



Water Parks Open for Summer 2010

For Immediate Release

June 2, 2010- The City of Nanaimo is pleased to announce the annual opening of the City's water parks this Friday, June 4th 2010.

The four City spray parks are very popular during the hot summer months. The following neighbourhood parks each have water features available: Centennial Park in Departure Bay; Harewood Mining Community Park on Howard Avenue; Deverill Square Park on Irwin Street; and Mansfield Park at Blythe Street and St. Andrew's Street in central Nanaimo. Water features are available for play between 9:00am to 8:00pm daily until September 13th, 2010 with the exception of the Harewood Mining Community Park. The water features at Harewood Mining Community Park will only be available from 3pm – 8pm between June 1st and June 18th, but will extend to 9am – 8pm starting on June 19th.

To activate water features, park visitors will need to press the push button timers. Parents are strongly encouraged to supervise their children and keep in mind that washrooms and change rooms are not available at all locations. If park visitors notice anything of concern, they are asked to please contact the Parks Department at 250 755 7515.

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