



SPRING 2017

Programs and Services

It happens here.



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■ HOW TO REGISTER

Registration can be completed both online and in-person. Please remember that registration can be a very busy time, and that wait times may be longer than normal.

Online registration is now available on mobile and tablet devices.

■ REGISTER ONLINE

Let your fingers do the work as you register from the comfort of your keyboard or tablet, at any time of day. There are a few things to know when registering online:

<https://www.hfxcgwebtraconlinereg.ca/>

- Sign in with your account and password*
- Choose the Activity Type
- Add activity to shopping cart (session will time out after 10 minutes)
- Choose family member to register
- Answer all required registration questions
- Continue to shopping cart – Visa & MasterCard accepted (Amex accepted in-person only)
- Choose checkout and finish by paying
- Receipt provided as PDF

* Please ensure you have an account name and password prior to registering with us. Don't have one? Follow the link above, click "Need an Account", and follow the steps. Please allow 2-3 business days to receive your user information. Email info@canadagamescentre.ca with any questions.

THINK YOU HAVE AN ACCOUNT BUT AREN'T SURE? CAN'T REMEMBER YOUR USERNAME AND/OR PASSWORD? CLICK HERE TO RETRIEVE THEM.

■ REGISTER IN-PERSON

26 Thomas Raddall Drive

Monday – Friday 8:00am-9:00pm

Saturday – Sunday 8:00am-9:00pm

Visa, MasterCard, Amex, debit, and cash all accepted.

REGISTRATION DATES

MEMBERS:

Online: **February 21st**, beginning at 8:00 am

In-person: **February 23rd**, beginning at 8:00 am

NON-MEMBERS:

Online: **February 28th**, beginning at 8:00 am

In-person: **March 7th**, beginning at 8:00 am

Registration links within the guide become active when registration opens.

■ GENERAL INFORMATION

- Specific information regarding safety standards, dress code, and other policies will be displayed throughout the Centre and on our website.
- The minimum age to work out in the Fitness Centre is 18, unless a member, for which the minimum age is 14.

■ PROGRAM CANCELLATIONS AND REFUND POLICIES

- Some programs may be cancelled due to insufficient registrants. The Canada Games Centre monitors registration levels prior to the start of programs to ensure quality programs are offered. A great course could be cancelled if there are not enough registrants. Register early to avoid program cancellations.
- There are no refunds for programs offered at Canada Games Centre unless the program is cancelled by the Centre. If we cancel a program, full refunds will be issued.
- A non-refundable credit will be issued if a participant provides 7 days advance notice, prior to the start date of the program.
- Within 7 days of a program start date, no credit will be issued. In the event of a medical matter, documentation will be required.
- All non-refundable credits must be used within one year.
- Accepted forms of payment: Visa, MasterCard, American Express, debit cards, cash and cheques (some restrictions apply). The charge for non-negotiable payment is \$40 plus tax.

Canada Games Centre

Program Access Card



One card for all your CGC programs!

Non-members registered in our fee based programs will receive this red card the first time they register.

How do they work?

- Cards are handed out at the time of in-person registration or can be picked up prior to or on the program start date (unless you already have one from previous sessions).
- Swiping the card at the turnstiles will give you access up to 30mins before and during your registered program.
- Children under the age of 12 must be accompanied by an adult.

What if I forget my card?

- No problem – check in at our Customer Service Desk to validate your registration in the program. But please note, after the third time you've forgotten your card you'll be required to purchase a replacement card with a fee of \$2+tax.

What if I already have a card from registering in a previous programming session?

- Great! It'll reload itself with your new programs automatically. Just remember to bring it with you on the program start date and there's no need to check in.

I'm a member, do I need one of these cards?

- No, all you need is your membership card

Additional Details:

- Once children under 12 have swiped their Program Access Card the Gate Monitor/or Customer Service Staff will buzz the accompanying adult through the gate. If additional parents/guardians/spectators arrive after the participant has gained access, they are asked to check-in with our Customer Service Desk to verify their child's registration in the program, and then they will also be let in through the access gate.
- Even though an adult is not required to accompany program participants 12+ years, we understand that many may still wish to watch their child during their session. These individuals may access the facility at the same time as the card holder, but adults will not be granted entrance if they arrive after the program participant swipes their card and enters.

Physical Literacy – It Happens Here.

Phys·i·cal Lit·er·a·cy *noun* :

Physical literacy is the motivation, confidence, physical competence, knowledge and understanding to value and take responsibility for engagement in physical activities for life.



If you can

Catch
Jump
Run
Swim
Throw

You will take part in

Soccer
Basketball
Volleyball
Track and Field
Squash
Badminton
Rugby
Tennis



If you can

Catch
Jump
Throw
Swim
Run

You will take part in

Baseball
Softball
Bowling
Soccer
Goalball
Football
Rugby



If you can

Throw
Jump
Swim
Catch
Run

You will take part in

Swimming
Diving
Water Polo
Scuba
Kayaking
Sailing
Surfing

Just like when learning to read, we start with syllables, not novels. Physical literacy starts with fundamental movements like jumping, throwing, catching, hitting and swimming. These skills are taught in a fun and engaging way to encourage enjoyment of physical activity.

At the CGC, we believe that enjoying physical activity is an important motivator when it comes to developing lifelong healthy habits. With this in mind, we strive to help young Nova Scotians experience this enjoyment and become physically literate through our programming.

To ensure our programs are both accessible and of the highest quality, we're involved in the following initiatives:



Sport for Life

Sport for Life (S4L) is a national movement to improve the quality of sport and physical activity in Canada. A key feature of S4L is Long-Term Athlete Development (LTAD), a developmental pathway not only providing optimal training and support to our athletes, but also increasing Physical Literacy for all Canadians, young to young at heart.

ACTIVE FOR LIFE

Active for Life is an online resource where parents can find fun ways of making sure their children get the recommended daily amount of physical activity.



HIGH FIVE is a quality assurance standard for children's recreation and sport across Canada. This standard ensures children ages 6-12 receive quality programming aligned with healthy child development of mind, body and fun! We are a HIGH FIVE Registered Organization and train our instructors to deliver the HIGH FIVE standard.

2 FUNdamentals

MALES 6-9 Years

FEMALES 6-8 Years

- Overall movement skills
- ABCs of athleticism: agility, balance, coordination and speed.
- Daily physical activity, still emphasizing fun

PROGRAMS

- Badminton
- Tennis – Orange Ball
- Wrestling
- Rhythmic Gymnastics
- Explorers: Multi-Sport
- Adventurers: Multi-Sport
- Karate
- Run, Jump, Throw
- Swimming Lessons
- Jr. Lifesaving Club
- Water Polo Club - I Love Water Polo
- Diving Club

4 ActiveforLIFE

MALES & FEMALES

Any Age

- Minimum 60 minutes of moderate daily activity or 30 minutes of intense activity for adults.
- Move from competitive sport to recreational activities

PROGRAMS

- Badminton
- Wrestling
- Family Karate
- Adult Karate
- Adult Sparring
- Adult Fitness Programs
- Nordic Pole Walking
- Swimming Lessons
- Aquatics Leadership Programs
- Water Polo Club - I Love Water Polo
- Masters Swim Club

Our programs are led by certified instructors following the S4L principles to encourage skill development, physical activity and enjoyment at any age

1 ActiveSTART

MALES & FEMALES

0-6 Years

- Development of general movement skills
- Some organized physical activity
- Daily physical activity with emphasis on fun

PROGRAMS

- Play School Swim Lessons
- Tiny Tumblers
- Tumblebugs Gymnastics
- Rhythmic Gymnastics
- Explorers: Multi-Sport
- Karate
- Tennis – Red Ball 1 & Red Ball 2
- Swimming Lessons
- Diving Club -Little Jumpers

3 LearntoTRAIN

MALES 9-12 Years

FEMALES 8-11 Years

- Overall sport skills development
- Major skill learning stage
- Integrated mental, cognitive and emotional development

PROGRAMS

- Badminton
- Wrestling
- Karate
- Youth Sparring
- Run, Jump, Throw
- Family Golf
- Rhythmic Gymnastics
- Swimming Lessons
- Bronze Star
- Jr. Lifesaving Club
- Water Polo Club - I Love Water Polo
- Diving Club

FUNDING PROGRAMS



The Canadian Tire Jumpstart program provides funding for children that would not be able to participate in physical activity without assistance. This funding is available for most of our Aquatics and Recreation programming.

AGE OF PARTICIPANT

4 years – 18 years

CGC PROGRAMS COVERED

All S4L and non-S4L Recreation and Aquatics programs



1) 10 Punch Pass Fee Assistance

Fee assistance is available to individuals and families who are unable to pay for access to the facility. This assistance allows you to receive a 10 Punch Pass.

We continue to offer fee assistance for access to the CGC thanks to the Thrive! Facility Access grants made possible through the Nova Scotia Department of Community, Culture & Heritage. There are two ways to take advantage of this program:

2) Access for Not-for-Profit Groups

Access to the CGC for a group swim or Field House/Track rental is available for groups at a reduced rate. To qualify, groups must be registered not-for-profit organizations working with low income individuals/families/groups in the community.

For more details regarding funding opportunities and applications please visit our website.



Look for the S4L and Active For Life logos throughout this guide for physical literacy programs.

Canada Games Centre Membership



Everything you need to stay active, all under one roof.

MEMBERSHIP INCLUDES

Everything Under One Roof

- Swim, dive and float your way around our Aquatic Centre (3 Pools, Hot Tub, Dry Sauna, Water Slides & Play Features)
- Stay motivated with a large variety of specialized weight training and cardio equipment in our Fitness Centre (ages 14+)
- Hone your skills or play for fun in our Field House (Basketball, Volleyball, Badminton, Ping Pong & Pickleball)
- Stretch your legs on our 6-lane, 200m indoor Track (Strollers and Nordic poles welcome!)
- Choose from over 50 Drop-in Fitness Classes a week, including yoga, Zumba, spinning, interval training, strength & conditioning, aquafit, Hydridorider and more!

