



Summer

Events



CANADA DAY

Tuesday, July 1, 11 am-3:30 pm

Maffeo Sutton Park

CONCERTS in the PARK

Bring a chair or a blanket and enjoy local talent against the backdrop of our beautiful park spaces. See our website in April for performer bios and music genre.

• Sun, May 11, 1-2 pm at Colliery Dam Park

• Fri, May 30, 6-7 pm at Bowen Park Amphitheatre

• Wed, Jun 11, 6-7 pm at Kin Park at Departure Bay

• Fri, Jun 27, 6-8:15 pm at Maffeo Sutton Park *(double feature)*

• Wed, Jul 9, 6-7 pm at Mansfield Park

• Fri, Jul 18, 6-7 pm at Deverill Square Park

• Wed, Jul 30, 6-7 pm at Harewood Centennial

• Wed, Aug 6, 6-7 pm at Bowen Amphitheatre

• Tue, August 12, 6-7 pm at McGregor Park

• Fri, Aug 22, 6-8:15 pm at Maffeo Sutton Park *(double feature)*

• Wed, August 27, 6-7 pm at Westwood Lake Park

WATER PARKS

May-September, 9 am-8 pm

• Departure Bay Kiwanis Park • Deverill Square Park

• Harewood Centennial Park • Mansfield Park

WESTWOOD LAKE

LIFEGUARDS

June 28-September 1, 12-5:30 pm

(including stat holidays; weather permitting)

PLAYGROUND PROGRAM

July 2-August 29

Join us for some neighborhood fun! Play games, make crafts, or run around and play a sport with our exciting playground leaders. This is a FREE program for all to enjoy between the ages of 5-12 years old. *(Please sign in with leader and dress for the weather. Remember your sunscreen, snacks, water.)*

Monday to Friday, 9:30 am-4 pm (not open on stat holidays)

• DEPARTURE BAY PARK

Roving Playground, 10 am-4 pm

Look for our banner and our enthusiastic leaders wearing their orange shirts.

• Jul 2-4, Neck Point Park

• Jul 7-11, Westwood Lake Park

• Jul 14-15, Hawthorne Park *(620 Serum Rise Way)*

• Jul 16-18, Colliery Dam Park

• Jul 21-25, Pipers Lagoon Park

• Jul 28-29, Forest Drive Gyro Park *(2035 Forest Dr)*

• Jul 30-Aug 1, Harewood Centennial *(10 am-4 pm; July 30, 1-8 pm)*

• Aug 5-8, Westwood Lake Park

• Aug 11-15, Groveland Gyro Park

• Aug 18-22, Maffeo Sutton Park *(10 am-4 pm; Aug 22, 1-8 pm)*

• Aug 25-27, Country Hills *(1899 White Blossom Way)*

• Aug 28-29, Mansfield Park *(10 am-4 pm)*

FAMILY FUN NIGHTS, 4:30-7:30 PM

• Wed, Jul 30 - HAREWOOD CENTENNIAL

• Fri, Aug 22 - MAFFEO SUTTON PARK



SUMMER CAMPS

Design Your Own Summer Schedule!

These camps listed below take place Monday to Friday from 8:30 am to 5 pm.

Pick the days and locations that best meet your family's needs!

- Camp Wild • Camp Holiday • Bowen Explorers • Girls Get Active • RecHockey
- Cool Kids Skate • Smash & Splash • Centennial Sports Camp

Our camps are filled with fun and adventure each day! Our camp leaders will ensure your child's day camp experience is a memorable one. Each day is comprised of various activities, including lots of games, sports, arts, crafts, drama, storytelling and outdoor exploring. Out trips, special guests, gym time and special theme days may also be part of the camp experience. We select our camp leaders for their maturity, skills and experience with children. In addition to planning and supervising our camps, these staff members receive training in leadership, safety and emergency procedures. They are also certified in both first aid and CPR. Our LIT and QUEST youth volunteers assist leaders with program activities.

Camper Drop Off & Pick Up

- Please allow extra time to sign in on the first day of each camp and bring completed medical forms to each camp.
- Parents/guardians or authorized persons **must** sign their child(ren) in and out daily (mandatory); no drop off prior to start time.
- On-time drop off and prompt pick up are important. **\$1/minute** charges are in effect for late pick ups.
- If your child has any serious medical conditions, behavioural concerns or any other issues that may affect their experience at camp, please call us.
- To ensure that all children can participate fully in all indoor and outdoor/off-site activities, please prepare them with suitable clothing for all types of weather. Remember, these camps are held primarily outdoors.
- Activities will run as scheduled unless the conditions necessitate a change in schedule. In this case, alternate indoor activities will be offered (be prepared for unexpected weather changes). The camp structure and programming may change once the session starts depending on the weather, space and campers' needs.
- Please see page 102 for cancellation and refund information.

How to Sign Up for Full Day Camps Online:

1. Go to recreation.nanaimo.ca
2. Search keyword listed for each camp or use the barcode beside each date
3. Choose which child you want to register
4. Choose your days
5. Continue shopping or checkout

You can also register by visiting one of our recreation offices or by calling us at 250-756-5200.



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Nanaimo Parks, Recreation and Culture Full Day Camps

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The camps listed on this page run from 8:30 am to 5 pm and cost \$47/day.

