



Spring 2026

PROGRAMS & SERVICES



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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.

Registration will not be available for members the day before non-member registration opens.

■ REGISTER ONLINE ← NEW ONLINE REGISTRATION SYSTEM

Our online booking/registration system has changed in MyRec! Here is what you need to know when registering online in MyRec:

<https://halifaxregionalmunicipality.perfectmind.com>

- Log in to your MyRec account with your email address and password.
 - If you already have a new MyRec account, great! You can use your existing MyRec email and password to access your account and ensure your information is up to date.
 - Don't have a MyRec account? [Click here](#) to read more on MyRec and to create a new account.
- Click the program code in this guide for the program you want to register for. You will be directed straight to the program registration. You will be prompted to log in, follow steps 3-10 listed below.
- If you are having trouble accessing the program codes in this guide, log into MyRec and follow the instructions below.
 1. Click on *Program Registration* located in the bar at the top of your webpage.
 2. Click on an *Activity* you want to register in. Hyperlinked Activities are available for registration - to filter, search with key words or the program name.
 3. Click on *Show* for additional activity information and to register.
 4. Click the blue *Book Now* button to register. Please note: if the blue button says *More Info* the class is full.
 5. Confirm program details and click the *Book Now* button.
 6. Select the participant you are registering for, click *Next*.
 7. Answer any questions that pop up in the questionnaire.
 8. Select a *Fee to Pay* and click *Next*
 9. Make your payment, fill in your payment information. Click *Place My Order*.
 10. Registration confirmation will be emailed to you.

REGISTRATION DATES

MEMBERS:

Online: **February 17**, beginning at 8:00am
In-person: **February 19**, beginning at 8:00am

NON-MEMBERS:

Online: **February 24**, beginning at 8:00am
In-person: **February 26**, beginning at 8:00am

Registration links within the guide become active when registration opens.

■ REGISTER IN-PERSON

26 Thomas Raddall Drive

Monday – Friday 8:00am-9:00pm
Saturday – Sunday 8:00am-8:00pm
Visa, MasterCard, debit, and cash all accepted.

■ 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 course could be cancelled if there are not enough registrants. Register early to avoid program cancellations.
- Cancellations requested 7 days or more prior to the first day of the program qualify for a refund. The refund will be processed for the full amount of the fee paid, minus an administrative charge of 10%.
- Cancellations requested less than 7 days prior to the first day of the program do not qualify for a refund or credit.
- Accepted forms of payment: Visa, MasterCard, debit cards, cash and cheques (some restrictions apply). The charge for non-negotiable payment is \$40 plus tax.

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?

- Program users will need a new card that looks like this - you will receive the new card on the start date of your program at the gates.

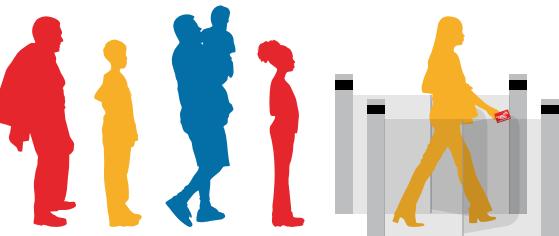
- Scan your Program Access Card to go through the gates. Access is available up to 30 minutes before and during your registered program.



- Children under the age of 12 must be accompanied by an adult.



Program Access Card



Scan your card and wait for gates to open before entering one at a time. Simply proceed through the gates to exit.

Forgot your 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 \$5 (plus tax).

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



Cards are reusable!

- All programs within this Spring Guide will need the new card moving forward. Summer/Fall 2025 and Winter 2026 program users can use the card they were given for those sessions.



Members can scan in for programs with their membership card

Additional Details:

- Children under 12 will use the same Program Access Card as their accompanying adult. The card needs to be **scanned for each individual**, and visitors must **enter gates one at a time** allowing for them to open and close. 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.

Enjoy the Centre!





CGC Membership

EVERYTHING YOU NEED TO GET FIT AND STAY HEALTHY IS UNDER ONE ROOF!



- Swim, dive and splash your way around our Aquatics 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, Pickleball & Table Tennis)
- Stretch your legs on our 6-lane, 200m indoor Track (Strollers and Nordic poles welcome!)
- Choose from over 60 Drop-in Fitness Classes a week, including Yoga, Zumba®, Spin, interval training, strength & conditioning, Aquafit and more!

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.

Interested in taking a tour?

We would love to show you what we're all about. Please contact us by phone or email to book your tour: **902.490.2291** or membership@canadagamescentre.ca.

