

CITY OF NORTH BATTLEFORD

# Parks & Recreation

2023 SPRING / SUMMER EDITION



North  
Battleford







# PARKS & RECREATION

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## 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 22<sup>nd</sup>
- Canada Day..... July 1<sup>st</sup>
- Saskatchewan Day..... August 7<sup>th</sup>
- Labour Day.....September 4<sup>th</sup>

## 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



- Visit [www.cityofnb.ca](http://www.cityofnb.ca) > Parks, Recreation & Culture
- Register or browse City of North Battleford Recreation programs
- Create a new account

### 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.



# PARKS & RECREATION PROGRAMS

## 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 In Motion** – These volunteer led sessions help older adults improve and maintain their health with gentle physical activity.

Mondays, Wednesdays, & Fridays - 9:00am – 10:00am

Tuesdays & Thursdays - 10:00am - 11:00am

NationsWEST Field House



**FREE**

## Children & Youth Programs

**Babysitters Training** – Be prepared and ready for your babysitting jobs with this Sk Safety Council course. Basic first aid, injury prevention and guidelines to becoming a responsible babysitter are included. Available for youth 11 years and older, manual is included.

Saturday, May 27<sup>th</sup> - 9:00am – 3:00pm

Sunday, May 28<sup>th</sup> - 9:00am – 12:00pm

Don Ross Centre | Cost: \$62.00

**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 pack up your meal to take home. Ages 9 - 13 years.

Tuesdays, May 9<sup>th</sup> – 30<sup>th</sup> - 4:30pm – 6:00pm

Don Ross Centre | Cost: \$44.00

## Disc Golf



Sets are available to borrow from

NationsWEST Field House.

\$20 deposit will be refunded when the discs are returned.

Disc Golf course is located in Centennial Park (1902 - 104th St.)

## CELEBRATE CANADA DAY

July 1<sup>st</sup>, 2023

Watch for more information on afternoon activities, and events.

Fireworks from King Hill at approximately 9:45pm.



Canadian Heritage

Patrimoine canadien



North Battleford



Save the date: Friday, September 8, 2023  
Send-off to Summer Drive-in Movie  
Interested in bringing your food truck?  
Call 306-445-1754 to reserve your spot

**REGISTER ONLINE: [cityofnb.ca](http://cityofnb.ca)**

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.





# GALLERIES

*Untitled – Watercolour on Yupo – Chris Hodge – Waterworks*

## CHAPEL GALLERY

### The Hazee Youth Art Competition

April 27<sup>th</sup> – May 14<sup>th</sup>, 2023 & Awards Night April 27<sup>th</sup>

**Allegories – Gordon Bland** - May 20<sup>th</sup> – June 25<sup>th</sup>

**Passages – Paula Cooley and Louisa Ferguson**

July 7<sup>th</sup> – August 7<sup>th</sup>

**Samskara – Diana Chabros**

August 12<sup>th</sup> – September 17<sup>th</sup>

**Waterworks – Chris Hodge and Joanne Rivers Wing**

April 1<sup>st</sup> – May 28<sup>th</sup>

**Portal of Understanding** - June 1<sup>st</sup> – July 16<sup>th</sup>

**Gallery Member Exhibition** - July 21<sup>st</sup> – September 3<sup>rd</sup>

Watch for upcoming Exhibition Receptions and additional programming on our facebook page or in the News Optimist!

## Youth Programming

**Watercolour Painting for Youth** - May 3<sup>th</sup>, 10<sup>th</sup>, 17<sup>th</sup>, & 24<sup>th</sup>  
6:00pm – 7:30pm

**Time for You and Me – Parent/Youth Art Program, Watercolour Painting and Collage**

Tuesdays, May 9<sup>th</sup> & 16<sup>th</sup> 6:00pm – 8:00pm

(Ages 7+) Learn the basic skills and tools for drawing from life or to improve your abilities. There will be different exercises each day.

### Learn to Draw for Youth

- Session One: Wednesday, July 26<sup>th</sup> and  
Thursday, July 27<sup>th</sup> 1:30pm – 3:30pm  
Cost: \$65.00 / Session for both days

- Session Two: Wednesday, August 16<sup>th</sup> and  
Thursday, August 17<sup>th</sup> 1:30pm – 3:30pm  
Cost: \$65.00 / Session for both days.