Camp Wild 6 to 10 Years

Spend your summer having fun and building new friendships while learning about nature and the environment. Each week has a new theme with new discoveries and adventures. This camp also includes a large gymnasium component. (This camp does not go swimming.) Camp held primarily outdoors, so please dress for the weather. Build your own schedule to suit your needs. **Held at Oliver Woods Community Centre.**

Fri, Jun 27: 136309
Mon, Jun 30: 135895
Tue, Jul 2: 135905
Thu, Jul 3: 135904
Fri, Jul 4: 135911

Mon, Jul 7: 135913
Tue, Jul 8: 135914
Wed, Jul 9: 135917
Thu, Jul 10: 135918
Fri, Jul 11: 135920

Mon, Jul 14: 135921
Tue, Jul 15: 135922
Wed, Jul 16: 135924
Thu, Jul 17: 135923
Fri, Jul 18: 135925

Mon, Jul 21: 135926
Tue, Jul 22: 135928
Wed, Jul 23: 135929
Thu, Jul 24: 135931
Fri, Jul 25: 135933

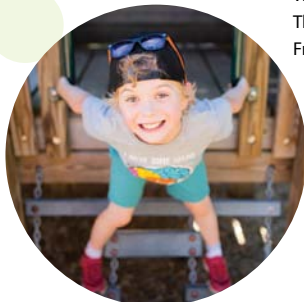
Mon, Jul 28: 135934
Tue, Jul 29: 135935
Wed, Jul 30: 135936
Thu, Jul 31: 135937
Fri, Aug 1: 135938

Tue, Aug 5: 135940
Wed, Aug 6: 135941
Thu, Aug 7: 135942
Fri, Aug 8: 135943

Mon, Aug 11: 135944
Tue, Aug 12: 135945
Wed, Aug 13: 135946
Thu, Aug 14: 135947
Fri, Aug 15: 135948

Mon, Aug 18: 135949
Tue, Aug 19: 135950
Wed, Aug 20: 135951
Thu, Aug 21: 135952
Fri, Aug 22: 135953

Mon, Aug 25: 135954
Tue, Aug 26: 135955
Wed, Aug 27: 135956
Thu, Aug 28: 135958
Fri, Aug 29: 135959



Camp Holiday 6 to 11 Years

Embrace your spirit of adventure! Camp Holiday creates experiences that last a lifetime. Opportunities to play, build relationships and work on healthy lifestyle choices. Water parks, games, outdoor adventures, sports and hiking are just a few things happening. This camp is held primarily outdoors, so please dress for the weather. Register by the day to suit your schedule. **Held at Beban Park Social Centre.**

Fri, Jun 27: 136245
Mon, Jun 30: 136246
Tue, Jul 2: 136248
Thu, Jul 3: 136252
Fri, Jul 4: 136253

Mon, Jul 7: 136255
Tue, Jul 8: 136256
Wed, Jul 9: 136257
Thu, Jul 10: 136258
Fri, Jul 11: 136262

Mon, Jul 14: 136266
Tue, Jul 15: 136267
Wed, Jul 16: 136268
Thu, Jul 17: 136270
Fri, Jul 18: 136271

Mon, Jul 21: 136272
Tue, Jul 22: 136273
Wed, Jul 23: 136276
Thu, Jul 24: 136277
Fri, Jul 25: 136278

Mon, Jul 28: 136279
Tue, Jul 29: 136281
Wed, Jul 30: 136282
Thu, Jul 31: 136283
Fri, Aug 1: 136284

Tue, Aug 5: 136285
Wed, Aug 6: 136286
Thu, Aug 7: 136287
Fri, Aug 8: 136288

Mon, Aug 11: 136289
Tue, Aug 12: 136290
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Thu, Aug 14: 136293
Fri, Aug 15: 136294

Mon, Aug 18: 136295
Tue, Aug 19: 136296
Wed, Aug 20: 136297
Thu, Aug 21: 136298
Fri, Aug 22: 136299

Mon, Aug 25: 136300
Tue, Aug 26: 136301
Wed, Aug 27: 136302
Thu, Aug 28: 136303
Fri, Aug 29: 136304



Bowen Explorers 6 to 9 Years

Unleash your sense of adventure and join us for an exciting exploration experience! Build lasting friendships and create unforgettable memories as you discover nature, dive into science, express yourself through art and much more. Be sure to dress appropriately for the outdoors and the weather. Come ready to explore! Register by the day to suit your schedule. **Held at Bowen Park Complex.**

Mon, Jun 30: 135362
Wed, Jul 2: 135363
Thu, Jul 3: 135365
Fri, Jul 4: 135366

Mon, Jul 7: 135367
Tue, Jul 8: 135368
Wed, Jul 9: 135369
Thu, Jul 10: 135370
Fri, Jul 11: 135371

Mon, Jul 14: 135372
Tue, Jul 15: 135373
Wed, Jul 16: 135374
Thu, Jul 17: 135375
Fri, Jul 18: 135376

Mon, Jul 21: 135377
Tue, Jul 22: 135378
Wed, Jul 23: 135379
Thu, Jul 24: 135380
Fri, Jul 25: 135381

Mon, Jul 28: 135382
Tue, Jul 29: 135383
Wed, Jul 30: 135384
Thu, Jul 31: 135385
Fri, Aug 1: 135386

Tue, Aug 5: 135387
Wed, Aug 6: 135388
Thu, Aug 7: 135389
Fri, Aug 8: 135390

Mon, Aug 11: 135391
Tue, Aug 12: 135392
Wed, Aug 13: 135393
Thu, Aug 14: 135394
Fri, Aug 15: 135395

Mon, Aug 18: 135396
Tue, Aug 19: 135397
Wed, Aug 20: 135398
Thu, Aug 21: 135399
Fri, Aug 22: 135400