MEMBERSHIP EXCLUSIVES

- Bi-weekly payment plans available
- Complimentary Fitness Centre orientation
- Book drop-in courts and classes up to 3 days in advance
- Advanced registration and special pricing for programs*
- Savings on Personal Training*
- Member Only Swims
- Advanced badminton/pickleball court bookings
- Ability to freeze your membership for a maximum of 12 weeks*

*Annual members only, some conditions may apply

ALSO INCLUDED

- Day-use lockers
- Free on-site parking
- Balls, racquets, birdies and Nordic poles free to rent
- Outdoor physical literacy playground

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Recreation Programs

SPORTS PROGRAMS

Badminton - Introduction

Ages 6-9 | 10 sessions | April 8 – June 10

Wednesdays, 5:00pm-6:00pm

Members \$95, Non-Members \$120

Online registration code **00051021**

Location: Field House



Participants will learn to love this fast, exciting sport in a fun and safe setting with certified and accomplished instructors. This badminton program teaches the fundamentals of the sport and includes a focus on the rules, grips, and the movement skills required for lifelong enjoyment.



Badminton - Introduction 2

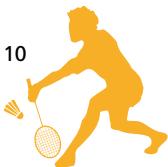
Ages 10-15 | 10 sessions | April 8 – June 10

Wednesdays, 6:00pm-7:30pm

Members \$120, Non-Members \$150

Online registration code **00051043**

Location: Field House



Participants in this program will have the opportunity to take their training and skills to the next level with additional court time that will allow them the opportunity to reinforce skills and play games. This badminton program teaches the fundamentals of the sport and includes a focus on beginner techniques, grips, movement skills and game-play rules required for lifelong enjoyment.

Pickleball

PICKLEBALL FUNDAMENTALS

Ages 18+ | 10 sessions | April 7 – May 7

Tuesdays and Thursdays, 1:00pm-3:00pm

Members \$122, Non-Members \$152.50 (plus tax)

Online registration code **00051046**

Location: Field House



Pickleball is an exciting and easy to learn sport for people of all athletic abilities. Have fun while you learn the basics of this incredibly engaging game. All equipment is provided, and our instructors are committed to providing a safe, fun and inclusive environment for you to enjoy.

PICKLEBALL SKILLS & DRILLS

Ages 18+ | 10 sessions | May 12 – June 11

Tuesdays and Thursdays, 1:00pm-3:00pm

Members \$122, Non-Members \$152.50 (plus tax)

Online registration code **00051049**

Location: Field House

These dynamic skills and drills sessions are designed for participants who have already attended our fundamentals program or have prior pickleball experience and are looking to improve their skills and take their game to the next level. Our instructors will cover drop shots, net play, effective blocking, dinking, lobs, backhand stroke development and game strategy. These sessions will also include some round robin game play so participants can practice these new skills.



Youth Karate

Location: Dance Studio

YOUTH ALL RANKS | Ages 5-6

12 sessions | April 7 – June 23

Tuesdays, 5:30pm-6:00pm

*Members \$84, Non-Members \$105***

Online registration code: **00051051**



YOUTH ALL RANKS | Ages 5-6

12 sessions | April 8 – June 24

Wednesdays, 5:30pm-6:00pm

*Members \$84, Non-Members \$105***

Online registration code **00051225**

YOUTH ALL RANKS | Ages 5-6

12 sessions | April 9 – June 25

Thursdays, 5:30pm-6:00pm

*Members \$84, Non-Members \$105***

Online registration code **00051226**

YOUTH ALL RANKS | Ages 7-11

12 sessions | April 7 – June 23

Tuesdays, 6:10pm-7:10pm

*Members \$126, Non-Members \$159***

Online registration code **00051130**

YOUTH ALL RANKS | Ages 7-11

12 sessions | April 8 – June 24

Wednesdays, 6:15pm-7:15pm

*Members \$126, Non-Members \$159***

Online registration code **00051229**



YOUTH ALL RANKS | Ages 7-11

12 sessions | April 9 – June 25

Thursdays, 6:15pm-7:15pm

*Members \$126, Non-Members \$159***

Online registration code **00051230**

YOUTH ALL RANKS | Ages 7-11

12 sessions | April 9 – June 25

Thursdays, 5:30pm-6:30pm

*Members \$126, Non-Members \$159***

Online registration code **00051237**

Location: Russell Walker Community Centre

Instructor: Sensei William Lawlor

***Karate participants are required to pay a one-time nonrefundable annual fee of \$40.00 to Karate Nova Scotia that covers September 2025-August 2026.*

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. Uniforms (Gi) can be purchased from Sensei Jeff on the first day. Prices range from \$55 to \$70, depending on the size. Please note that a Gi is not required to start classes, but if you choose to wear one, it must be a Murphy's Karate Academy Gi. Programs fill very quickly, so please register early so you are not disappointed!