Membership Exclusives

- Bi-weekly payment plans available
 - Free Simply Fit Fitness Centre Orientation
 - Advanced Registration and Special Pricing for Programs**
 - Discounts on Personal Training**
 - Member Only Swims
 - Advanced badminton court bookings
 - Ability to freeze your membership for a maximum of 3 months**
- **Annual Members only*

Accessibility

As an inclusive community centre, we've placed great consideration on ensuring that the facility is inclusive to all of our members and guests. Ramp and lift access to our pools, visual and non-visual wayfinding, and barrier free parking areas, entrances, travel paths, and washrooms have all been integrated into the design. To learn more about our accessibility, stop by for a tour or visit our website: canadagamescentre.ca/about-us/accessibility

Also Included

- Day-use lockers
- Free on-site parking
- Balls, racquets, birdies and Nordic poles free to rent
- Outdoor physical literacy playground
- Child Minding available for an additional fee

For membership information, including corporate rates, or to book a tour of our Facility, please contact our Membership Coordinator at 902.490.2291

Recreation Programs

■ PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT DAY CAMPS

HRSB PD Days | April 6th, May 19th, June 29th
CSAP PD Days | April 7th, May 5th, May 19th, June 27th, June 28th, June 29th
Grade P-6 | 8:30am-5:00pm
Members \$30, Non-Members \$35
(Price is per child per day)
Online registration code **121003**

Full Time Registrants in our After School Program:
Members \$20 | Non-Members \$25
(Price is per child per day)

Our program offers an assortment of one-day camps that will surely keep the kids talking! Typical days include everything from swimming in one of the three pools in our massive Aquatics Centre, playing physically active games on the 52,000 square feet of hardwood court space in our Field House, running laps on our 200-metre 6-lane indoor Track, crafts and classroom activities in one of our many community rooms, as well as outdoor play opportunities on our brand new playground.



■ PLAY SCHOOL

Our active play school provides a safe and nurturing environment for your children to learn, grow and experience the world. Children do crafts, play music, and have gym and story time while unlocking their potential through play based hands-on experiences. Children must be at least 3 years old and toilet trained to register. Each child should also bring a nut-free snack and indoor sneakers to each class.

Primary Prep.

8 weeks | Begins April 3rd
Mondays, 9:00am-11:30am*
Members \$61, Non-Members \$69
Online registration code **120110**
Location: Activity Room

Almost ready for big kid school? We'll help you make sure you're ready to go. This class is designed for kids who will be going to Primary in September 2017. Each week will focus on a different theme and have structured learning activities to help your little ones prepare for their next big milestone.

**Please note there are no sessions on
Monday, April 17th & May 22nd*

Fun with French

10 weeks | Begins April 5th
Wednesdays, 9:00am-11:30am
Members \$76, Non-Members \$86
Online registration code **120101**
Location: Activity Room

Un, deux, trois—aller! Spend time learning some basics of Canada's other official language.

Play School Swim Lessons AfL

10 weeks | Begins April 6th
Thursdays, 9:00am-11:30am
Members \$117, Non-Members \$135
Online registration code **120111**
Location: Activity Room

We've combined the fun of our Play School Program with the convenience of our Lifesaving Society's Swim for Life Preschool Swim Lessons. In this program, your child participates in a full swim lesson delivered by certified instructors and receives a report card at the end of the term. We'll accompany your child to the pool for their 9 weeks of lessons and then have fun with classroom activities once they're all dried.

Tiny Tumblers AfL

10 weeks | Begins April 4th
Tuesdays, 9:00am-11:30am
Members \$76, Non-Members \$86
Online registration code **120107**
Location: Activity Room

9 weeks | Begins April 7th
Fridays, 9:00am-11:30am*
Members \$69, Non-Members \$78
Online registration code **120107**
Location: Activity Room

Burn off all that extra energy with this active play session. After some fun classroom time with new friends, we give them an active start by teaching agility, balance and coordination. The program is designed to teach fundamental movement skills in a fun and safe environment, and is sure to keep your kids moving and engaged.

**Please note there are no sessions on Friday, April 14th.*



SPORTS PROGRAMS



Badminton



10 weeks | Begins April 6th
Age 5-8 | Intro Level | Thursdays, 5:00pm-5:45pm*
Age 9-16 | Intro Level | Thursdays, 5:45pm-6:30pm*
Members \$70, Non-Members \$80
Online registration code **120211**
Location: Field House

10 weeks | Begins April 6th
Age 9-16 | Intermediate Level**
Thursdays, 6:30pm-7:30pm*
Members \$70, Non-Members \$80
Online registration code **120211**
Location: Field House

We're continuing our partnership with Badminton Nova Scotia for this child/youth program. Participants will learn to love this fast and exciting sport in a fun and safe setting with certified and accomplished instructors. This program teaches the basics of badminton including a focus on the rules and grips, as well as the fundamental movement skills required for lifelong enjoyment.

**Please note there are no sessions on Thursday, May 11th.*

***The Intermediate Level is for ages 9-16 who have taken our Intro Level. Please note that participants may be moved to the Intro Level based on their ability.*

Tennis



8 weeks | Begins April 4th
RED BALL 1 | Age 5-6 | Beginner to Novice
Tuesdays, 4:30pm-5:15pm
ORANGE BALL 1 | Age 7-8 | Beginner to Novice
Tuesdays, 5:15pm-6:15pm
Members \$48, Non-Members \$56
Online registration code **120205**
Location: Field House

Learn the basics and develop a love for the game with some of Halifax's best coaches. For optimal instruction, all classes have a maximum of 8 kids. Red Ball 1 classes are for those just starting out or who have only taken a class or two before. Orange Ball 1 is for older kids that want to pick up this great sport. Rackets and balls are provided in each class, so all that's needed is sneakers to have a blast. These Tennis Canada Progressive Tennis classes are S4L approved and led by HeadStart Tennis.





Wrestling AfL

Our wrestling program follows the Canadian Wrestling Skill Award Program and Sport for Life model for both boys and girls. It focuses on developing agility, coordination, flexibility and balance, while introducing moves, takedowns, rules and the fundamental wrestling techniques in a safe atmosphere.

BRONZE LEVEL

9 weeks | Begins week of April 3rd
Age 5-8 | Mondays, 5:00pm-5:45pm*
Age 9-12 | Thursdays, 5:45pm-6:30pm*
Members \$60, Non-Members \$70
Online registration code [120207](#)
Location: Field House

**Please note there are no sessions on Monday,
April 17th, Thursday, May 11th & Monday, May 22nd.*

SILVER/GOLD LEVEL

9 weeks | Begins week of April 3rd
Age 5-8 | Thursdays, 5:00pm-5:45pm*
Age 9-12 | Mondays, 5:45pm-6:30pm*
Members \$60, Non-members \$70
Online registration code [120207](#)
Location: Field House

**Please note there are no sessions on Monday,
April 17th, Thursday, May 11th & Monday, May 22nd.*





Rhythmic Gymnastics AfL

8 weeks | Begins April 3rd

Level 1 | Ages 5-7 | Mondays, 5:00pm-5:30pm*

Level 2 | Ages 8-12 | Mondays, 5:30pm-6:00pm*

Members \$60, Non-Members \$70

Online registration code **120210**

Location: Field House

Rhythmic Gymnastics is a graceful and artistic sport. It combines the elements of ballet, gymnastics, dance, and apparatus manipulation (hoop, ball, ribbon, and rope) to music. This program will cover the basic requirements of a rhythmic gymnast including strength, power, flexibility, agility, dexterity, endurance and hand-eye coordination in a fun and creative manner. Gymnasts will also learn jumps, leaps, pivots, balances and flexibility movements. Instruction will be given by Amanda Layton-Malone a Level 3, NCCP Certified Coach who has produced World Championship level gymnasts and has travelled the world competing and teaching the sport. Participants are to wear a gymnastics leotard and bare feet to class. Come see what all of the “hoopla” is all about!

**Please note there are no sessions on Monday, April 17th & Monday, May 22nd.*

Advanced Rhythmic Gymnastics AfL Performance Team

8 weeks | Begins April 3rd

Ages 8-16 | Mondays and Wednesdays, 6:00pm-7:15pm*

Members \$100, Non-Members \$112

Online registration code **120210**

Location: Field House

The goal of this team is to learn routines, understand music and movement, and perfect performance skills, with a possible opportunity to perform at a CGC event. Gymnasts will review and acquire more complex jumps, leaps, pivots, balances and flexibility movements with more use of the apparatus. Instruction will be given by Amanda Layton-Malone Level 3, NCCP Certified Coach who has produced World Championship level gymnasts, and has travelled the world competing, demonstrating, and teaching the sport. The Performance Team will be selected by the Head Coach and is for gymnasts with a strong background in dance, gymnastics, and rhythmic gymnastics. Please contact Amanda prior to registration at recreation@canadagamescentre.ca. Gymnasts are required to wear a gymnastics leotard and bare feet to all classes.

**Please note there are no sessions on Monday, April 17th & Monday, May 22nd.*

Youth Karate AfL

Led by 5th Degree Black Belt Sensei Jeff Murphy, our belted Shotokan-Karate program will facilitate learning and skill development for those wishing to move their way through the ranks. Belting opportunities will be presented when children are ready to challenge their appropriate level. Additional fees for belt testing and uniforms will be the responsibility of participants. Gi's can be purchased through Jeff on the first day if necessary at a cost of approximately \$50 plus tax. Classes fill up very quickly, so please register early so you are not disappointed!

11-12 weeks | Begins week of April 3rd

Online registration code [120202](#)

Location: Dance Studio

**Please note there are no sessions on
Monday, April 17th & Monday, May 22nd*

FUNDAMENTAL SKILLS | Ages 4-5 | Non-belted
11 weeks | Mondays 9:30am-10:00am or 6:00pm-6:30pm*
Members \$66, Non-Members \$85

12 weeks | Wednesdays 5:45pm-6:15pm
12 weeks | Tuesdays 4:30pm-5:00pm
Members \$72, Non-Members \$93 (\$5 discount for kids enrolled in both Fundamental Skill classes).



BEGINNER

11 weeks | Ages 6-8 | Mondays 6:30pm-7:15pm*
Members \$77, Non-Members \$97

YELLOW STRIPE AND UP

12 weeks | Ages 6-8 | Wednesdays 6:15pm-7:00pm
Members \$84, Non-Members \$106

ALL RANKS

12 weeks | Ages 6-8 | Tuesdays, 5:00pm-5:45pm or
5:45pm-6:30pm
Members \$84, Non-Members \$106

WHITE TO ORANGE BELT

11 weeks | Ages 9-12 | Mondays, 7:15pm-8:15pm*
Members \$90, Non-Members \$113

GREEN BELT AND UP

12 weeks | Ages 9-12 | Tuesdays, 6:30pm-7:30pm
Members \$98, Non-Members \$124

ALL RANKS

12 weeks | Ages 9-12 | Thursdays, 4:00pm-5:00pm
Members \$98, Non-Members \$124



Family Karate

Led by Sensei Jeff Murphy for parents and children (6yrs-12yrs), family karate is offered again as a great way to stay active together. New participants are more than welcome and should register for the White to Orange Belt class. If you have taken Sensei Jeff's class before and are looking for a more advanced class, please register in the Green Belt and Up family section. Additional fees for belt testing and uniforms will be the responsibility of participants.*

**Gi's can be purchased through Jeff on the first day if necessary at a cost of approximately \$50-\$65 plus tax (depending on size).*

12 weeks | Begins week of April 3rd

Online registration code **120202**

Location: Dance Studio

WHITE TO ORANGE BELT | Thursdays 6:00pm-7:00pm

GREEN BELT AND UP | Wednesdays 7:00pm-8:00pm

Children 6-12 & Parents

ALL RANKS | Thursdays 5:00pm-6:00pm

Children 6+ & Parents

One parent must participate with the child(ren).