Mon, Aug 25: 135401
Tue, Aug 26: 135402
Wed, Aug 27: 135403
Thu, Aug 28: 135404
Fri, Aug 29: 135405



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Girls Get Active 7 to 12 Years

Come join us and connect with our leaders and other girls. Discover what you love about yourself and learn to celebrate it. Embrace your inner awesomeness, meet new friends and build confidence while participating in a variety of active outings mixed with arts and crafts, swimming, games and team-building activities. **This camp is held at Beban Park Social Centre.**

Wed, Jul 2: 135999
Thu, Jul 3: 136000
Fri, Jul 4: 136001

Tue, Aug 5: 136021
Wed, Aug 6: 136022
Thu, Aug 7: 136023
Fri, Aug 8: 136024

Mon, Jul 7: 135998
Tue, Jul 8: 136002
Wed, Jul 9: 136003
Thu, Jul 10: 136004
Fri, Jul 11: 136005

Mon, Aug 11: 136025
Tue, Aug 12: 136026
Wed, Aug 13: 136028
Thu, Aug 14: 136029
Fri, Aug 15: 136030

Mon, Jul 14: 136006
Tue, Jul 15: 136007
Wed, Jul 16: 136008
Thu, Jul 17: 136009
Fri, Jul 18: 136010

Mon, Aug 18: 136031
Tue, Aug 19: 136032
Wed, Aug 20: 136034
Thu, Aug 21: 136035
Fri, Aug 22: 136036

Mon, Jul 21: 136011
Tue, Jul 22: 136012
Wed, Jul 23: 136013
Thu, Jul 24: 136014
Fri, Jul 25: 136015

Mon, Aug 25: 136037
Tue, Aug 26: 136039
Wed, Aug 27: 136041
Thu, Aug 28: 136042
Fri, Aug 29: 136044

Mon, Jul 28: 136016
Tue, Jul 29: 136017
Wed, Jul 30: 136018
Thu, Jul 31: 136019
Fri, Aug 1: 136020



Cool Kids Skate Camp 6 to 11 Years

Enjoy a line up of activities, including a daily skating lesson, hockey for fun and various outdoor activities. We recommend all participants complete a minimum of RecSkate 1 prior to participation. Helmets and skate rentals are free if needed. **This camp is held at Nanaimo Ice Centre.**

Mon, Jun 30: 138846
Wed, Jul 2: 138847
Thu, Jul 3: 138848
Fri, Jul 4: 138849

Mon, Jul 28: 138865
Tue, Jul 29: 138866
Wed, Jul 30: 138867
Thu, Jul 31: 138868
Fri, Aug 1: 138869

Mon, Jul 7: 138850
Tue, Jul 8: 138851
Wed, Jul 9: 138852
Thu, Jul 10: 138853
Fri, Jul 11: 138854

Tue, Aug 5: 138870
Wed, Aug 6: 138871
Thu, Aug 7: 138872
Fri, Aug 8: 138873

Mon, Jul 14: 138855
Tue, Jul 15: 138856
Wed, Jul 16: 138857
Thu, Jul 17: 138858
Fri, Jul 18: 138859

Mon, Aug 11: 138874
Tue, Aug 12: 138875
Wed, Aug 13: 138876
Thu, Aug 14: 138877
Fri, Aug 15: 138878

Mon, Jul 21: 138860
Tue, Jul 22: 138861
Wed, Jul 23: 138862
Thu, Jul 24: 138863
Fri, Jul 25: 138864



RecHockey Summer Camp 6 to 12 Years

Hockey players will love this full-day development camp packed with games and activities built around hockey drills, skills training and scrimmage time. Full gear is required. **This camp is held at Nanaimo Ice Centre.**

Mon, Jun 30: 138813
Wed, Jul 2: 138814
Thu, Jul 3: 138815
Fri, Jul 4: 138816

Mon, Jul 28: 138832
Tue, Jul 29: 138833
Wed, Jul 30: 138834
Thu, Jul 31: 138835
Fri, Aug 1: 138836

Mon, Jul 7: 138817
Tue, Jul 8: 138818
Wed, Jul 9: 138819
Thu, Jul 10: 138820
Fri, Jul 11: 138821

Tue, Aug 5: 138837
Wed, Aug 6: 138838
Thu, Aug 7: 138839
Fri, Aug 8: 138840

Mon, Jul 14: 138822
Tue, Jul 15: 138823
Wed, Jul 16: 138824
Thu, Jul 17: 138825
Fri, Jul 18: 138826

Mon, Aug 11: 138841
Tue, Aug 12: 138842
Wed, Aug 13: 138843
Thu, Aug 14: 138844
Fri, Aug 15: 138845

Mon, Jul 21: 138827
Tue, Jul 22: 138828
Wed, Jul 23: 138829
Thu, Jul 24: 138830
Fri, Jul 25: 138831



PLEASE NOTE:

Registration for Spring & Summer Aquatic programs begins on
Wednesday, March 5 at 6 am.

Registration for all other programs begins on Wednesday, March 12 at 6 am.