**Fireflies Painting Party** - A Fun Night where participants complete a painting featuring fireflies that they will be proud to hang on their wall. | Age 8+

Thursday, July 20<sup>th</sup> 6:00pm - 8:00pm | Cost: \$35.00

**Sewing Clothing for Youth** - Tuesday, August 1<sup>st</sup> and  
Wednesday, August 2<sup>nd</sup> 6:00pm – 7:30pm | Ages 9+  
Expand on your sewing knowledge by learning how to read a pattern and sew a circle skirt. | Cost: \$50.00

## Half Day Art Camps

**Outdoor Painting Camp (Plein Air for Youth)** – Spend the morning soaking up the sun as we learn how to paint nature while outside. | Age 7+

Wednesday, July 12<sup>th</sup> 9:00am – 12:00pm | Cost: \$30.00

**Art is Messy** – Half Day Art Camp | Ages 7-12

Tuesday, July 18<sup>th</sup> 1:00pm – 5:00pm | Cost: \$40.00

**Sewing Camp** – Learn what the different symbols on the Sewing machine mean. Learn how to thread a machine along with safe sewing practices, while making two projects. Ages 8+ | Tuesday, July 25<sup>th</sup> 1:00pm – 5:00pm | Cost: \$40.00

**Printmaking Camp** – Come spend a morning learning about printmaking from block printing to sun printing. Participants will try different types of printing to make cards and printed bags. | Ages 8+  
Wednesday, August 9<sup>th</sup> 9:00am – 12:00pm | Cost: \$30.00

**Summertime Art Camp** – Spend the afternoon in nature as we take inspiration from our surroundings to create art, have fun, and learn. Age 7+  
Tuesday, August 18<sup>th</sup> 1:00pm - 5:00pm | Cost: \$40.00

**Exploring Paint Camp – Let's paint!** Youth will explore watercolour and acrylic painting, while learning the different techniques and tools to create their own masterpieces. Ages 7+ | Tuesday, August 22<sup>nd</sup> 1:00pm to 5:00pm  
Cost: \$40.00

## Upcoming Summer Programs. Watch for more announcements.

### For Adults

- Plein Air Painting
- Star Gazing – Presentation and Telescope
- Healing Garden Tour
- Impressions of the River Valley – Clay Tiles
- Samskara
  - Interconnectedness between Man & Nature Tour and Hike
- Celebration Banners
- Personal Palette Play

### For Kids

- Making Clay Faces
- Galaxy Art Program

### RIVER VALLEY PROGRAMMING:

Tues., July 18<sup>th</sup> | Wed., July 19<sup>th</sup> | Thurs., August 3<sup>rd</sup>

Thurs., August 10<sup>th</sup> 1pm - 4pm | Wed., August 23<sup>rd</sup> 1pm - 4pm

For more details: call 306-445-1760 or 306-445-1790 | Check out the City of North Battleford on Facebook or cityofnbc.ca



# BATTLEFORDS CO-OP AQUATIC CENTRE

## HOW TO BECOME A LIFEGUARD OR SWIM INSTRUCTOR

**BRONZE STAR COURSE**  
RECOMMENDED

**BRONZE MEDALLION COURSE**

MUST HAVE COMPLETED BRONZE STAR COURSE OR BE MINIMUM OF 13 YEARS OLD



**BRONZE CROSS COURSE**

MUST HAVE COMPLETED BRONZE MEDALLION COURSE



**INSTRUCTOR STREAM**

**LIFEGUARD STREAM**

**"SWIM FOR LIFE"  
INSTRUCTOR COURSE**

MUST BE 15 YEARS OLD

**STANDARD FIRST AID/  
CPR 'C' & AED COURSE**

- **Bronze Medallion**  
July 4<sup>th</sup> - 6<sup>th</sup>

- **Bronze Cross**  
July 11<sup>th</sup> - 13<sup>th</sup>

- **Swim Instructor Course**  
July 25<sup>th</sup> - 28<sup>th</sup>

**NATIONAL LIFEGUARD**

MUST HAVE COMPLETED BRONZE CROSS COURSE  
& STANDARD FIRST AID/CPR 'C' & AED COURSE.  
MUST BE 15 YEARS OLD ON 1ST DAY OF CLASS.

**FOR MORE INFORMATION, CONTACT THE  
AQUATIC CENTRE AT 306-445-1745.**



BATTLEFORDS CO-OP  
AQUATIC CENTRE

## Birthday Party Packages

3PM & 5PM ON  
WEEKENDS AND 5:30PM  
IN JULY/AUGUST ON  
WEDNESDAYS  
8THURSDAYS

INCLUDES 1 HOUR IN  
THE MULTIPURPOSE  
ROOM/EATING AREA  
AND ADMISSION FOR UP  
TO 24 PEOPLE AT THE  
BATTLEFORDS CO-OP  
AQUATIC CENTRE

WITH FOOD \$325

WITHOUT FOOD \$225

Children under the age of 8 are required to be accompanied by an adult at all times.

### CHILD SUPERVISION

Less than 8 years old

1 adult for every 3 children  
(must be within arms reach)

8 years and up

**Children must have a chaperone or guardian for the duration of the party**

Pool parties include spontaneous use of the aquatics area and does not include a private area for the pool portion of the party.

Please be aware that pool area closures do happen occasionally; we will provide notice whenever possible.

Please bring your own locks for lockers.

Birthday packages must be booked with a minimum of 10 days' notice, full payment is required at time of booking and can be made by credit card, debit, cash or cheque.