Price for first participant:

Members \$72, Non-Members \$93 (plus tax)

Price for each additional participant:

Members \$18, Non-Members \$24 (plus tax)



Adult Karate

11 weeks | Begins week of April 3rd

Adult & Ages 13+

WHITE TO ORANGE BELT

12 weeks | Tuesdays, 7:30pm-8:30pm

Members \$98, Non-Members \$124 (plus tax)

GREEN BELT AND UP

11 weeks | Mondays, 8:15pm-9:15pm*

Members \$90, Non-Members \$113 (plus tax)

BROWN & BLACK BELT

12 weeks | Wednesdays 8:00pm-9:00pm

Members \$98, Non-members \$124 (plus tax)

Online registration code **120202**

Location: Dance Studio

**Please note there are no sessions on Monday, April 17th & Monday, May 22nd*

Instructor Sensei Jeff Murphy is offering both a basic movement and sparring focused program. The Adult White to Orange Belt Class is for adults where basic karate movements are reviewed, and the Adult Sparring class is for anyone aged 13 years and above who possess a yellow belt or higher in karate. Additional fees for belting and Gi are the responsibility of the participant.**

***Gi is approximately \$65 plus tax (depending on size).*

Youth Sparring

12 weeks | Begins week of April 3rd

Ages 7-12 | Thursdays, 7:00pm-8:00pm

Members \$98, Non-Members \$124 (plus tax)

Online registration code **120202**

Location: Dance Studio

(\$20 discount in sparring class fees for kids enrolled in addition youth karate classes).

Youth Sparring is for 7-12 year olds who possess a yellow belt or higher in karate. Purchase of safety equipment not included in fees (approx. \$120 plus tax).

Adult Sparring

12 weeks | Begins the week of April 3rd
Adult & Ages 13+ | Thursdays, 8:00pm-9:00pm
Members \$98, Non-Members \$114 (plus tax)
Online registration code **120202**
Location: Dance Studio
(\$20 discount in sparring class fees for adults who take both adult classes).

For Yellow belt or higher, purchase of safety equipment not included in fees.



Senior Karate

11-12 weeks | Begins week of April 3rd
ALL RANKS | 55+ | Mondays, 10:00am-11:00am*
Members \$55, Non-Members \$69 (plus tax)
ALL RANKS | 55+ | Wednesday, 11:00am-12:00pm
Members \$60, Non-Members \$75 (plus tax)
Online registration code **120202**
Location: Dance Studio

**Please note there are no sessions on
Monday, April 17th & Monday, May 22nd*

Instructor Sensei Jeff Murphy is offering both a basic movement and sparring focused program. Senior Karate is a program where basic karate movements are reviewed. Additional fees for belting and Gi are the responsibility of the participant.**

***Gi is approximately \$65 plus tax (depending on size).*

Karate Private Lessons

You can also register for Private Lessons.
To arrange a private lesson, please contact
Instructor Sensei Jeff Murphy at jeff-murphy@live.com.

Taekwon-Do

8 weeks | Begins April 8th
Ages 5-7 | Saturdays, 12:30pm-1:15pm
Ages 8-13 | Saturdays, 1:15pm-2:00pm
Members \$60, Non-Members \$70
Online registration code **120201**
Location: Dance Studio

Use this Korean martial art to focus your energy in a positive way. Under the direction of 6th level black belt David Hiltz, Taekwon Do is designed to enhance strength, flexibility, balance and confidence through practice and discipline. This program is not belted and requires only comfortable active wear to participate.

Run, Jump, Throw

8 weeks | Begins April 5th
Ages 7-11 | Wednesdays, 5:00pm-6:00pm
Members \$60, Non-Members \$70
Online registration code **120207**
Location: Track

An Athletics Canada program, Run Jump Throw assists youth in learning to move efficiently and help them grow into adults who are active, productive and healthy citizens. Based on Sport for Life's FUNdamental Stage of physical literacy, the goal of Run Jump Throw is to offer a program that serves as a strong foundation for all sports. This class is designed specifically to get your kids up and moving, and to build physical activity skills they will use throughout their lives. No prior experience is necessary and all children are welcome.

Explorers: Multi-Sport

8 weeks | Begins April 3rd
Ages 3-5 | Mondays, 5:30pm-6:15pm*
Members \$60, Non-Members \$70
Online registration code [120207](#)
Location: Field House

This program combines games and play-based learning to build fundamental movement skills in children like running, jumping, balance, throwing, catching and striking. The skills learned in this program allow children to become confident and competent in all sorts of future game play and grow into active teens, and remain healthy as they become adults!

**Please note there are no sessions on
Monday, April 17th & Monday, May 22nd.*

Adventurers: Multi-Sport

8 weeks | Begins April 3rd
Ages 6-9 | Mondays, 6:15pm-7:00pm*
Members \$60, Non-Members \$70
Online registration code [120207](#)
Location: Field House

This program combines games and play-based learning to build fundamental sport skills in children like agility, running, striking, coordination and basic skills development of many sports. Children become confident and competent in these fundamental sports skills which will set them up to play and enjoy all kinds of sports.

**Please note there are no sessions on
Monday, April 17th & Monday, May 22nd.*



■ DANCE



The Canada Games Centre is pleased to continue our partnership with Halifax Dance for all of our Dance Programs. A staple in the community for over four decades, Halifax Dance will be teaching the joy of movement arts to participants at the Centre. All instructors are highly trained and come with a background in professional dance and accredited teacher training.

Creative Movement 1

10 weeks | Begins April 8th
Ages 3-4 | Saturdays, 10:00am-10:30am*
Members \$75, Non-Members \$85
Online registration code [120401](#)
Location: Dance Studio

Creative Movement 2

10 weeks | Begins April 8th
Ages 4-5 | Saturdays, 10:35am-11:05am
Members \$75, Non-Members \$85
Online registration code [120401](#)
Location: Dance Studio

Children's creativity and imagination will flourish in this program. Creative Movement enhances social interaction and individual development skills. This program uses singing, games, floor patterns, and basic dance steps to develop motor skills and spatial awareness.



Pre-Ballet

10 weeks | Begins April 8th
Ages 5-6 | Saturdays, 11:10am-11:50pm
Members \$105, Non-Members \$114
Online registration code [120401](#)
Location: Dance Studio

This program is a prelude to more formal ballet instruction and introduces children to music and movement through structured progressions and activities that refine fine and gross motor skills. This program also enhances social interaction and individual development skills. Pre-Ballet introduces the basic shapes, positions and postures of ballet in a fun studio atmosphere.





■ CREATIVE ARTS

Acrylic Painting - All Skill Levels

4 weeks | Begins April 3rd | Ages 18+

Mondays, 1:15pm-4:15pm*

Mondays, 5:45pm-8:45pm*

Members \$125, Non-Members \$140 (plus tax)

Online registration code [120302](#)

Location: Classroom

This class is for anyone wishing to unleash their inner painter. Join accomplished artist and experienced art teacher Laurie Mireau in this four session course and learn to mix colours and how to choose colours that work well together. Brush techniques and the techniques for starting a painting will be taught. Methods will be demonstrated and individual assistance will be provided. Tips on composition and drawing will be provided as needed, as the main focus will be on the application of paint to achieve artistic effects.

Supply lists will be provided before classes start by email.

**Please note there are no sessions on Monday, April 17th.*



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1 DAY - MAY 27th

We're bringing you 3 on 3 Basketball.

REGISTRATION FEES:

EARLY BIRD: \$40 per person until April 28th

REGULAR: \$50 per person

Fee includes a reversible basketball jersey

AGE DIVISIONS: U12 and U14

Round robin style tournament with playoff games & free throw contest

Online registration code **120206**

Tournament play will take place on Saturday with divisions based on age and gender. Age categories are U12 and U14. To be eligible to play in the specific age groups, the player must not have reached that age within the current season. Playoff games will begin after round robin.



Fitness and Wellness Programs

What's the difference between **CGC'S REGISTERED FITNESS PROGRAMS** and the **DROP-IN FITNESS CLASSES** included in your membership or day pass?



Registered programs are designed for the participant who wishes to progress over the course of a program. Led by certified instructors, these programs are smaller in size allowing for more specialized training and attention to help you reach your goals. Registered programs are not included in membership fees, but members do receive a discounted rate. Spaces are limited, so pre-registration is required.

Your membership or day pass includes more than 50 Drop-in Fitness Classes each week. These classes are designed for all fitness levels (unless noted), so if you are interested in cross training or trying something different, we have a class for you! Zumba, Aquafit, Interval Training, Yoga and more – pick your favourites from our **Drop-in Fitness Schedule** available online or at the Customer Service Desk.

■ ADULT SPECIALIZED PROGRAMS



Active Rx : Exercise and Cancer ← NEW

6 weeks, 11 classes | May 1st-June 7th
Mondays and Wednesdays 1:00pm-1:45pm*
Members \$44, Non-Members \$66 (plus tax)
Online registration code: **130516**
Location: Dance Studio

**Please note there is no session on Monday, May 22nd.*

The Canadian Cancer Society and the Canadian Society of Exercise Physiology not only considers exercise safe during and after cancer treatment but also recommends participating in regular exercise due to a number of benefits. Under the guidance of our Exercise Specialists, this program is open to anyone who is pre-treatment, undergoing, or post treatment for cancer. This program features 45 minute sessions, twice a week for six weeks. The program size is small to allow for an individualized program in a safe and supportive group environment. Come join us to improve your energy levels, strength, mobility, and balance.

All participants must have their physician fill out a **PAR MED X, form** stating your contradictions and indications to exercise.

Contact Malachi Fralick, Fitness & Wellness Coordinator at 902.490.2249 for more information.



Early Morning Boot Camp

6 weeks, 12 sessions | April 4th-May 11th
Tuesdays & Thursdays, 6:00am-7:00am
Members \$96, Non-Members \$120 (plus tax)
Online registration code: **130502**
Location: Track

6 weeks, 12 sessions | May 16th-June 22nd
Tuesdays & Thursdays, 6:00am-7:00am
Members \$96, Non-Members \$120 (plus tax)
Online registration code: **130502**
Location: Track

Wake up and own the day with a challenging, full-body workout! Whatever your fitness goals, this program is designed to help you reach them through endurance, interval and strength training. This is a great program for those who want an invigorating workout to get their day started.

Session will be held outside some mornings in late spring, weather permitting.

