104th Street
 Open Daily: 10:00 am - 8:00 pm
 June - September
 Weather permitting

Parks are unsupervised and children must be with an adult

Playgrounds

Centennial Park - 18th Ave. and 104th Street
 Kinsmen Park - 18th Ave., between 92nd St. and 96th St.
 Holy Family Park - 19th Ave., between 95th St. and Walker Dr.
 Fairview Park - Fairview Heights - 202 Clements Dr.
 College Heights Park - at St. Laurent Dr. and Thompson Cres.
 Confederation Park - between Gardiner Dr. and Clark Dr.
 Senator Herb Sparrow Park - 13th Ave. and 104th Street
 Killdeer Park - Killdeer Dr.
 Riverview Park - 95th St. and 7th Ave.

North Shore Trail – Accessible from Poundmaker Trail this 5.5 km loop runs along the North Shore of the North Saskatchewan River. The trail is in a wooded area and is enjoyed by all levels of hikers and cyclists.

Dog Park

Paws Off Leash Dog Park - Airport Road

For more information on outdoor recreation spaces visit
cityofnfb.ca > Parks, Recreation & Culture

Centennial Park – This beautiful 90 acre park in the centre of the City located at 18th Avenue and 104th Street includes something for everyone:

- Ball Diamonds - Suitable for baseball, softball and slow pitch
- Natural Play Space and Playground Equipment
- Spray Park
- Disc Golf Course
- 400 Metre Track
- Adult Fitness Equipment
- Horseshoe Pits and Lawn Bowling
- Tennis/Pickleball Courts
- North Battleford Rotary Skate Park
- Access Communications Centre Arena
- Centennial Park Clubhouse
- Walking Trails

Finlayson Island – Located on the old Battleford highway. The looped trails are well protected from wind through wooded areas, providing excellent hiking conditions.

David Laird Municipal Campground

This campground is 2km east of the Western Development Museum between Highway 16 and 40. The campground has 41 full-service sites and 20 non-serviced sites. Many of the sites are “pull-through” sites that can accommodate large trailers and RVs. Amenities include 2 showers/washroom facilities, a trailer disposal dump, playground, outdoor barbeques, firewood access and a trout pond. To book your site, go to www.bookyoursite.com and type in David Laird Campground. For more information call 306-446-7177

CELEBRATE CANADA DAY

July 1st, 2025

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Watch for more information on family activities and events. Fireworks from King Hill at 10:45pm

Canadian Heritage

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InnovationPlex Annual Outdoor Drive-In Movie

Join us on September 5th for a fun-filled evening at the Annual Drive-In Movie! Mark your calendars - more details coming soon!

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