## ADD FOOD TO ANY BIRTHDAY PACKAGE \$100



1/4 slab cake  
vanilla or chocolate



Choice of 3 Large Pizzas

Cheese

Pepperoni

Hawaiian



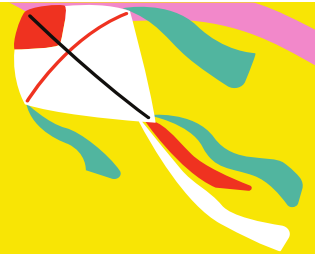
24 juice boxes

# KIDS SUMMER DAY CAMPS

JULY & AUGUST  
MONDAY TO FRIDAY 9AM-5PM

Drop off/pick up at the  
NationsWEST Fieldhouse  
Lunch & snack provided daily  
Early/late drop off available

WATCH FOR MORE INFO IN  
LATE MAY







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## 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 & 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.

## BATTLEFORDS CO-OP AQUATIC CENTRE Hours & Features

### Beginning Monday, May 1<sup>st</sup>

- Mondays, Wednesdays & Fridays: 6:30am - 9:00pm
- Tuesdays & Thursdays: 9:00am - 9:00pm
- Saturdays - Sundays: 12:00pm - 9:00pm

#### Early Bird Swim:

- Mondays, Wednesdays & Fridays: 6:30am

#### Water Slides:

- Mondays - Fridays: 5:30pm - 8:30pm
- Saturdays - Sundays: 2:30pm - 8:30pm

#### Spray Features & Waves:

- Mondays, Tuesdays & Fridays: 5:30pm - 8:30pm
- Saturdays - Sundays: 2:30pm - 8:30pm

### Summer Swimming Lessons

- 10 Lessons - Every morning Mondays through Fridays for two weeks:
  - July 10<sup>th</sup> - 21<sup>st</sup>
  - July 24<sup>th</sup> - August 4<sup>th</sup>
  - August 14<sup>th</sup> - 25<sup>th</sup>

	If your child is 6 years of age or older and can:	Has Completed Red Cross Swim:	Then register in Lifesaving Society:
Swimmer	Is 6 to 12 years with no previous lesson experience	n/a	Swimmer 1
	Is 6 to 12 years old with some lesson experience	Swim Kids 1, Sea Otter, Salamander, or Sunfish	Swimmer 1
	<input type="checkbox"/> Jump into chest-deep water unassisted and into deep-water wearing a PFD <input type="checkbox"/> Open eyes, hold breath, and exhale underwater	Swim Kids 2 or Crocodile	Swimmer 2
	<input type="checkbox"/> Jump into deep water and do a sideways entry wearing a lifejacket <input type="checkbox"/> Support self at the surface for 15 sec	Swim Kids 3 or Whale	Swimmer 3
	<input type="checkbox"/> Tread for 30 sec <input type="checkbox"/> Do kneeling dives and <input type="checkbox"/> Front somersaults	Swim Kids 4 or Swim Kids 5	Swimmer 4
	<input type="checkbox"/> Complete the Swim to Survive Standard: <input type="checkbox"/> Roll - Tread (1 min.) - Swim (50 m) <input type="checkbox"/> Dive <input type="checkbox"/> Swim underwater	Swim Kids 6	Swimmer 5
	<input type="checkbox"/> Do shallow dives and cannonballs <input type="checkbox"/> Eggbeater and scissor kick <input type="checkbox"/> Swim 50 m front and back crawl	Swim Kids 7	Swimmer 6
	<input type="checkbox"/> Do stride entries and compact jumps <input type="checkbox"/> Legs only surface support for 45 seconds <input type="checkbox"/> Sprint 25 m breaststroke;	Swim Kids 8	Rookie Patrol
		Swim Kids 9	Ranger Patrol
		Swim Kids 10	Star Patrol



## Outdoor Spaces

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

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

The Park includes:

- 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 Club House
- Walking Trails

### Spray Parks

Kinsmen Park - 1701 94<sup>th</sup> Street

Centennial Park - 2001 106<sup>th</sup> Street

Senator Herb Sparrow - 13<sup>th</sup> Ave and 104<sup>th</sup> Street

Open Daily: 10:00 am – 8:00 pm

June – September

Weather permitting

Parks are unsupervised and children must be with an adult

**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.

### 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](http://www.bookyoursite.com) and type in David Laird Campground. For more information call 306-446-7177

### Playgrounds

Centennial Park - 18<sup>th</sup> Ave. and 104<sup>th</sup> Street

Kinsmen Park - 18<sup>th</sup> Ave., between 92<sup>nd</sup> St. and 96<sup>th</sup> St.

Holy Family Park - 19<sup>th</sup> Ave., between 95<sup>th</sup> 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 - 13<sup>th</sup> Ave. and 104<sup>th</sup> Street

Kildeer Park - Kildeer Dr.

Riverview Park - 95<sup>th</sup> St. and 7<sup>th</sup> Ave.

### Dog Park

Paws Off Leash Dog Park - Airport Road

**For more information on outdoor recreation spaces visit [cityofnfb.ca](http://cityofnfb.ca) > Parks, Recreation & Culture**



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