Burlesque Dance

6 weeks | April 4th-May 9th
Tuesdays, 6:00pm-7:00pm
Members \$48, Non-Members \$60 (plus tax)
Online registration code **130513**
Location: 2nd Floor Fitness Studio

6 weeks | May 16th-June 20th
Tuesdays, 6:00pm-7:00pm
Members \$48, Non-Members \$60 (plus tax)
Online registration code **130513**
Location: 2nd Floor Fitness Studio

Have you always wanted to express yourself through dance and feel more confident in your body? Here's your chance to let your hair down! Come spice up your Tuesday nights with Burlesque Dance. This program incorporates cardiovascular fitness along with burlesque dance choreography that will bring out your inner diva. This program is so much fun you won't realize it's even exercise. Heels are encouraged.

Intro to Barbell Training



6 weeks | April 23rd-May 28th
Sundays, 10:30am-11:30am
Members \$72, Non-Members \$90 (plus tax)
Online registration code **130512**
Location: Sports Performance Room - Fitness Centre

Want to learn how to squat, bench press, deadlift, overhead press, and row correctly? This program is designed to teach you the proper technique and safety cues of basic barbell training. Participants will learn how to properly execute the most proven movements to help increase strength and power. Space is limited to a maximum of six people.

Kettlebell Basics



6 weeks | April 5th-May 10th
Wednesdays, 6:15pm-7:00pm
Members \$48, Non-Members \$60 (plus tax)
Online registration code **130503**
Location: Track Starting Blocks

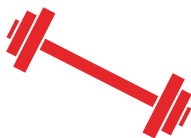
6 weeks | April 3rd-May 15th
Mondays, 6:00pm-6:45pm*
Members \$48, Non-Members \$60 (plus tax)
Online registration code **130503**
Location: Track Starting Blocks

**Please note there is no session on Monday, April 17th.*

6 weeks | May 17th-June 21st
Wednesdays, 6:15pm-7:00pm
Members \$48, Non-Members \$60 (plus tax)
Online registration code **130503**
Location: Track Starting Blocks

Kettlebell Basics is a popular and effective program that improves coordination, aerobic capacity and muscular strength and endurance. This program will progress weekly and is taught by a certified Agatsu Kettlebell Instructor. Learn to utilize kettlebells safely and purposefully when incorporating them in to your workouts. Change your workout, and you'll change your body.

Lifting 101 - Women's Only



4 weeks | June 4th-June 25th
Sundays, 7:00pm-8:00pm
Members \$32, Non-Members \$40 (plus tax)
Online registration code **130514**
Location: Fitness Centre

Does the gym confuse you or make you feel intimidated? Do you see lots of exercise options but aren't sure of their proper technique or how to implement them into a workout? This WOMEN'S ONLY program, led by a female Exercise Specialist, will walk you through basic strength exercises during our female-only hour to ensure you feel confident and comfortable while working out.

Smart Start Basic Bike

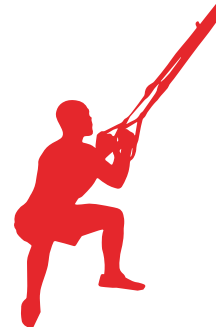


6 weeks | April 4th-May 9th
Tuesdays, 6:15pm-7:00pm
Members \$48, Non-Members \$60 (plus tax)
Online registration code **130515**
Location: Spin Alcove on Track

6 weeks | May 16th-June 20th
Tuesdays, 6:15pm-7:00pm
Members \$48, Non-Members \$60 (plus tax)
Online registration code **130515**
Location: Spin Alcove on Track

New to spin? Join us for this introduction to indoor cycling. This program will begin with a nice and easy rhythm before gradually progressing to a more challenging pace. It is 30 minutes of cycling, followed by 15 minutes of core exercises that will target the abdominal and lower back muscles needed for spin. No spin experience necessary for this Basic Bike program. A great start to your cycling adventure!

TRX Training Basic Camp



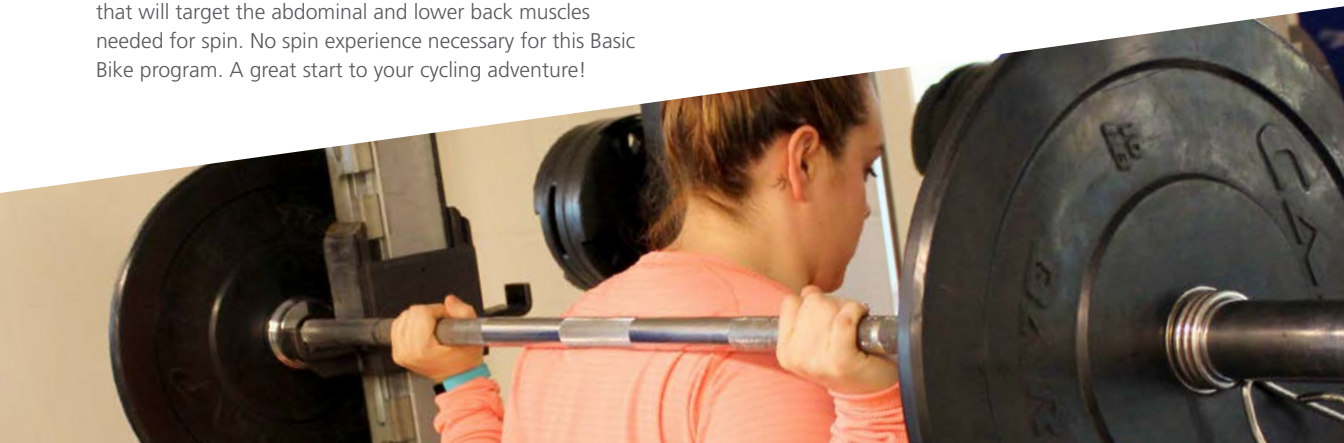
6 weeks | April 6th-May 11th
Thursdays, 7:00pm-7:45pm
Members \$48, Non-Members \$60 (plus tax)
Online registration code **130508**
Location: Track

6 weeks | April 4th-May 9th
Tuesdays, 7:00pm-7:45pm
Members \$48, Non-Members \$60 (plus tax)
Online registration code **130508**
Location: Track

6 weeks | May 18th-June 22nd
Thursdays, 7:00pm-7:45pm
Members \$48, Non-Members \$60 (plus tax)
Online registration code **130508**
Location: Track

6 weeks | May 16th-June 20th
Tuesdays, 7:00pm-7:45pm
Members \$48, Non-Members \$60 (plus tax)
Online registration code **130508**
Location: Track

Get suspended! TRX Suspension Training is a revolutionary strength and conditioning system that uses your own body weight as resistance. No matter what your fitness level, this heart pounding fusion of TRX body-weight resistance training and cardio intervals will strengthen your core and make you feel strong and powerful.



TRX Strong

6 weeks | April 5th-May 10th
Wednesdays, 6:00pm-6:45pm
Members \$48, Non-Members \$60 (plus tax)
Online registration code **130508**
Location: Track

6 weeks | May 17th-June 21st
Wednesdays, 6:00pm-6:45pm
Members \$48, Non-Members \$60 (plus tax)
Online registration code **130508**
Location: Track

Prerequisite: Must have previous experience with TRX Suspension Trainer or have attended the TRX Training Basic Camp.

TRX Strong will push your basic TRX training to new heights. This intermediate program delivers a challenging and effective total-body workout. We'll keep you moving the entire time so you can get your cardio on while building strength and core stabilization.



Toughen Up

12 weeks, 22 sessions | April 3rd-June 21st
Mondays & Wednesdays, 6:30pm-7:30pm*
Members \$176 Non-Members \$220 (plus tax)
Online registration code **130504**
Location: Sport Performance Room-Fitness Centre

Get off the couch and into the best shape of your life at the Canada Games Centre with this resistance/interval training program. This fitness program is designed for participants who will strive to improve their strength, endurance and body composition in 12 weeks. Pre & post fitness tests, as well as anthropometric measurements, will help keep you on track. High intensity training and a variety of fun and challenging workouts will get you to your goal and your new you.

**Please note there is no class on
Monday, April 17th & Monday, May 22nd.*



■ PRE AND POST NATAL PROGRAMS

Parent & Baby Aquafit – Postnatal Aqua Fitness ← NEW

Baby age: 4 months +

6 weeks | May 16th-June 20th

Tuesdays, 9:00am-9:45am

Members \$48, Non-Members \$60 (plus tax)

Online registration code **130403**

Location: Leisure Pool

Fitness and fun for mom and baby! In a warm pool, ease back into your fitness journey as an instructor leads you through 45 minutes of cardio and muscular endurance training. As a new parent, you will get a workout while having a splash with your baby. Please dress your baby in an official swim diaper. Baby boats are provided up to a maximum weight of 20lbs. Dads are welcome!

**Please have your Doctor provide you with your post 6 week exercise clearance before attending this program.*

Restore Your Core

6 weeks | April 6th-May 11th

Thursdays, 10:30am-11:30am

Members \$48, Non-Members \$60 (plus tax)

Online registration code **130405**

Location: Dance Studio

6 weeks | May 18th-June 22nd

Thursdays, 10:30am-11:30am

Members \$48, Non-Members \$60 (plus tax)

Online registration code **130405**

Location: Dance Studio

Take back control of your core. This program will incorporate targeted exercises that will help strengthen your abdominals and pelvic floor. Our certified Postnatal Fitness Instructor will lead you through re-establishing your stability, improving your posture, increasing your body awareness, and building endurance. Babies, car seats and bottles are welcome.

**Please have your Doctor provide you with your post 6 week exercise clearance before attending this program.*



Prenatal Fit Camp

6 weeks | April 3rd-May 15th
Mondays, 6:00pm-6:45pm*
Members \$48, Non-Members \$60 (plus tax)
Online registration code **130404**
Location: 2nd Floor Fitness Studio

**Please note there is no session on Monday, April 17th.*

5 weeks | May 29th-June 26th
Mondays, 6:00pm-6:45pm
Members \$40, Non-Members \$50 (plus tax)
Online registration code **130404**
Location: 2nd Floor Fitness Studio

Prenatal Fit Camp is focused on keeping you safe, strong and healthy throughout your pregnancy. This camp incorporates cardio, gentle strength movements, and other proven exercises to increase muscular strength, posture, and endurance. This camp will help you to develop body awareness, allowing you to stay active right up until your due date. Camp size will be small with a maximum of 8 participants, allowing for individual modifications for your comfort, stage of pregnancy, and fitness level.