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Smash & Splash 9 to 12 Years

Join us for a fun, action-packed camp where you will explore a variety of racquet sports, including tennis, badminton and pickleball. After hitting the courts, cool off with an afternoon swim in the outdoor pool, enjoy water games or explore Bowen Park's beautiful surroundings. This camp is a great opportunity to develop your skills, make new friends and create lasting summer memories. The camp runs rain or shine, and extra racquets will be available for use. **Held at Bowen Park Tennis Courts.**

Wed, Jul 2: [135761](#)
Thu, Jul 3: [135762](#)
Fri, Jul 4: [135763](#)

Mon, Jul 7: [135764](#)
Tue, Jul 8: [135765](#)
Wed, Jul 9: [135766](#)
Thu, Jul 10: [135767](#)
Fri, Jul 11: [135768](#)

Mon, Jul 14: [135769](#)
Tue, Jul 15: [135770](#)
Wed, Jul 16: [135771](#)
Thu, Jul 17: [135772](#)
Fri, Jul 18: [135773](#)

Mon, Jul 21: [135774](#)
Tue, Jul 22: [135775](#)
Wed, Jul 23: [135776](#)
Thu, Jul 24: [135777](#)
Fri, Jul 25: [135778](#)

Mon, Jul 28: [135779](#)
Tue, Jul 29: [135780](#)
Wed, Jul 30: [135781](#)
Thu, Jul 31: [135782](#)
Fri, Aug 1: [135784](#)

Tue, Aug 5: [135783](#)
Wed, Aug 6: [135785](#)
Thu, Aug 7: [135786](#)
Fri, Aug 8: [135787](#)

Mon, Aug 11: [135788](#)
Tue, Aug 12: [135789](#)
Wed, Aug 13: [135790](#)
Thu, Aug 14: [135791](#)
Fri, Aug 15: [135792](#)

Mon, Aug 18: [135793](#)
Tue, Aug 19: [135794](#)
Wed, Aug 20: [135795](#)
Thu, Aug 21: [135796](#)
Fri, Aug 22: [135797](#)

Mon, Aug 25: [135798](#)
Tue, Aug 26: [135800](#)
Wed, Aug 27: [135802](#)
Thu, Aug 28: [135804](#)
Fri, Aug 29: [135806](#)



Centennial Sports Camp 8 to 12 Years

This action-packed sports camp will keep kids moving! Based out of the Harewood Centennial Park, campers will play a variety of sports on the new turf fields and in the covered and uncovered sports courts. A number of sports will be introduced, including ultimate frisbee, floor hockey, California kick ball, soccer, lacrosse and more. Daily playground and/or waterpark fun will also be incorporated. Running shoes are required. **Held at Harewood Centennial Park.**

Wed, Jul 2: [139422](#)
Thu, Jul 3: [139423](#)
Fri, Jul 4: [139424](#)

Mon, Jul 7: [139426](#)
Tue, Jul 8: [139427](#)
Wed, Jul 9: [139428](#)
Thu, Jul 10: [139429](#)
Fri, Jul 11: [139430](#)

Mon, Jul 14: [139431](#)
Tue, Jul 15: [139433](#)
Wed, Jul 16: [139434](#)
Thu, Jul 17: [139435](#)
Fri, Jul 18: [139436](#)

Mon, Jul 21: [139438](#)
Tue, Jul 22: [139439](#)
Wed, Jul 23: [139440](#)
Thu, Jul 24: [139442](#)
Fri, Jul 25: [139443](#)

Mon, Jul 28: [139446](#)
Tue, Jul 29: [139447](#)
Wed, Jul 30: [139448](#)
Thu, Jul 31: [139449](#)
Fri, Aug 1: [139450](#)

Tue, Aug 5: [139451](#)
Wed, Aug 6: [139452](#)
Thu, Aug 7: [139453](#)
Fri, Aug 8: [139454](#)

Mon, Aug 11: [139455](#)
Tue, Aug 12: [139458](#)
Wed, Aug 13: [139459](#)
Thu, Aug 14: [139460](#)
Fri, Aug 15: [139461](#)

Mon, Aug 18: [139462](#)
Tue, Aug 19: [139463](#)
Wed, Aug 20: [139465](#)
Thu, Aug 21: [139466](#)
Fri, Aug 22: [139467](#)



Sports Action 6 to 11 Years

Experience an exhilarating camp that combines gym sports, field sports and outdoor activities! Our camp leaders will focus on the fundamentals of physical literacy while integrating enjoyable and engaging experiences. **Held at Oliver Woods Community Centre.**

Mon, Jun 30: [135963](#)
Wed, Jul 2: [135970](#)
Thu, Jul 3: [135975](#)
Fri, Jul 4: [135976](#)



Summer Hoops Basketball 6 to 11 Years

Your child will enjoy practicing the basics and engaging in a variety of games that focus on passing, shooting, dribbling and rebounding. We will also place a strong emphasis on sportsmanship and teamwork. **Held at Oliver Woods Community Centre.**

Tue, Aug 5: [136052](#)
Wed, Aug 6: [136053](#)
Thu, Aug 7: [136054](#)
Fri, Aug 8: [136055](#)



Nanaimo Parks, Recreation & Culture Weekly Camps

Full and partial day programs and camps.

Tree Frog Camp

3 to 5 Years

Each fun-themed week will include games, music, arts and crafts. Come and join us for a great time!