Family Karate

FAMILY YELLOW STRIPE & UP | Ages 6+

12 sessions | April 7 – June 23

Tuesdays, 7:15pm-8:15pm

Members \$63, Non-Members \$81 (plus tax)**

Online registration code [00051283](#)

Location: Dance Studio

FAMILY ALL RANKS | Ages 6+

12 sessions | April 9 – June 25

Thursdays, 6:45pm-7:45pm

Members \$63, Non-Members \$81 (plus tax)**

Online registration code [00051285](#)

Location: Russell Walker Community Centre

Instructor: Sensei Peg Mumford

**Karate participants are required to pay a onetime nonrefundable annual fee of \$40.00 to Karate Nova Scotia that covers September 2025-August 2026.

Please note that both a parent and child in your household must be registered to participate in this program. Led by 5th Degree Black Belt Sensei Jeff Murphy, Family Karate is a great and fun way for parents and children (Age 6-12) to stay active together. Additional fees for belt testing and uniforms will be the responsibility of participants. Uniforms (Gi) can be purchased from Sensei Jeff on the first day. Prices range from \$55 to \$70, depending on the size. Please note that a Gi is not required to start classes, but if you choose to wear one, it must be a Murphy's Karate Academy Gi.



Adult Karate

Location: Dance Studio



ADULT ALL RANKS | Ages 12+

12 sessions | April 7 – June 23

Tuesdays, 8:30pm-9:30pm

Members \$126, Non-Members \$159 (plus tax)**

Online registration code [00051293](#)

ADULT BLUE TO BLACK BELT | Ages 12+

12 sessions | April 8 – June 24

Wednesdays, 7:30pm-9:00pm

Members \$183, Non-Members \$231 (plus tax)**

Online registration code [00051297](#)

ADULT YELLOW BELT & UP | Ages 11-18

12 sessions | April 9 – June 25

Thursdays, 7:30pm-9:00pm

Members \$183, Non-Members \$231 (plus tax)**

Online registration code [00051306](#)

ADULT ALL RANKS | Ages 12+

12 sessions | April 9 – June 25

Thursdays, 8:00pm-9:00pm

Members \$126, Non-Members \$159 (plus tax)**

Online registration code [00051302](#)

Location: Russell Walker Community Centre

Instructor: Sensei Peg Mumford

ADULT ALL RANKS | Ages 18+

12 sessions | April 10 – June 26

Fridays, 10:00am-11:00am

Members \$126, Non-Members \$159 (plus tax)**

Online registration code [00051309](#)

**Karate participants are required to pay a one-time non-refundable annual fee of \$40.00 to Karate Nova Scotia that covers September 2025-August 2026.

Led by 5th Degree Black Belt Sensei Jeff Murphy, Adult Karate is a program where basic karate movements are reviewed. Additional fees for belt testing and uniforms will be the responsibility of participants. Uniforms (Gi) can be purchased from Sensei Jeff on the first day. Prices range from \$55 to \$70, depending on the size. Please note that a Gi is not required to start classes, but if you choose to wear one, it must be a Murphy's Karate Academy Gi.



Para-Karate

PARA-KARATE | Ages 6+

11 sessions | April 11 – June 27

Saturdays, 10:00am-11:00am*

Members \$72.60, Non-Members \$90.75 (plus tax)

Online registration code [00051323](#)

Location: Dance Studio

Instructor: Sensei Heather MacDonald



*There are no sessions on Saturday, May 16 due to Victoria Day weekend.

**Karate participants are required to pay a one-time non-refundable annual fee of \$40.00 to Karate Nova Scotia that covers September 2025-August 2026.

Led by 3rd Degree Black Belt Sensei Heather MacDonald, our Para-Karate program will introduce basic karate techniques for participants with intellectual exceptionalities. This will be an unparented/unsupported program open to those ages 8 and up. This will be an introduction to karate class, with the eventual goal being to have the participants join the All-Ranks age-appropriate class at the Canada Games Centre. Additional fees for uniforms will be the responsibility of participants. Uniforms (Gi) can be purchased from Sensei Jeff on the first day. Prices range from \$55 to \$70, depending on the size. Please note that a Gi is not required to start classes, but if you choose to wear one, it must be a Murphy's Karate Academy Gi.