**Please have your Doctor fill out a PARmed-X for Pregnancy prior to taking this camp. Copies of this form can be found online at csep.ca/CMFiles/publications/parq/parmed-xpreg.pdf or pick up a copy provided at the Canada Games Centre Fitness Desk.*

Stroller Circuit

6 weeks, 11 sessions | April 3rd-May 10th
Mondays & Wednesdays, 10:30am-11:30am*
Members \$88, Non-Members \$110 (plus tax)
Online registration code **130402**
Location: Track Starting Blocks

**Please note there is no session on Monday, April 17th.*

6 weeks, 11 sessions | May 15th-June 21st
Mondays & Wednesdays, 10:30am-11:30am*
Members \$88, Non-Members \$110 (plus tax)
Online registration code **130402**
Location: Track Starting Blocks

**Please note there is no session on Monday, May 22nd.*

This safe and interactive stroller fitness program is designed for the parent who wants to get into shape without leaving their baby out of the picture. A certified Postnatal Fitness Instructor will lead you through cardio and strength workouts that can be modified to any fitness level in order to help you achieve your personal fitness goals. Progressive in nature, this is a welcoming environment for those looking to introduce themselves to fitness or for those returning to fitness postpartum.

**Please have your Doctor provide you with your post 6 week exercise clearance before attending this program.*



■ MIND BODY PROGRAMS

Yoga For Every Body

6 weeks | April 6th-May 11th
Thursdays, 1:00pm-2:00pm
Members \$48, Non-Members \$60 (plus tax)
Online registration code **130303**
Location: 2nd Floor Fitness Studio

6 weeks | May 18th-June 22nd
Thursdays, 1:00pm-2:00pm
Members \$48, Non-Members \$60 (plus tax)
Online registration code **130303**
Location: 2nd Floor Fitness Studio

Yoga For Every Body is open to all fitness levels, and uses the help of a straight-backed chair to facilitate posture, and offer modifications to provide its participants with additional support if needed. With the attitude of “use it or lose it”, this is a great program for people who do not feel they are able to join a regular yoga class, but who want to improve their core strength, spinal mobility, and overall flexibility.

Introduction to Yoga

8 weeks | April 5th-May 24th
Wednesdays, 6:00pm-7:00pm
Members \$64, Non-members \$80 (plus tax)
Online registration code **130301**
Location: 2nd Floor Fitness Studio

Learn the basics that help make you feel comfortable in yoga in a non-intimidating and welcoming atmosphere. This program is a must for brand-new yogis, those restarting their practice after a long break, or for students looking to deepen their awareness and practice. As the practice progresses from week-to-week, you will build a solid foundation and can expect to improve your overall physical fitness and mindfulness.

Intermediate Yoga

8 weeks | April 5th-May 24th
Wednesdays, 7:15pm-8:15pm
Members \$64, Non-members \$80 (plus tax)
Online registration code **130305**
Location: 2nd Floor Fitness Studio

Prerequisite: Previous yoga experience required or have attended Introduction to Yoga.

Are you comfortable with basic yoga poses and looking to delve deeper into your practice? Intermediate Yoga is a natural continuation from our introductory program and ideal for anyone looking to improve their body awareness, breathing technique, and alignment in their yoga asanas. This is a gently paced, fluid yoga class that will help open the hips, strengthen the core, and improve posture.

Advanced Yoga Practice ← NEW

4 weeks | May 31st-June 21st
Wednesdays, 7:15pm-8:15pm
Members \$32, Non-members \$40 (plus tax)
Online registration code **130306**
Location: 2nd Floor Fitness Studio

Prerequisite: Must have previous yoga experience or have attended Intermediate Yoga.

Advanced Yoga is a natural continuum from our 8 week Intermediate Yoga program. This short 4 week program will focus on learning some progressive yoga poses like Headstand, Handstand, Crow, and Scorpion.



Pilates

12 weeks | April 6th-June 22nd

Thursdays, 6:00pm-7:00pm

Members \$96, Non-Members \$120 (plus tax)

Online registration code **130304**

Location: 2nd Floor Fitness Studio

Strengthen, lengthen, and tone the entire body! Led by a certified Stott Pilates Instructor, this dynamic full-body workout utilizes light weights and small equipment to target the deep muscles of the abdomen and back. Program capacity is limited to ensure correct posture and exercise progression.

Pilates Sculpt

11 weeks | April 3rd-June 26th

Mondays, 7:00pm-8:00pm*

Members \$88, Non-Members \$110 (plus tax)

Online registration code **130307**

Location: 2nd Floor Fitness Studio

Prerequisite: Previous pilates experience is required.

**Please note there are no sessions on
Monday, April 17th & Monday, May 22nd.*

Take your Pilates training to the next level by increasing the intensity and control of the exercises with a heightened emphasis on the breath and postural mindfulness. Through detailed cuing, you will improve your muscular engagement, stabilization, and support. This course is led by a certified Stott Pilates Instructor.



■ YOUTH SPECIALIZED PROGRAMS

Youth Indoor Spin ← NEW

4 weeks | April 8th-April 29th
Ages 12-17 | Saturdays, 10am-10:45am
Members \$20, Non-Members \$32 (plus tax)
Online registration code **130517**
Location: Spin Alcove on Track

Learn the basics of indoor cycling and enjoy a great workout with your peers. This challenging and fun program will help improve your cardiovascular endurance and aid with your performance in sport. Suitable for all fitness levels.

Youth Yoga & Meditation ← NEW

5 weeks | May 31st-June 28th
Ages 7-12 | Wednesdays 6:15pm-7:00pm
Members \$25, Non-Members \$40 (plus tax)
Online registration code **130302**
Location: 2nd Floor Fitness Studio

In a non-competitive program, kids will learn gross motor skills and yogic notions such as gratitude and kindness. Deep breathing and laughter will build your child's confidence and self-awareness. The skills learned in this program can also help improve your child's performance in competitive athletics.

Youth Drop-in Fitness Classes ← NEW

We also offer drop-in Youth Strength and Zumba Kids, which are included in your membership or day pass rate. You'll find these classes listed on the [Drop-in Fitness schedules](#) available on our website.



Youth and Elite Sports Performance Training

Seasonal Camps and Off-Season Training

Athleticism is the foundation of all sports specific training. We offer sports specific training for emerging, college, elite, and recreational level athletes. A sports performance assessment is just the beginning of your sports performance experience. All dryland sport conditioning programs for emerging and elite athletes are tailored to meet the energetics & movement demands specific to each athlete's needs and injury history. We commit to taking your performance to the next level.

PRICE	DURATION	# OF ATHLETES
\$10 per youth	60 minute session	5+ athletes
\$17 per youth	60 minute session	3-4 athletes
\$25 per youth	60 minute session	2 athletes

Contact the Fitness Centre at 902.490.2580 to book your Sports Performance Training today!



ADULT WORKSHOPS

*Registration is required for all Adult Workshops as space is limited.

Food Smart Workshop ← NEW



Saturday, April 29th, 11:15am-12:45pm
Members \$8, Non-Members \$12 (plus tax)
Online registration code **130201**

Thursday, June 1st, 7pm-8:30pm
Members \$8, Non-Members \$12 (plus tax)
Online registration code **130201**

The purpose of Food Smart is to provide fact-based information from different perspectives in order to develop and/or enhance an understanding of nutrition and its essential role in your health. We will explore key nutrients and their functions, label reading, and portion sizes. This nutrition workshop series will provide you with an opportunity to create a supportive approach to your health goals.

Presenter: CGC Exercise Specialist Caroline Anderson, MSVU BScAHN (Hons Dietetics)

Joint Mobility Workshop

Saturday, April 8th 11:15am-12:30pm
Members \$8, Non-Members \$12 (plus tax)
Online registration code **130201**
Location: 2nd Floor Fitness Studio

Feeling stiff? In this workshop, learn how to increase your range of motion, release muscle tension, and decrease joint pain. A combination of stretches and foam rolling techniques will be taught to prepare your body to move more efficiently through your workouts and everyday tasks.



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Kettlebell Workshop



Saturday, May 13th, 11:15am-12:15pm
Members \$8, Non-Members \$12 (plus tax)
Online registration code **130201**
Location: 2nd Floor Fitness Studio

Kettlebell is a highly effective conditioning workout. Learn basic exercises the correct and safe way to increase coordination, joint mobility and overall endurance. All fitness levels are welcome and no previous kettlebell experience is necessary. This workshop will be taught by a certified Agatsu Kettlebell instructor.





■ FITNESS SERVICES

Whether you are looking for a more personalized program, specialized sports training, or just need help getting started, we can help. To sign up for any of the following Fitness Services, or for more information, please stop by or contact the Fitness Centre Desk at **902.490.2580**.

Simply Fit ← **FREE FOR MEMBERS**

Wednesdays 6:30pm | Saturdays 9:00am
Contact the Fitness Centre at 902.490.2580 to sign-up!

Join us for this **complimentary** general fitness facility and equipment orientation. You will leave feeling comfortable to complete a great workout by yourself, with a friend, or in a group exercise class.

Fitness Assessment & Program Design

Members \$150.00, Non-Members \$175.00 (plus tax)
Contact the Fitness Centre at 902.490.2580 to book.

Thinking about personal training? Try this package on for size. An Exercise Specialist will measure your following components: body composition, cardiovascular fitness, muscular strength and endurance, and flexibility. The data collected will be used to create a personalized program that will help you reach your fitness goals.



■ PERSONAL TRAINING

Want results? Book an initial **FREE consultation** with an Exercise Specialist to talk about your goals to see which package or training sessions would work best for your individual experience. Contact the Fitness & Wellness Centre at **902.490.2580** to book a consultation.

PERSONAL TRAINING PACKAGES*	MEMBER	NON-MEMBER
Individual Session	\$50	\$60
Packages of 5	\$230	\$280
Packages of 10	\$430	\$530
<i>Larger packages also available. (11+)</i>	\$40 per session	\$50 per session
SEMI – PRIVATE (2 people) – 1 hour	\$35 per person	\$40 per person
Packages of 5	\$160 per person	\$188 per person
Packages of 10	\$300 per person	\$349 per person
SMALL GROUP PT min 4 people / max 7 people 5 session minimum	\$27 per person \$135 per person for 5 sessions	\$32 per person \$160 per person for 5 sessions

*Sessions can be scheduled at 1/2 hour intervals. Taxes not included in pricing above. All personal training packages expire within 1 year of purchase.



Aquatics Programs

■ AQUATICS REGISTRATION INFORMATION

To register for swim lessons, first determine the appropriate swim level. If unsure, refer to the program descriptions and lessons chart in this guide or contact our Aquatics Program Supervisor at **902.490.2913** or obriend@canadagamescentre.ca.

Next, refer to the days, times and sections of a particular class or level (see chart on page 38). If a section time is full when you attempt to register, please register for another section time or register on our waiting list. We do our best to fill waiting list requests. Due to a commitment to quality and safety we are unable to accommodate extra swimmers once a section is filled. Please refer to registration instructions on page 3 for online or in-person registration. Registration is ongoing until 1 week prior to class start date. CGC Swim For Life levels and Canadian Lifesaving Swim Patrol (Swimmers 7, 8 & 9) are HST exempt. Applicable taxes will be added to the registration fee for other programs.