9-11 am

W-F, Jul 2-4 | \$60/3 | [133557](#) | Under the Sea
M-F, Jul 7-11 | \$100/5 | [133554](#) | Dinosaurs
M-F, Jul 14-18 | \$100/5 | [133562](#) | Superheroes & Science
M-F, Jul 21-25 | \$100/5 | [133564](#) | Space Explorers
M-F, Jul 28-Aug 1 | \$100/5 | [133575](#) | Lil Ninjas
Tu-F, Aug 5-8 | \$80/4 | [133566](#) | Sports Stars
M-F, Aug 11-15 | \$100/5 | [133577](#) | Animal Kingdom
M-F, Aug 18-22 | \$100/5 | [133579](#) | Career Adventures
M-F, Aug 25-29 | \$100/5 | [133619](#) | Gone Campin'

11:30 am-1:30 pm

W-F, Jul 2-4 | \$60/3 | [133558](#) | Under the Sea
M-F, Jul 7-11 | \$100/5 | [133556](#) | Dinosaurs
M-F, Jul 14-18 | \$100/5 | [133563](#) | Superheroes & Science
M-F, Jul 21-25 | \$100/5 | [133565](#) | Space Explorers
M-F, Jul 28-Aug 1 | \$100/5 | [133576](#) | Lil Ninjas
Tu-F, Aug 5-8 | \$80/4 | [133567](#) | Sports Stars
M-F, Aug 11-15 | \$100/5 | [133578](#) | Animal Kingdom
M-F, Aug 18-22 | \$100/5 | [133580](#) | Career Adventures
M-F, Aug 25-29 | \$100/5 | [133620](#) | Gone Campin'

Oliver Woods Community Centre

Junior Leaders in Training Camp

11 to 14 Years

Week one of this interactive two-week camp will include team building activities and leadership sessions among a variety of summer camp activities. During the second week, you will participate in 15 to 30 hours of supervised hands-on volunteer experience as you assist at various recreation programs. Fee includes a t-shirt.

M-F, Jul 7-18 | 8:30 am-4:30 pm | \$460/10 | [140479](#)
M-F, Jul 21-Aug 1 | 8:30 am-4:30 pm | \$460/10 | [140481](#)
M-F, Aug 5-15 | 8:30 am-4:30 pm | \$414/9 | [140482](#)
M-F, Aug 18-29 | 8:30 am-4:30 pm | \$460/10 | [140483](#)

Rotary Field House

Oh, shoot!

We sometimes make mistakes or information changes. Please check our online Activity Guide frequently for the latest program information.

Adventure Seekers Camp NEW!

12 to 15 Years

With a mix of thrilling activities like hiking, outdoor games and exciting excursions, you will explore nature, build confidence and forge new friendships. This camp offers a perfect blend of adventure, fun and learning in a supportive environment where you, as an adventurer, can grow, discover new interests and create lasting memories.

M-F, Jul 21-25 | 8:30 am-5 pm | \$275/5 | [138338](#)
M-F, Jul 28-Aug 1 | 8:30 am-5 pm | \$275/5 | [138341](#)
Tu-F, Aug 5-8 | 8:30 am-5 pm | \$220/4 | [138342](#)
M-F, Aug 11-15 | 8:30 am-5 pm | \$275/5 | [138343](#)

Kin Hut Activity Centre

Junior Lifeguard Club Camp

8 to 12 Years

Join this exciting camp that takes you in, on and around the water. Develop new lifesaving skills and learn attitudes that could one day save your life or someone else's. Focus on fun, teamwork and skill development with games and a variety of activities themed around lifesaving, lifeguarding and first aid. A must for those of you who love the water but are looking for more than lessons. (Minimum Swimmer 4 level or have successfully completed the Swim to Survive Challenge to participate.)

M-F, Jul 21-25 | 12:30-4:30 pm | \$150/5 | [138633](#)
M-F, Aug 11-15 | 12:30-4:30 pm | \$150/5 | [138635](#)

Westwood Lake Park (first beach)

Merfolk Camp

8 to 12 Years

Do you enjoy the water? Feel like you could live under the sea? Join others in this fun camp adventure as you transform your feet into fins and swim like the merfolk and dolphins! Who says dreams have to stay dreams? Come channel your desire to join the life under the sea. Enjoy creating new treasures and playing games with our fun aquatic leaders. (Minimum Swimmer 4 level to participate.)

M-F, Jul 14-18 | 12:30-4:30 pm | \$150/5 | [138615](#)
M-F, Jul 28-Aug 1 | 12:30-4:30 pm | \$150/5 | [138629](#)

Westwood Lake Park (first beach)



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Partnership Camps and Programs

We are happy to bring these camp opportunities to you in partnership with community organizations and businesses. Register through us at recreation.nanaimo.ca or by calling 250-756-5200.

Dance with Vibe Camp

Get an introduction to dance with the main focus on hip hop and styles of hip hop like grooving, old school, bboy, house etc.

Instructor: Vibe Dance Studio Staff

5 to 7 Years

M-F, Jul 14-18 | 4-5 pm | \$100/5 | [139478](#)

8 to 11 Years

M-F, Jul 14-18 | 5:15-6:30 pm | \$125/5 | [139479](#)

Vibe Dance Studio (#4-1969 Boxwood Rd)

Highland Dance

Dance, sing and learn the Highland Fling with certified instructors! Parent participation is required for Tartan Tots. Please wear shorts, a t-shirt and bare feet.

Instructor: Brigadoon Dance Academy

3 to 6 Years - Tartan Tots

Sun, Jul 13-Aug 3 | 3-3:45 pm | \$50/4 | [137972](#)

6 to 12 Years - Kilts & Hiltts

Sun, Jul 13-Aug 3 | 4-4:45 pm | \$50/4 | [137971](#)

Oliver Woods Community Centre

Kirkwood's Moana Dance Camp

6 to 12 Years

Join us for a fun-filled week of acting, dancing and crafting inspired by the hit movie "Moana". You will learn about props, costumes and sets while trying fun choreography that includes a performance on the final day of camp. This is for all levels.