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 our 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.

There are more than 60 Drop-In Fitness Classes a week which are included in your membership or day pass. If you're looking to cross-train or to try something new, these classes are designed for all fitness levels (unless otherwise noted). 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

Iron Circuit



6 weeks | April 8 – May 13

Wednesdays, 6:00am-7:00am

Members \$63, Non-Members \$75 (plus tax)

Online registration code **00051442**

Location: Track TRX Alcove

6 weeks | May 20 – June 24

Wednesdays, 6:00am-7:00am

Members \$63, Non-Members \$75 (plus tax)

Online registration code **00051433**

Location: Track TRX Alcove

Improve your strength, mobility and balance, sculpt muscles and blast fat, all with one workout. TRX Iron Circuit is a unique blend of suspension training exercises and kettlebell weight conditioning intervals to get you fit fast.





Toughen Up

Location: Track Starting Blocks

Members \$126, Non-Members \$150 (plus tax)

6 weeks | April 7 – May 14

Tuesdays and Thursdays, 6:00pm-7:00pm

Online registration code [00051463](#)



6 weeks | April 7 – May 14

Tuesdays and Thursdays, 7:00pm-8:00pm

Online registration code [00051441](#)



6 weeks | May 21 – June 30

Tuesdays and Thursdays, 6:00pm-7:00pm

Online registration code [00051438](#)



6 weeks | May 21 – June 30

Tuesdays and Thursdays, 7:00pm-8:00pm

Online registration code [00051457](#)

Get off the couch and into the best shape of your life with this dynamic, moderate-to-high intensity training program. Toughen Up is designed to improve strength, endurance, and body composition with 2 weekly workouts over 6 weeks. Join one of our amazing personal trainers for pre & post fitness tests, which will help keep you on track. With a variety of workouts to keep things interesting, you're sure to have fun, make new fitness friends, and boost confidence.

Kettlebell Sculpt

6 weeks | April 13 – May 25

Mondays, 6:00am- 7:00am

Members \$63, Non-Members \$75 (plus tax)

Online registration code [00051432](#)

Location: Track Starting Blocks



6 weeks | June 1 – July 6

Mondays, 6:00am-7:00am

Members \$63, Non-Members \$75 (plus tax)

Online registration code [00051436](#)

Location: Track Starting Blocks

Kettlebell Sculpt is a progressive kettlebell experience designed for beginners and intermediates that builds foundational strength, coordination, and endurance week by week. In this class you will master the basics and then progress through increasingly challenging and functional movements.



Strength Training for Women

Location: Personal Training Studio
Members \$63, Non-Members \$75 (plus tax)

6 weeks | April 12 – May 17
Sundays, 9:00am-10:00am
Online registration code **00051427**



6 weeks | April 12 – May 17
Sundays, 10:15am-11:15am
Online registration code **00051454**



6 weeks | April 12 – May 17
Sundays, 11:30am-12:30pm
Online registration code **00051459**

6 weeks | April 8 – May 13
Wednesdays, 6:00pm-7:00pm
Online registration code **00051449**

6 weeks | May 24 – June 28
Sundays, 11:30am-12:30pm
Online registration code **00051611**

6 weeks | May 24 – June 28
Sundays, 9:00am-10:00am
Online registration code **00051431**

6 weeks | May 24 – June 28
Sundays, 10:15am-11:15am
Online registration code **00051453**

6 weeks | May 20 – June 24
Wednesdays, 6:00pm-7:00pm
Online registration code **00051467**

Whether you're new to lifting or have had previous instruction, there is something here for everyone. This Women's-Only program, led by a female trainer, will walk you through basic and intermediate strength exercises to ensure you feel confident and comfortable while working out.



Stability Ball Strength and Core **NEW**

6 weeks | April 9 – May 14
Thursdays, 9:00am-10:00am
Members \$63, Non-Members \$75 (plus tax)
Online registration code **00051466**



Location: Fitness Studio 2

6 weeks | May 12 – June 25
Thursdays, 9:00am-10:00am
Members \$63, Non-Members \$75 (plus tax)
Online registration code **00051425**

Location: Fitness Studio 2

Designed for all fitness levels and ages, this is a dynamic, full-body workout program centered around the Swiss ball. Each class blends core strengthening, balance training, and endurance-building exercises with the playful and supportive nature of the ball's bounce. Participants will engage in a variety of movements that challenge stability, improve posture, and build stamina, all while having fun. The Swiss ball adds an element of light-heartedness and support, making stretching and strength exercises more accessible and enjoyable.