Based on the internationally recognized Swim to Survive standard and aligned with the Canadian Sport for Life model, the Lifesaving Society's Swim for Life Program focuses on basic survival skills and proper swimming technique – fun from day one! Swim for Life starts by developing strong foundational and personal self-rescue skills, then continues on by challenging swimmers to develop stronger swimming strokes. Success oriented and fun for the entire family, there is something for everyone in the Swim for Life program.



AQUATICS PROGRAMS CONTINUED COMMITMENT TO QUALITY

We are committed to quality programs and a positive experience for all students and parents. To ensure this, we organize our programs to meet everyone's needs.

- 35 & 50 minute classes
- 9 week program allows us to not schedule classes during holidays.
- Scheduled 5 minutes between classes for rotation, evaluation & to connect with parents
- Aquatic Program Specialist on deck to mentor instructors
- Inclusion Days offering group lessons through Swim Whisperers instructor training (see page 39 for details)

For further information please refer to the Aquatic Parent Handbook.



■ PARENT & TOT PROGRAMS



Ages 4 months-3+ years and caregivers
9 lessons | 35 minutes per lesson
Members \$75, Non-Members \$105

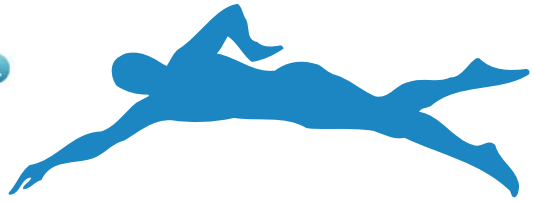
See chart on page 38 for swim lesson days and times.

Based on the principle “within arm’s reach”, our Parent & Tot levels focus on close, playful interaction, and shared fun between child, caregiver, and water. Activities and progressions are based on child development. Parents are to register their child in the appropriate level for his/her age. Through safety tips provided, caregivers learn what it takes to make Water Smart® choices.

PARENT & TOT 1

4-18 MONTHS | Online registration code **110111**

Splash, splash, laugh - babies just love to play in water. Parents with 4-18 month old babies will explore the water together under the watchful eyes of their instructor. They'll learn how to safely enter and exit the water together. Parents will also learn how to safely support their child while they discover the water.



PARENT & TOT 2

18-30 months | Online registration code **110112**

Water play – get set, get wet! Instructor-led sessions help parents with 18-30 month old children safely explore water together. Parents are taught how to support their child while floating and kicking. They can celebrate together when they can get their face wet and blow bubbles for the first time.

PARENT & TOT 3

2.5-3.5 years | Online registration code **110113**

Just watch them grow! At 2.5-3.5 years these almost independent toddlers are really ready to explore: getting in, getting out, going under and floating while under the watchful eye of their parents and instructor. As the classes progress, parents will spend less and less time in the water to help prepare participants for Preschool Level 1.





■ PRESCHOOL PROGRAMS

Ages 3-5 years old
9 lessons, 35 minutes per lesson
Members \$75, Non-Members \$105

See chart on page 38 for swim lesson days and times.

The Swim for Life Preschool Program gives children an active start on learning how to swim. These 3-5 year old preschoolers learn how to be comfortable in the water and have fun. They develop a foundation of water skills and a healthy respect for the water before getting in too deep. Water Smart® education is taught in all Preschool levels.

PRESCHOOL 1 | Online registration code 110121

These preschoolers learn how to get in and out of the water safely. They'll also learn how to move safely in shallow water while using a lifejacket (as needed) to become comfortable with their floats and glides.

PRESCHOOL 2 | Online registration code 110122

These youngsters will explore the water while learning to submerge and exhale underwater. Buoyant aids are used to help them discover rollovers, glides, and flutter kicks.



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PRESCHOOL 3 | Online registration code 110123

These preschoolers will master their floats, glides, and short swims (2-3m) on their front and back. They'll be able to pick up objects from waist deep water and use their lifejackets to jump and roll into the deep end.

PRESCHOOL 4 | Online registration code 110124

These capable preschoolers will strengthen their flutter kicks and try swimming front crawl. They'll start to learn how to support themselves in deep water and by the end perform jumps and side rolls on their own. Their lifejacket will support them while they learn to tread water and swim to safety (5-10m) in the deep end.

PRESCHOOL 5 | Online registration code 110125

These skilled and independent youngsters will master short swims doing front crawl (5-10m) and back crawl (3-5m). They are ready to take on a forward roll into deep water with their lifejacket on and to tread water without the extra support. Here they will get their first chance to try whip kick and fitness training.

SCHOOL-AGED SWIMMER PROGRAMS

9 lessons | Ages 5+

[See chart on page 38 for swim lesson days and times.](#)

The Swim for Life Swimmer progressions will challenge school-aged children 5 years and older in the water as they develop the fundamentals of swimming through safe entries, deep water support, underwater skills, and swimming strokes. These Swimmer levels also help establish everlasting and healthy Active for Life habits. Water Smart® education is part of every level.

SWIMMER 1 | Online registration code [110131](#)

9 lessons, 35 minutes each

Members \$75, Non-Members \$105

These beginner swimmers will work on safe entries, exits, and moving through the water. When ready, they'll do floats, glides, and kicking on their front and back without assistance. They'll even explore jumping into deep water and treading water with their lifejackets on.

SWIMMER 1 ADVANCED

Online registration code [110137](#)

9 lessons, 35 minutes each

Members \$75, Non-Members \$105

For swimmers who have completed Preschool 4, Preschool 5, OR who have already participated in Swimmer 1.

SWIMMER 2 | Online registration code [110132](#)

9 lessons, 35 minutes each

Members \$75, Non-Members \$105

These children will be able to jump or side roll into deep water, tread water, and swim (10-15m) using either front or back crawl. They'll try 'vertical' whip kick and begin to work on their endurance by stepping into the world of fitness interval training.



SWIMMER 2 ADVANCED

Online registration code [110130](#)

9 lessons, 35 minutes each

Members \$75, Non-Members \$105

If your child has taken Swimmer 2 before and did not complete the level, then you should register them in Swimmer 2 Advanced. This will allow children, who only have some of the level left to complete the chance to focus on more challenging skills within the level.

SWIMMER 3 | Online registration code [110133](#)

9 lessons, 35 minutes each

Members \$75, Non-Members \$105

These swimmers will dive and do forward rolls into deep water. Watch them learn handstands and front somersaults underwater. They'll work on their front crawl, back crawl, and whip kick over short distances, and add some interval fitness training to their lessons. By program end, they'll be able to meet the Swim to Survive standard: roll into deep water, tread water (1 min), and swim (50m).

SWIMMER 4 | Online registration code [110134](#)

9 lessons, 50 minutes each

Members \$80, Non-Members \$110

These swimmers will swim further with their front crawl and back crawl. They'll get introduced to breaststroke arms drills, underwater swims, and front crawl sprints. Interval training will add to their fitness level.

SWIMMER 5 | Online registration code [110135](#)

9 lessons, 50 minutes each

Members \$80, Non-Members \$110

These swimmers will try eggbeater kick, head up front crawl, and shallow dives. Just for fun, they'll try 'tuck' jumps and underwater back somersaults. They'll easily go the distance with a strong front crawl, back crawl, and breaststroke.



SWIMMER 6

Online registration code [110136](#)

9 lessons, 50 minutes each

Members \$80, Non-Members \$110

These swimmers will master eggbeater and scissor kicks, front crawl, breaststroke, and back crawl. With interval training and sprint racing drills, they'll be ready to complete a 300m endurance workout. As an introduction to rescue skills they'll try stride jumps and compact jumps.

SWIMMER 7 ROOKIE PATROL

Online registration code [110141](#)

9 lessons, 50 minutes each

Members \$80, Non-Members \$110

Features a timed 100m swim, 350m workouts, and swims with clothing. With a balance of hard work and fun, swimmers will develop swimming strength and efficiency with emphasis on personal responsibility for Water Smart® behavior.

SWIMMER 8 RANGER PATROL

Online registration code [110142](#)

9 lessons, 50 minutes each

Members \$80, Non-Members \$110

Features a timed 200m swim, 100m fitness medley, and the support/carrying of a 5lb weight. Content is challenging but achievable. Skill drills enhance capability in the water including a non-contact rescue.

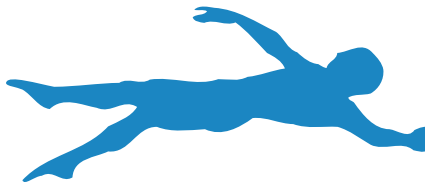
SWIMMER 9 STAR PATROL

Online registration code [110143](#)

9 lessons, 50 minutes each

Members \$80, Non-Members \$110

Features a timed 300m swim, 3x600m workouts, swimming with clothing, defense methods, and support & carry of a 10lb weight. Scene assessment and towing rescue are introduced.



SWIM LESSONS - DAYS & TIMES

	MONDAY* APRIL 3 – JUNE 12	TUESDAY APRIL 4 – MAY 30	WEDNESDAY APRIL 5 – MAY 31	THURSDAY APRIL 6 – JUNE 1	SATURDAY* APRIL 8 – JUNE 17	SUNDAY* APRIL 9 – JUNE 18
Parent & Tot 1	4:00pm	5:20pm	4:00pm	10:20am, 4:00pm	8:30am, 9:10am	9:10am
Parent & Tot 2	4:40pm	6:00pm	5:20pm	9:00am, 4:40pm	9:50am, 11:10am	8:30am, 9:50am
Parent & Tot 3	5:20pm	4:40pm		5:20pm	10:30am, 11:50am	10:30am, 11:10am
Preschool 1	4:00pm 6:00pm	4:40pm 6:00pm	4:40pm 5:20pm	9:00am, 4:40pm 5:20pm	9:10am, 9:50am 10:30am, 11:10am	9:10am, 9:50am 11:10am
Preschool 2	5:20pm 6:00pm	4:00pm 6:00pm	4:40pm 5:20pm	11:00am 4:40pm, 6:00pm	9:10am, 9:50am 10:30am, 11:10am	9:10am 9:50am
Preschool 3	4:40pm 6:00pm	4:40pm 6:00pm	4:00pm 6:00pm	11:00am 5:20pm, 6:00pm	9:50am 10:30am, 11:10am	9:10am 9:50am, 10:30am
Preschool 4	4:40pm 5:20pm	5:20pm 6:00pm	4:40pm 5:35pm	6:00pm	9:10am 9:50am, 11:10am	9:10am 10:30am
Preschool 5	6:00pm	5:20pm	6:00pm	4:40pm	9:10am, 10:30am	9:10am, 10:30am
Swimmer 1	4:40pm 5:20pm, 6:00pm	4:40pm 5:20pm	5:35pm 6:00pm	4:40pm 5:20pm, 6:00pm	9:10am, 9:50am 10:30am, 11:10am, 11:50am	9:10am 9:50am, 10:30am, 11:10am
Swimmer 1 Advanced	4:40pm 5:20pm	4:40pm 5:20pm	4:55pm 5:35pm	4:40pm 5:20pm	9:50am 10:30am, 11:10am	9:10am 9:50am, 10:30am
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Swimmer 3	5:20pm 6:00pm	4:40pm 5:20pm	4:55pm 6:15pm	4:00pm	9:10am 9:50am, 10:30am 11:10am, 11:50am	9:50am 10:30am, 11:10am
Swimmer 4	4:00pm	4:00pm			9:00am 9:55am, 11:45am	8:30am 9:25am
Swimmer 5		4:00pm			9:00am, 10:50am	8:30am, 10:20am
Swimmer 6	4:55pm	4:00pm	4:00pm		9:00am, 9:55am, 11:40am	8:30am, 9:25am
Swimmer 7 / Rookie		4:55pm	4:00pm		10:50am	11:15am
Swimmer 8 / Ranger	5:50pm	4:55pm	4:00pm		9:55am	10:20am
Swimmer 9 / Star		4:55pm			10:50am	10:20am
Teen Lessons		LEVEL 1 5:50pm		LEVEL 1 4:00pm, 5:20pm LEVEL 2 6:00pm	LEVEL 1 11:50am LEVEL 2 11:50am	
Adult Group Swim Lessons				LEVEL 1 & 2 11:35am		LEVEL 1, 2 & 3 11:40am