M-F, Jul 7-11 | 9 am-4 pm | \$375/5 | [137805](#)

M-F, Jul 21-25 | 9 am-4 pm | \$375/5 | [137561](#)

Beban Park Social Centre

Circus Camp: Level 1

8 to 12 Years

Designed for beginner or those wanting to further their skills. This camp is packed with fun activities like juggling, hoops, partner acrobatics, balancing, swordplay and more. With a focus on exploration, teamwork and creativity, it's the perfect way to dive into circus arts or upgrade your skills. (June 30 week is a 4-day camp with no stage show).

Instructor: Vesta Entertainment Circus Troupe

M, W-F, Jun 30-Jul 4 | 8:30 am-2:30 pm | \$191/4 | [136737](#)

Beban Park Social Centre

Circus Camp: Level 2

8 to 12 Years

Take your circus skills to the next level! This camp is ideal for students who have previously attended Circus Camp with us or have experience in gymnastics, dance or martial arts. Deepen your skills in juggling, hoops, acrobatics, balancing, swordplay and staff while creating a Friday Circus Show for family and friends.

Instructor: Vesta Entertainment Circus Troupe

M-F, Jul 28-Aug 1 | 8:30 am-2:30 pm | \$239/5 | [137562](#)

M-F, Aug 11-15 | 8:30 am-2:30 pm | \$239/5 | [136769](#)

Beban Park Social Centre

Explore Music Camp NEW!

Explore playing music through group instruction, games and ensemble playing on the piano, ukulele and recorder. This is suitable for complete beginners, as well as those with some beginner musical training. There will be a performance on the last day. All instruments are provided.

Instructor: Zoe from Willow Music School

6 to 8 Years

M-F, Jul 7-11 | 9 am-12 pm | \$270/5 | [140277](#)

M-F, Jul 21-25 | 9 am-12 pm | \$270/5 | [140280](#)

9 to 12 Years

M-F, Jul 7-11 | 1-4 pm | \$270/5 | [140275](#)

M-F, Jul 21-25 | 1-4 pm | \$270/5 | [140276](#)

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Rhythm Kids® Music Camp

5 to 8 Years

This camp is designed for kids in Kindergarten to Grade 2 who will build up musical confidence using djembe drums, percussion instruments and the most important instruments of all, their voices and their bodies. The "Sea Turtle" song collection will introduce music inspired by the rhythms of many different cultures through singing, creative movement, crafts and musical games. For more program info, please visit www.SeaSngStudio.com. There is a \$55 program fee for this camp, which is non-refundable after the first day of camp (siblings will receive a \$55 refund).

Instructor: Karita Sedun

M-F, Jul 7-11 | 9 am-12 pm | \$175/5 | [136431](#)

M-F, Jul 14-18 | 9 am-12 pm | \$175/5 | [136459](#)

Kin Hut Activity Centre

Musical Theatre Camp

9 to 14 Years

This camp is designed for young performers who are passionate about musical theatre. Campers will develop their vocal technique, stage presence and acting skills while exploring teamwork, creativity and problem solving. Throughout the week, participants will work together to prepare a mini musical performance for family and friends on the last day.

Instructor: Nanaimo Conservatory of Music

M-F, Jul 14-18 | 10 am-4 pm | \$325/5 | [137987](#)

Nanaimo Conservatory of Music (375 Selby St)

Musical Theatre Camp - Half Day

9 to 14 Years

This camp is designed for young performers who are passionate about musical theatre. Campers will develop their vocal technique, stage presence and acting skills while exploring teamwork, creativity and problem solving. Throughout the week, participants will work together to prepare a mini musical performance for family and friends on the last day.

Instructor: Nanaimo Conservatory of Music

M-F, Aug 11-15 | 10 am-1 pm | \$200/5 | [137990](#)

Nanaimo Conservatory of Music (375 Selby St)

Theatre Camp with Nanaimo Young People's Theatre

Immerse yourself into the theatre as we focus on performance training, teamwork, stage movement and characterization - all with the goal of putting on a scripted play for parents and guardians on Friday afternoon. There is no singing required for this program.

9 to 12 Years

M-F, Jul 14-18 | 1-4 pm | \$195/5 | [136152](#)

12 to 16 Years

M-F, Aug 25-29 | 1-4 pm | \$195/5 | [136153](#)

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Partnership Camps and Programs

We are happy to bring these camp opportunities to you in partnership with community organizations and businesses. Register through us at recreation.nanaimo.ca or by calling 250-756-5200.

Grow Food Get Cooking Camp

8 to 13 Years

Get hands-on practice with food growing and gaining cooking skills. The true farm to fork experience for youth will be led by passionate facilitators to introduce outdoor ecology, stewardship of the environment, food growing basics, different cooking techniques and flavour combos. In an outdoor kitchen at the farm, the group will gain confidence growing food, harvesting and making nourishing meals.

M-F, Jul 7-11 | 9 am-3 pm | \$335/5 | [137692](#)

M-F, Jul 21-25 | 9 am-3 pm | \$335/5 | [137693](#)

M-F, Jul 28-Aug 1 | 9 am-3 pm | \$335/5 | [137694](#)

M-F, Aug 11-15 | 9 am-3 pm | \$335/5 | [137695](#)

M-F, Aug 18-22 | 9 am-3 pm | \$335/5 | [137696](#)

Park Avenue Farm (945 Park Ave)

Junior Paddler Adventure

6 to 9 Years

Dive into the world of water sports on Long Lake! Our program is tailored for adventure that offers a perfect blend of skill building, teamwork and outdoor fun. Glide through the waters in our big canoes, paddle boards, canoes and kayaks mastering the art of paddling while creating friendships and fitness.

