

A young boy in dark shorts is running through a large spray of water at a park. He is smiling and has his eyes closed. To his left, a girl in a patterned shirt and red shorts is also playing in the water. The background shows a grassy area, a tree, and a blue fence. The scene is bright and sunny.

2017

Summer with Parks & Rec



**Celebrating
everything
summer**

Summer Day Camps

Girls Get Active



Bowen Explorers

- 9 full day camps
- 21 half day specialty camps
- 8 camps provided daily registration options
- 3 locations provided before & after camp care
- city wide camp locations

Summer Day Camp Staffing



- 39 full time summer staff – 9 weeks
- range from high school to university students to teachers on call
- in 2017 we received Government of Canada Summer Jobs Grant in the amount of \$17 350



Canada 150 Theme



Travel Etiquette



5-2-1-0 initiative



Nature Play



LIT/Quest Beach Clean-up

LIT & Quest

- contributed over 10,000 hrs
- 115 participants
- plus 6 weeks of Junior LIT Camp with 59 participants

2017 marked the 35th year of this program



JR LIT Splatter

Full Day Camps

- 9 full day camps
- for children age 5 – 12
- daily registration options
- before & after camp care options

Girls Get
Active

Camp Holidayze

Camp Wild



Bowen Explorer

Tennis Camp

Jr LIT Camp

Camp Cricket

Camp Sunstation

Adventure
Sports Camp

Camp Sunsation

- 100 campers, 9 staff
- funded by Ministry of Children & Family Development for Children & Youth with Special Needs



Specialty Day Camps

- range of activities including sports camps, computer programming camps, preschool camps, art camps and more...

Cycle Camp



Cool Kids Skate Camp



ParadIce Figure Skating Camp



Clay Camp



Adventure Ice
Camp

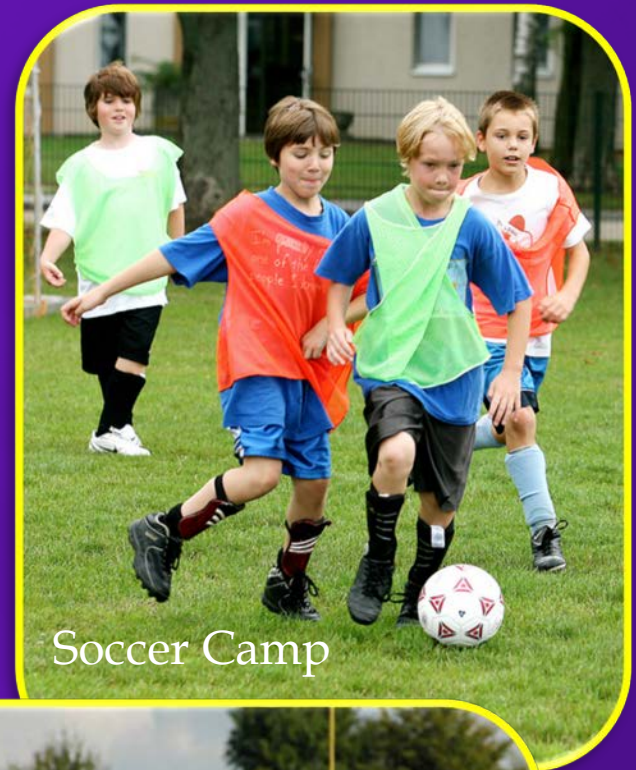


Mermaid Camp

Specialty Day Camps

- many specialty camps are run by community contracted service providers

Camp Courage



Soccer Camp



PeeWee Putterers

Circus Camp

Gymnastic
Camp

Byte Camp

Soccer Camp

Golf Camp

Karate Camp

Free Summer Playground Program

- 6 city wide locations
- in partnership with Nanaimo Foodshare's Summer Lunch Munch Program



Mansfield Park

Chase River School



Country Hills Park

Coal Tye School

Daynes Park

Harewood Centennial Park in partnership with HNA



Canada Day 150



Family Fishing Day

June 18- Colliery Dam



- community group activities
 - trout release
 - learn to fish program

Concerts in the Park

Bowen Park Amphitheatre & Maffeo Sutton Park





- 18 concerts – different genres
- two beautiful locations
- lunchtime & evenings

Golden Bucket Contest

13 weeks,
a different clue
& location
each week



WEEKLY CLUE

Look near the **BROOK** at the edge of the **FIELD** to find the golden bucket revealed, neighbourhood kids search the wooded terrain. Who will find it?
Ella? Nick? JANE?

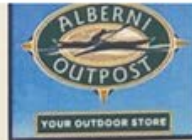
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Golden Bucket Contest Winner

This certificate entitles Jaxen Hong



The GRAND PRIZE of a Sunset Kayak Tour for you and 5 of your friends or family courtesy of Alberni Outpost (value of \$300)!



Golden Bucket Grand Prize WINNER



Family Fun Nights



3 dates,
3 locations,
music,
activities,
crafts...

...face painting,
balloon animals,
science fun,
Food,
& more...



Great Community Partners



and awesome
staff,
LIT & Quest
volunteers

...until next year