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■ INCLUSION DAYS

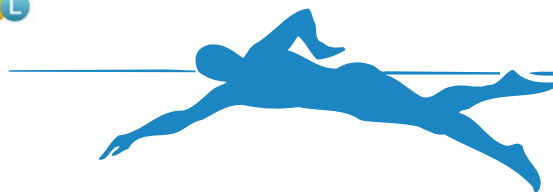
We're excited to offer an increased level of inclusion during group swimming lessons on Wednesdays & Sundays. These days are not only smaller in attendance levels, but are also staffed with 75% of our Swim Instructors trained in the Swim Whisperers program. For the Spring 2017 Session, please fill out the [information form](#) online and you will be contacted by our Aquatics Program Coordinator with the next steps of our registration process. Please note: Spaces are limited. Submitting this form does not secure a spot for our Inclusion Days registration.

What is Swim Whisperers Training?

Swim Whisperers training provides instructors with additional strategies to overcome roadblocks when instructing kids with Autism, Cerebral Palsy, Down Syndrome, sensory & motor limitations and general behaviour challenges. These strategies result in greater swimmer success while feeling part of the group setting.

■ TEEN GROUP SWIM LESSONS

Are you between the ages of 11-15 years, have never taken swim lessons before, would like to build your confidence in the water, or simply prepare for that family trip away at the beach? Then these swim lessons are for you!



Teen Level 1

9 Lessons | Begins April 6th
Ages 11-15yrs
Thursdays, 4:00pm-4:35pm & 5:20pm-5:55pm
Saturdays, 11:50-12:25pm
Members \$80, Non-Members \$110 (plus tax)
Online registration code [110161](#)

Learn entries and exits into shallow and deep water, floats, glides, proper kicks, and underwater skills.

Teen Level 2

9 Lessons | Begins April 6th
Ages 11-15yrs
Thursdays, 6:00pm-6:35pm
Saturdays, 11:50am-12:25pm
Members \$80, Non-Members \$110 (plus tax)
Online registration code [110162](#)

Learn introduction to rolls and dives, front and back crawl, intro to breast stroke and improve endurance

■ ADULT GROUP SWIM LESSONS

Are you over the age of 16 and would you like to learn how to swim, fix up your strokes, or overcome a fear of the water, but don't want a private lesson? Then adult group lessons are for you! These lessons are offered in 3 different levels based on ability/skill level. Our welcoming and certified instructors will help you reach your goals.

Adult Level 1

Ages 16+

9 Lessons | Begins April 6th or April 9th

Thursdays, 11:35am-12:10pm

Sundays, 11:40am-12:15pm

Members \$80, Non-Members \$110 (plus tax)

Online registration code **110164**

Learn entries and exits into shallow and deep water, floats, glides, proper kicks, and basic interval training.

Adult Level 2

Age 16+

9 Lessons | Begins April 6th or April 9th

Thursdays, 11:35am-12:10pm

Sundays, 11:40am-12:15pm

Members \$80, Non-Members \$110 (plus tax)

Online registration code **110165**

Learn more complex entries and exits like dives and rolls, swim to survive, whip kick, and front and back crawls.

Adult Level 3

Age 16+

9 Lessons | Begins April 9th

Sundays, 11:40am-12:15pm

Members \$80, Non-Members \$110 (plus tax)

Online registration code **110166**

Learn how to tread water, swim underwater, breaststroke, head-up front crawl, and workouts.

Aquafit & Hydrorider Classes

We offer a great selection of drop-in Aquafit and Hydrorider classes, which are included in your membership or day pass rate. You'll find these classes listed on both the **Aquatics** and **Drop-in Fitness** schedules available on our website.





PRIVATE & SEMI-PRIVATE SWIM LESSONS



9 Private Lessons | 35 mins
Members \$155, Non-members \$190
 Online registration code **110151**

9 Semi-Private Lessons | 35 mins
Members \$255, Non-members \$320
 Online registration code **110152**

Available for anyone ages 3+ at set times for any swim levels offered at the Canada Games Centre. Prescheduled private and semi-private lessons have the same start and end dates as the regular swimming lessons. Spaces are limited per time slot and are sold in nine 35-minute increments.

Please Note: Private and semi-private lessons are available for registration on our website once registration opens. Semi-private fees listed are for 2 people. As we are only able to take one payment any cost splitting must be coordinated outside of our registration system.



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Private / Semi Private (35 mins)	3:30pm	4:00pm				9:00am	9:00am
	4:00pm	4:10pm	4:00pm	4:10pm	4:10pm	9:40am	9:40am
	4:10pm	4:50pm	4:50pm	4:50pm	4:50pm	10:20am	10:20am
	4:50pm	5:30pm	5:30pm	5:30pm	5:30pm	11:00am	11:00am
	5:30pm	6:10pm	6:10pm	6:10pm	6:10pm	11:40am	11:10am
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Finished your swimming lessons and wondering what's next? Do you like helping people or want to learn how to become a lifeguard? Leadership programs offer both the theory and practical instruction required to prepare you for lifesaving certification. Due to the nature of these courses, 100% attendance is required for certification.

Bronze Star

9 sessions | April 9th – June 18th
 Sundays, 11:15am-12:15pm*
 Members \$80, Non-Members \$110
 Online registration code [110171](#)
 Prerequisite: None
 (Swim Patrol experience is recommended)

Bronze Star is a Pre-Bronze Medallion training standard which provides excellent preparation for success in Bronze Medallion. Participants develop problem-solving and decision-making skills individually and in partners. Candidates learn CPR and develop the lifesaving skills needed to be their own lifesaver. Physical standard includes a 400m timed swim.

Bronze Medallion

9 sessions | April 7th – June 16th
 Fridays, 7:00pm-9:00pm*
 Members \$120, Non-Members \$135
 Online registration code [110172](#)
 Prerequisite: Minimum 13 years of age or Bronze Star certification (need not be current)

Bronze Medallion teaches an understanding of the lifesaving principles embodied in the four components of water rescue education: judgment, knowledge, skill, and fitness. Rescuers learn tows and carries, as well as defense methods and releases in preparation for challenging rescues of increased risk involving conscious and unconscious victims of various types. Lifesavers develop stroke efficiency and endurance in a 500m timed swim. Registration includes book and exam fees and practice instruction time. Exam may be scheduled after the last class.

Bronze Cross

9 sessions | April 7th – June 16th
 Fridays, 6:00pm-9:00pm*
 Members \$135, Non-Members \$150
 Online registration code [110173](#)
 Prerequisite: Bronze Medallion

Bronze Cross is designed for lifesavers who want the challenge of more advanced training including an introduction to safe supervision in aquatic facilities. Bronze Cross is the prerequisite for all advanced training programs including National Lifeguard Service and Instructor certifications. Physical standard includes a 600m timed swim. Registration includes exam fees. Exam may be scheduled after the last class.

**Please note there are no leadership programs on Easter weekend (Friday, April 14th– Monday, April 17th) and Victoria Day long weekend (Friday, May 19th– Monday, May 22nd).*



Swim For Life Assistant Instructor*

16 hours | 2 lessons, 8 hours per class

Crash Course | June 3 & 4, 9:00am-5:00pm

Members \$80, Non-Members \$110

Online registration code [110179](#)

Prerequisite: Bronze Cross & 14 years of age

Through classroom learning and in water practice, the Lifesaving Society Assistant Instructor course prepares candidates to help certified instructors with swimming and lifesaving classes. Candidates are introduced to key principles of learning and teaching, and they master basic progressions. The roles and responsibilities of instructors and their assistants are strongly emphasized throughout the program. Volunteer hours with assisting swimming lessons are required after course date as a requirement for certification.

**Participants are who are enrolled in Bronze Cross for April 7th– June 16th may register for this course; however, Assistant Instructor award will not be processed until Bronze Cross award is issued and volunteer hours are complete.*

Swim For Life Instructor & Lifesaving Instructor

40 hours (plus practice teaching)

Crash Course | May 26 - 28 and June 2 - 4

Fridays, 5:00pm-9:00pm and Sundays, 9:00am - 5:00pm

Members \$220 / Non-Members \$240

Online registration code [110175](#)

Prerequisite: 15 years of age for the Swim for Life portion, 16 years of age to complete practice teaching for Lifesaving Instructor, and Bronze Cross (or higher) certification.

Leave this course with two instructing certificates and the opportunity to submit your resume for employment. The combined Swim For Life and Lifesaving Instructor course prepares the instructor to teach and evaluate swim strokes and lifesaving skills. Through classroom learning and in-water practice, instructor candidates explore proven teaching methods, learning strategies and activities, a variety of stroke and skill drills, effective correction techniques, and evaluation criteria. Practice teaching is emphasized throughout. Candidates learn to evaluate participants in Swim for Life, Swim Patrol, Junior Lifeguard Club, Bronze Medal awards, Lifesaving Fitness, Basic and Emergency First Aid, and CPR.