Instructor: Nanaimo Canoe and Kayak Club

Sat, May 3-31 | 9-10 am | \$60/4 | [139286](#)

Sat, Jun 7-28 | 9-10 am | \$60/4 | [139288](#)

Sat, Jul 5-26 | 9-10 am | \$60/4 | [139289](#)

Sat, Aug 9-30 | 9-10 am | \$60/4 | [139291](#)

Long Lake/Loudon Park

Paddling Summer Camp

8 to 12 Years

Get started on the water with NCKC and enjoy games, skill development and water safety education while learning to paddle a variety of different styles of canoes, kayaks and paddle boards on Long Lake.

Instructor: Nanaimo Canoe and Kayak Club

Wed-Fri, Jul 2-4 | 8:30 am-12 pm | \$189/3 | [139397](#)

Wed-Fri, Jul 2-4 | 12:30-4 pm | \$189/3 | [139399](#)

Tue-Fri, Aug 5-8 | 8:30 am-12 pm | \$252/4 | [139408](#)

Tue-Fri, Aug 5-8 | 12:30-4 pm | \$252/4 | [139409](#)

Long Lake/Loudon Park

Kids Intro to Paddling

8 to 12 Years

This program will introduce you to the wonderful world of paddle sports in a fun and supportive environment. Learn the three FUNdamental sport skills of balance, steering and propulsion in a variety of human-powered watercraft, including kayaks, canoes and paddleboards. Challenge yourself and your teammates at the optional Rally to Race fun regatta at the end of June on Long Lake.

Instructor: Nanaimo Canoe and Kayak Club

Tue & Thu, Apr 1-24 | 4-5:30 pm | \$144/8 | [139321](#)

Thu, May 1-Jun 19 | 4-5:30 pm | \$144/8 | [139322](#)

Thu, Jul 10-Aug 28 | 12-1:30 pm | \$144/8 | [139323](#)

Long Lake/Loudon Park

Speedy Paddlers - Intro to Sprint

12 Years +

Do you paddle kayaks or canoes? Come try the Olympic sport of sprint canoe-kayak to challenge your skills in this dynamic individual and team sport. Develop your balance, strength, teamwork, technique and strategy while having lots of fun meeting new people.

Instructor: Nanaimo Canoe and Kayak Club

Mon & Wed, May 5-28 | 6:15-7:45 pm | \$147/7 | [139296](#)

Mon & Wed, Jun 2-25 | 6:15-7:45 pm | \$168/8 | [139298](#)

Mon & Wed, Jul 7-30 | 6:15-7:45 pm | \$168/8 | [139301](#)

Mon & Wed, Aug 6-27 | 6:15-7:45 pm | \$147/7 | [139307](#)

Long Lake/Loudon Park

Soccer Stars

Join our Soccer Stars Summer Camp for a week of fun, learning and outdoor play! Designed for kids of all skill levels, this camp offers exciting drills, friendly games and team-building activities. It's the perfect way for young players to stay active, improve their skills and make new friends!

Half Day - 6 to 13 Years

M-F, Jul 7-11 | 9 am-12 pm | \$150/5 | [143924](#)

M-F, Jul 21-25 | 9 am-12 pm | \$150/5 | [143928](#)

M-F, Jul 28-Aug 1 | 9 am-12 pm | \$150/5 | [143931](#)

M-F, Aug 11-15 | 9 am-12 pm | \$150/5 | [143933](#)

Bowen West Field

Full Day - 7 to 13 Years

M-F, Jul 7-11 | 9 am-4 pm | \$275/5 | [143923](#)

M-F, Jul 21-25 | 9 am-4 pm | \$275/5 | [143927](#)

M-F, Jul 28-Aug 1 | 9 am-4 pm | \$275/5 | [143929](#)

M-F, Aug 11-15 | 9 am-4 pm | \$275/5 | [143932](#)

Bowen West Field

Golf Camp

Kids will learn the fundamentals of the golf swing and the short game. Equipment is available if needed. Student to coach ratio is 6 to 1.

Instructor: Beban Park Golf Course Staff

Pee Wee Putters - 5 to 7 Years

Tu-Th, Jun 24-26 | 4-5 pm | \$175/3 | [137627](#)

Tu-Th, Jul 8-10 | 4-5 pm | \$175/3 | [137628](#)

Tu-Th, Jul 15-17 | 4-5 pm | \$175/3 | [137629](#)

Tu-Th, Aug 5-7 | 4-5 pm | \$175/3 | [137630](#)

Tu-Th, Aug 12-14 | 4-5 pm | \$175/3 | [137631](#)

Junior - 8 to 12 Years

Tu-Th, Jul 8-10 | 9:30-11:30 am | \$250/3 | [137632](#)

Tu-Th, Jul 15-17 | 9:30-11:30 am | \$250/3 | [137633](#)

Tu-Th, Aug 5-7 | 9:30-11:30 am | \$250/3 | [137634](#)

Tu-Th, Aug 12-14 | 9:30-11:30 am | \$250/3 | [137635](#)

Beban Park Golf Course & Driving Range

Prime Junior Golf

7 to 10 Years

Join us for a fun-filled time where kids learn the basics and fundamentals of golf by playing games and structured, skill-based activities.