■ YOUTH PROGRAMS



Youth Strength & Conditioning

6 weeks | April 9 – May 14

Thursdays, 4:00pm-5:00pm

Members \$63, Non-Members \$75

Online registration code **00053689**

Location: Personal Training Studio

6 weeks | May 21 – June 25

Thursdays, 4:00pm-5:00pm

Members \$63, Non-Members \$75

Online registration code **00053695**

Location: Personal Training Studio

This challenging program is designed for students aged 12-17 who are looking to train hard. Under the supervision of an experienced Personal Trainer, students will complete comprehensive full body strength workouts, master the principles of effective training, and learn to work together in pursuit of their goals.



Youth Speed & Power

6 weeks | April 8 – May 13

Wednesdays, 4:00pm-5:00pm

Members \$63, Non-Members \$75

Online registration code **00053678**

Location: Field House Alcove 1



6 weeks | May 20 – June 24

Wednesdays, 4:00pm-5:00pm

Members \$63, Non-Members \$75

Online registration code **00053686**

Location: Field House Alcove 1

Looking to increase your speed, power, and agility? Want to learn how to be explosive and train like an athlete? Then, Youth Speed & Power is for you! Whether you are an athlete looking to improve or an individual wanting to increase coordination & athletic ability, this program has the tools to help you get closer to your goals. A CGC Personal Trainer will work with you to gain a solid foundation in speed, power and agility while improving your athleticism. With a combination of plyometrics, sprinting, & resistance exercises, we have everything you need to get faster!



■ PERINATAL PROGRAMS

Prenatal Yoga

6 weeks | April 13 – May 25

Mondays, 7:15pm-8:15pm

Members \$63, Non-Members \$75 (plus tax)

Online registration code **00051448**

Location: Fitness Studio 2

6 weeks | June 1 – July 6

Mondays, 7:15pm-8:15pm

Members \$63, Non-Members \$75 (plus tax)

Online registration code **00051429**

Location: Fitness Studio 2

Join our Pre and Postnatal Yoga specialist for 60 minutes of Prenatal Yoga. Prenatal Yoga is about honoring the changes in ourselves and our body as we connect to baby throughout these nine months. Postures to help strengthen the pelvic floor muscles, keep the body flexible, and alleviate many common discomforts of pregnancy, while finding focus through balance.



Stroller Circuit

Location: Track Starting Blocks



6 weeks | April 13 – May 15

Mondays, 11:00am-11:45am

Members \$63, Non-Members \$75 (plus tax)

Online registration code **00051469**

6 weeks | April 8 – May 13

Wednesdays, 11:00am-11:45am

Members \$63, Non-Members \$75 (plus tax)

Online registration code **00051428**

6 weeks | April 10 – May 15

Fridays, 11:00am-11:45am

Members \$63, Non-Members \$75 (plus tax)

Online registration code **00051430**

6 weeks | June 1 – July 6

Mondays, 11:00am-11:45am

Members \$63, Non-Members \$75 (plus tax)

Online registration code **00051443**

6 weeks | May 20 – June 24

Wednesdays, 11:00am-11:45am

Members \$63, Non-Members \$75 (plus tax)

Online registration code **00051465**

6 weeks | May 22 – June 26

Fridays, 11:00am-11:45am

Members \$63, Non-Members \$75 (plus tax)

Online registration code **00051437**

One of our most popular programs! 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 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.

■ WELLNESS PROGRAMS

Total Mobility

Location: Fitness Studio 2

6 weeks | April 7 – May 12

Tuesdays, 9:00am-10:00am

Members \$63, Non-Members \$75 (plus tax)

Online registration code **00051450**

6 weeks | May 19 – June 23

Tuesdays, 9:00am-10:00am

Members \$63, Non-Members \$75 (plus tax)

Online registration code **00051462**

6 weeks | April 9 – May 14

Thursdays, 6:00pm-7:00pm

Members \$63, Non-Members \$75 (plus tax)

Online registration code **00051447**

6 weeks | May 21 – June 25

Thursdays, 6:00pm-7:00pm

Members \$63, Non-Members \$75 (plus tax)

Online registration code **00051426**

Total Mobility is designed for beginners with progressions for intermediate exercisers. This program includes static and dynamic stretch techniques as well as joint mobility and balance work. You can expect to improve your overall flexibility and body awareness!