CRASH COURSES

(TRAINING OVER A CONDENSED PERIOD OF TIME)

Swim For Life
Assistant Instructor
(ASFL)

JUNE 3 - 4

9:00 am -5:00 pm
(weekend course)

Swim For Life
(SFL) / Lifesaving
Instructor (LSI)

MAY 26 – JUNE 4

5-9pm (Fri) &
9-5pm (Sat & Sun)

National Lifeguard Service & Standard First Aid

50 hours | 6 hour class

April 9th – June 18th

Sundays, 12:00pm-6:00pm

Members \$265, Non-Members \$285

Online registration code [110174](#)

Prerequisite: Minimum 16 years of age,
Bronze Cross certification (need not be current)

National Lifeguard training builds on the fundamental skills, knowledge, and values taught in the Lifesaving Awards of the Lifesaving Society to develop the practical skills and knowledge required by lifeguards. Recognized as the standard measurement of lifeguard performance in Canada, National Lifeguard education is designed to develop a sound understanding of lifeguarding principles, good judgment, and a mature and responsible attitude towards the role of the lifeguard. The National Lifeguard's primary role is the prevention of emergency situations, and where this fails, the timely and effective resolution of emergencies. Registration includes pocket mask, whistle and exam fees. Exam may be scheduled after the last class.

CGC Jr. Lifesaving

18 lessons | April 4th- May 30th

Ages 7-14 | Tuesdays & Fridays, 6:00pm-7:00pm*

60 mins, twice a week

Members \$120, Non-Members \$150

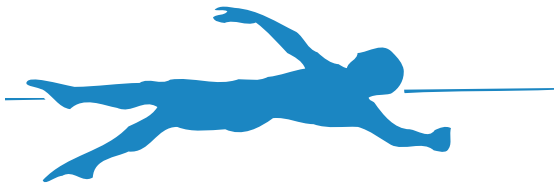
Fees include a pair of goggles, swim cap, and Jr. lifeguard pinny.

Online registration code [110170](#)

Prerequisite: Completed Swimmer 4 or Swim Kids 5

**Please note there are no aquatics programs on Easter weekend (Friday, April 14th– Monday, April 17th) and Victoria Day long weekend (Friday, May 19th– Monday, May 22nd).*

Our Lifesaving Club will introduce participants between the ages of 7 to 14 years to the sport of lifesaving, while providing them with training opportunities geared towards more experienced lifesaving competitions. The Club encourages healthy living and regular physical fitness, and incorporates High Five Sport and Fundamental Movements skills in a social club setting. Throughout the year, specially trained Lifesaving Coaches will concentrate on developing each swimmer's strength, power, and endurance. Participants will also focus on teamwork, sportsmanship, achieving personal bests, and, most of all having fun! During the competition season, CGC Jr. Lifesaving Club members may have the opportunity to train for and participate in a number of pool events including the Nova Scotia Pool Series and the Canadian Lifesaving Championships. Please note participants may be split into two groups based on abilities for specific training components or for best growth.



The Water Polo Club is for kids who enjoy the sport and who have shown the dedication and desire to succeed at a competitive level. This club is comprised of water polo athletes selected through an evaluation process by the head coach at the end of each session or via registration in accordance with pre-requisites above. Club members will participate in three training sessions per week: two water workouts and one dryland training sessions which involves conditioning, flexibility, and water polo specific exercises. Athletes in this level will have the opportunity to play in local and provincial meets, participate in fun activity nights and other training opportunities.

8-12 weeks | April 6th-June 18th
Ages 8-12 & Ages 12-16
Sundays, 5:00pm-6:00pm (water)*
& Thursdays, 5:00pm-6:00pm (water) & 6:15pm-7:15pm (dryland)
Members \$180*, Non-Members \$200*
Online registration code [110193](#)
Pre-requisite: Ages 8-12 (Swimmer 2 or higher) & Ages 12-16 (Swimmer 3 or higher)

**Registration and event fees for competitions, uniforms, and gear are not included in club fees.*

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ILWP – Level 1 & 2

9 sessions | Begins April 6th
Ages 8-11 (Swimmer 2 or higher)
Thursdays, 4:00pm-5:00pm
Members \$60, Non-Members \$85
Online registration code [110193](#)
Prerequisite: Swimmer 3 or higher

In this first level, you'll receive an introduction to passing, catching, and shooting. You'll also learn the basics of picking up a ball from underneath, correct body position, various treading water techniques, and water polo strokes to cover a distance of 10-15m. The second level will focus on continued development of Level 1 skills at greater distances (15-25m), introduction to new skills like zigzag and rollover, as well as improved shooting and passing accuracy. Basic rules of the game and balance/coordination exercises are also covered.

ILWP – Level 3 & 4

9 sessions | Begins April 6th
Ages 11-14 (Swimmer 3 or higher)
Thursdays, 5:00pm-6:00pm
Members \$60, Non-Members \$85
Online registration code [110193](#)
Prerequisite: ILWP Level 1 & ability to swim 25m non-stop

In Level 3, you will master movements in a horizontal body position, increase your stamina and treading water skills, refine shooting, receiving and passing accuracy, and tackle intermediate balance and coordination activities. In Level 4, you will focus on refining skills learned in levels 1-3, travelling with the ball, maintaining appropriate body position, integration of ball handling, body position, and swimming skills to develop basic water polo tactical skills. Solid understanding and demonstration of basic ILWP rules.

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	AGES	CGC MEMBERS	NON-MEMBERS
CGC Water Polo Club	8-12 & 12-16	\$180	\$200
ILWP Level 1 & 2	8-11	\$60	\$85
ILWP Level 3 & 4	11-14	\$60	\$85



■ SPRING TRAINING (CGC SUMMER SWIM TEAM)



8-12 weeks | April 9th–June 18th
Ages 7-18 | Sundays 8:30am-9:30am & 9:30am–10:30am*
Location: Competition Pool (Widths)
Members \$100 Non-Members \$130
Online registration code [110195](#)
Pre-requisite: Swimmer 4 or Swim Kids 4 recommended

Join the Canada Games Centre Summer Swim Team! The CGC swim team is a competitive swim club for youth ages 7-18 who can swim at least 25m unassisted. Our club focuses on proper technique, sportsmanship and fair play in a positive and encouraging environment. Swimmers will improve their skills and challenge themselves to excel to their full potential with the help of specialized training and expert coaching.

Practices for spring will be Sundays between 8:30am–10:30am (swimmers will be split after the first practice into 2 separate time (8:30-9:30 & 9:30 – 10:30) slots based on age and swimming ability), (Exact times to be determined based on actual registration numbers).

**Please note there are no swim lessons on Easter weekend (Friday, April 14th–Monday, April 17th) and Victoria Day long weekend (Friday, May 19th–Monday, May 22nd).*



Swim Team Spring Training Add-On Package

MORNING SWIM TRAINING

8-12 weeks | April 11th–June 6th
Tuesdays, 7:00am-8:00am
Location: Leisure Pool (Lengths)

EVENING DRYLAND TRAINING

8-12 weeks | April 11th–June 6th
Thursdays, 5:00pm-6:00pm
Location: Starting Blocks (Track above Field House)

Members \$60, Non-Members \$80
Online registration code [110195](#)

Looking for some additional practice time? Sign up for our Spring Add-On package and receive additional set of nine morning weekday morning swim practices! This package also includes nine dryland training sessions, which involve conditioning, flexibility, and dive specific exercises.



All of our diving programs run for 8-12 weeks and focus on High Five Sport and Fundamental Movements Skills. The CGC Diving Club also includes club activity nights, dry-land training, and participation in some fun and exciting diving competitions. Jacket and swimsuit packages will also be available for purchase. Please note divers are required to wear a full piece swimsuit, or brief/jammer.

LEARN-TO-DIVE | Online registration code 110192
 8-12 weeks, *please refer to chart on this page for start dates and fees.*

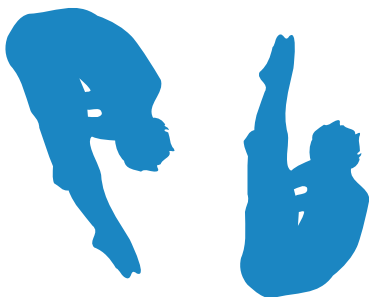
LITTLE JUMPERS | Ages 4-7

This is an introductory program that not only focuses on diving skills, but on the building blocks of any active sport. Participants learn basic motor skills, agility, balance and coordination with a major focus on FUN. Time is split between dry land exercise and water skills. Participants must be comfortable in deep water and able to swim 5m.

LEVEL I DIVING | Ages 7+

Dive on in! Our exciting introductory diving program is focused on learning basic diving fundamentals and developing the building blocks for any active sport. In a safe and fun environment 1m and 3m springboard diving will be taught with emphasis on body control, posture, and coordination. Classes are offered for participants ages 7 and up. All divers must be comfortable swimming in deep water.

Prerequisite: Completion of Swimmer 3 or the Swim to Survive standard is recommended.



LEVEL II DIVING | Ages 7+

Building on the skills achieved in Level I Diving, divers will learn more complex diving and review all skills needed for successful, safe, and fun diving. This program suits any divers with previous diving experience or gymnastics, trampoline, and acrobatic training. Classes are offered for participants ages 7 and up. All divers in this program must be comfortable swimming in deep water and should have previous experience as noted above.

LEVEL III / IV / V DIVING | Ages 8+

Building on the skills achieved in Level 2 Diving, divers will learn more complex diving and review all skills needed for successful, safe, and fun diving. This program suits any divers with previous diving experience or gymnastics, trampoline, and acrobatic training. Classes are offered for participants ages 8 and up. All divers in this program must be comfortable swimming in deep water and should have previous experience as noted above.



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See page 4 for more details

	SATURDAYS* APRIL 8 - JUNE 17	CLASSES /week	CGC MEMBERS	NON- MEMBERS
Little Jumpers	9:00am - 9:45am	1	\$95	\$110
Learn to Dive Level I	10:00am - 11:00am	1	\$100	\$120
Learn to Dive Level II	11:00am - 12:00am	1	\$100	\$120
Learn to Dive Level III, IV & IV	12:00pm - 1:00pm	1	\$100	\$120

**Please note there are no aquatics programs on Easter weekend (Friday, April 14th– Monday, April 17th) and Victoria Day long weekend (Friday, May 19th– Monday, May 22nd).*



Celebrate your special day

WE'RE THE PERFECT PLACE FOR A FUN AND STRESS-FREE PARTY!

Our pool parties include an hour in the pool followed by an hour in one of our party rooms. Our Field House parties include two hours in the Field House and party room.

Pool Party Package (20 guests)
Members \$150 | Non-Members \$176

Field House Party Package (30 guests)
Members \$150 | Non-Members \$176

**HST not included*

Party packages now available
for booking online at
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RENTALS & EVENTS

Offering a variety of community spaces, we're the perfect place for meetings, events, private social gatherings, corporate functions and birthday parties.

All room rentals include the following complimentary services:

- Audio visual screen/TV
- LCD Projector
- Local calls
- Free parking for attendees
- wifi access

Our on-site food vendor, Subway, has a variety of food options available to meet the needs of your meeting or event. Food and drink options are offered at a discounted rate for renters and can be arranged directly with the store manager. Please ask about food options and Subway contact information at the time of booking.



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