Tue-Thu, Jul 8-10 | 10 am-1 pm | \$200/3 | [138565](#)

Tue-Thu, Jul 22-24 | 10 am-1 pm | \$200/3 | [138567](#)

Tue-Thu, Aug 12-14 | 10 am-1 pm | \$200/3 | [138568](#)

Prime Golf (#249-4750 Rutherford Rd)



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Rock Climbing

6 to 12 Years

We will mix rock climbing and some non wall time to keep things interesting with games and other activities. Shoe rentals and harnesses are included. Please complete the waiver form prior to arriving on the first day found at climbromperroom.com/waiver.

M-F, Jul 7-11 | 9:30-11:30 am | \$200/5 | [139581](#)

M-F, Jul 7-11 | 12-2 pm | \$200/5 | [139585](#)

M-F, Jul 14-18 | 9:30-11:30 am | \$200/5 | [139587](#)

M-F, Jul 14-18 | 12-2 pm | \$200/5 | [139588](#)

M-F, Jul 21-25 | 9:30-11:30 am | \$200/5 | [139589](#)

M-F, Jul 21-25 | 12-2 pm | \$200/5 | [139591](#)

M-F, Jul 28-Aug 1 | 9:30-11:30 am | \$200/5 | [139592](#)

M-F, Jul 28-Aug 1 | 12-2 pm | \$200/5 | [139593](#)

M-F, Aug 11-15 | 9:30-11:30 am | \$200/5 | [139594](#)

M-F, Aug 11-15 | 12-2 pm | \$200/5 | [139595](#)

M-F, Aug 18-22 | 9:30-11:30 am | \$200/5 | [139596](#)

M-F, Aug 18-22 | 12-2 pm | \$200/5 | [139597](#)

M-F, Aug 25-29 | 9:30-11:30 am | \$200/5 | [139599](#)

M-F, Aug 25-29 | 12-2 pm | \$200/5 | [139600](#)

Romper Room Climbing Gym (4235 Boban Dr)

Byte Camp - 2D Animation on Tablet

9 to 12 Years

We'll show you how to make beautiful animations as wild as your imagination. You will learn to storyboard and use some advanced animation skills and principles to make your characters really come alive on the screen.

M, W, Th, F, Jun 30-Jul 4 | 9 am-3 pm | \$415/4 | [139395](#)

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Byte Camp - 2D Video Game Design

11 to 14 Years

Learn how to build an HTML 5 game using free tools and how to create advanced 2D vector artwork and animated characters to make your game look great. The final project is a game you can take home to proudly share with friends online. No previous experience is required; however, Introduction to Coding is recommended.

M-F, Jul 7-11 | 9 am-3 pm | \$470/5 | [139412](#)

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Byte Camp - 3D Animation

11 to 14 Years

Dreaming of a career with Pixar? Spend the week learning how those movies are made by modeling, animating and telling your story in 3D using the free software "Blender". Final projects are usually group projects.

M-F, Jul 14-18 | 9 am-3 pm | \$470/5 | [139415](#)

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Byte Camp - Intro to Coding

9 to 12 Years

Discover how much fun it is to build your own game! You will be introduced to basic coding skills with easy-to-use drag and drop software. Use those skills to make your very own custom games. Your final project is a game that you can take home to proudly share with friends.

M-F, Jul 21-25 | 9 am-3 pm | \$470/5 | [139416](#)

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Byte Camp - Intro to Coding Level 2

9 to 12 Years

Level up your coding and artwork skills in this fun and challenging camp. You will take on advanced character movements and level design to make characters, levels and game play that are unique. Previous coding experience in Scratch or Byte Camp's - Intro to Coding is recommended.

M-F, Jul 28-Aug 1 | 9 am-3 pm | \$470/5 | [139417](#)

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Byte Camp - Claymation

Movie Production

9 to 12 Years

Make your own clay characters come to life! You will work with a partner to build your own clay characters, sets and props, develop a script, shoot movie scenes and then edit and add sounds and special effects. Don't worry, parents, there will be plenty of time devoted to outdoor games and activities.

Tu-F, Aug 5-8 | 9 am-3 pm | \$415/4 | [139419](#)

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Byte Camp - Python Coding Level 1

11 to 14 Years

Master basic coding concepts like variables, loops and conditionals, and see your creativity come to life with hands-on exercises. The final project? A python-based program you can proudly share with friends and keep as a fun and functional creation to showcase your coding journey.

M-F, Aug 18-22 | 9 am-3 pm | \$470/5 | [139420](#)

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Byte Camp - Music Video Production

9 to 12 Years

Camp time will be split between digital music composition, video filming and editing. Use amazing software tools to craft your very own song from scratch. We will show you the basics on beats, baselines, chords and melodies so that your song will sound awesome! Experiment with video, special effects and other editing techniques.

M-F, Aug 25-29 | 9 am-3 pm | \$470/5 | [139421](#)

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PLEASE NOTE:

Registration for summer camps begins on Wednesday, March 12 at 6 am.

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Everyone is an artist; you can do it if you desire to create, and I am here to help! We can paint acrylic on canvas, use watercolour on paper and make some cute polymer clay items.

ART CLASS TIMES:

Thu | 5:30-6:30 pm
Sat | 9:30-10:30 am
Sun | 1-2 pm & 2:30-3:30 pm

LOCATIONS:

Oliver Woods & 6234 Spartan Rd (opposite Superstore)

AGE GROUPS:

3-5 yrs (Parent & Me)
5-12 yrs




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