

JUNE 2026

FREE Programs

See our Activity Guide for even more programs!



Lions Free Swims



Saturdays, June 6, 13, 20 & 27 | 12:30-2 pm | Beban Pool

Court Kids

For children 1-5 years old and their parents/caregives to enjoy some free play time and burn off some energy!

Tuesday, June 9 | 9-11 am
Beban Park Social Centre

Spare Blox



Youth drop-in program. *School locations the second week in June; Oliver Woods ends on June 23.*

- Mondays, 5-6:30 at Park Avenue Elem (ages 10-14)
- Mondays, 7-8:30 pm at Fairview School (ages 11-15)
- Tuesdays, 6-7:30 pm at Uplands Elem (ages 10-13)
- Tuesdays, 6:30-8 pm at Oliver Woods (ages 13-17)
- Wednesdays, 8:30-10 pm at John Barsby (ages 13-17)

Youth Lounge



Hang out at Nanaimo Aquatic Centre for a variety of activities, including music, swimming, skating, video games and snacks.

- Thursdays until June 25, 3-7 pm (ages 11-18)
- Fridays until June 26, 2-9 pm (ages 11-18)

Come Read with Me Workshop

This session provides families with practical reading strategies and tools to support literacy at home. Each family will leave with a tote bag filled with resources to continue learning at home.

Saturday, June 6 | 10:30-11:30 am | Beban Social Centre | 160221

Concerts in the Park

Bring a chair and enjoy a variety of music in Nanaimo's beautiful parks! See our website for musician details and for the rest of the schedule.

- Wednesday, June 3 | 6-7 pm | Mansfield Park | Shel Prince
- Wednesday, June 10 | 1-2 pm | Maffeo Sutton | Jared Popma
- Wednesday, June 17 | 6-7 pm | Kin Park | Donny Boyd & Fine Company
- Friday, June 26 | 5:30-6:30 pm | Maffeo Sutton | Chris Noel
- Friday, June 26 | 6:45-7:45 pm | Maffeo Sutton | New Road Echo

Family Fun Night

Join us for a soccer viewing party, live entertainment, bouncy castles, facepainting and more! Please note that the soccer viewing portion will happen from 8-10 pm.

-Friday, June 26 | 4:30-7:30 pm | Maffeo Sutton

Water Parks are Open

Open 9 am-8 pm at Departure Bay Kiwanis Park, Deverill Square Park, Harewood Centennial Park and Mansfield Park.

Lifeguards at Westwood Lake (First Beach)

-June 28-September 7 | 12-5:30 pm | including stat holidays weather permitting

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