Mobility Yoga

10 weeks | April 8 - June 10

Wednesdays, 12:00pm-12:45pm

Members \$106, Non-Members \$125 (plus tax)

Online registration code **00051439**

Location: Fitness Studio 2



Mobility Yoga focuses on flexibility and body awareness, improving range of motion in joints and muscles, supporting bone density, stimulating bone growth, and rebuilding bone strength, improving muscle mass, and resetting the nervous system with stress and anxiety relief. These classes integrate elements of yoga, Pilates, meditation and breath work. Allowing you to move more freely and efficiently in your daily life, prevent injuries, and improve overall physical and mental well-being. No experience required. Modifications will be provided.

Introduction to Yoga

6 weeks | April 7 – May 12

Tuesdays, 6:00pm-7:00pm

Members \$63, Non-Members \$75 (plus tax)

Online registration code **00051455**

Location: Fitness Studio 2



6 weeks | May 19 – June 23

Tuesdays, 6:00pm-7:00pm

Members \$63, Non-Members \$75 (plus tax)

Online registration code **00051460**

Location: Fitness Studio 2

Learn the basics to 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.



Barre Strength and Stretch

6 weeks | April 7 - May 12

Tuesdays, 9:15am-10:00am

Members \$63, Non-members \$75 (plus tax)

Online Registration Code **00055390**

Location: Dance Studio

6 weeks | May 19 – June 23

Tuesdays, 9:15am- 10:00am

Members \$63, Non-Members \$75 (plus tax)

Online registration code **00051445**

Location: Dance Studio

This ballet-inspired fitness class incorporates dance movements and yoga postures to challenge your muscular endurance while building strength and flexibility. You will use light weights, your own body weight and the ballet barre! You do not have to have a background in dance to join in on the fun.

**Please note a minimum of 6 participants must be registered for the program to run.*



Functional Pilates

Location: Fitness Studio 2

6 weeks | April 11 – May 16

Saturdays, 9:00am-10:00am

Members \$63, Non-Members \$75 (plus tax)

Online registration code **00051470**



6 weeks | April 7 – May 12

Tuesdays, 12:15pm-1:15pm

Members \$63, Non-Members \$75 (plus tax)

Online registration code **00051440**

6 weeks | May 23 – June 27

Saturdays, 9:00am-10:00am

Members \$63, Non-Members \$75 (plus tax)

Online registration code **00051434**

6 weeks | May 19 – June 23

Tuesdays, 12:15pm-1:15pm

Members \$63, Non-Members \$75 (plus tax)

Online registration code **00051435**



Prerequisite: Previous Pilates experience is highly recommended, but not mandatory.

In Functional Pilates, you will be challenged with a variety of standing, seated, and lying postures, using props and weights to help you gain strength and stamina.

Yin Yoga

6 weeks | April 12 – May 17

Sundays, 7:15pm-8:15pm

Members \$63, Non-Members \$75 (plus tax)

Online registration code **00051464**

Location: Fitness Studio 2

6 weeks | May 24 – June 28

Sundays, 7:15pm-8:15pm

Members \$63, Non-Members \$75 (plus tax)

Online registration code **00051446**

Location: Fitness Studio 2



Yin Yoga is a slow paced, soothing, and meditative style of yoga mainly practiced on the floor. It offers deeper access to the body compared to other 'yang' or active practices and it consists of a series of passive poses held for longer periods of time. Yin can be challenging despite being a slower paced practice. The ability to care for your body and sit in the discomfort takes practice. At a physical level it targets the deeper connective tissues of the body, such as the fascia, ligaments, joints, bones improving flexibility and joint mobility, increasing blood and lymphatic circulations, releasing tension, and greater stamina. It is a great way to compliment your regular exercise and increase your overall wellbeing.

Somatic Yoga

6 weeks | April 8 – May 13

Wednesdays, 7:15pm-8:15pm

Members \$63, Non-Members \$75

Online registration code **00051452**

Location: Fitness Studio 2

6 weeks | May 20 – June 24

Wednesdays, 7:15pm- 8:15pm

Members \$63, Non-Members \$75

Online registration code **00051461**

Location: Fitness Studio 2

A gentle therapeutic modality designed to support the body's natural healing processes. Reestablishing the link between the mind body connection and internal body signals to relieve chronic pain, long held tension and traumas stored in our bodies. Discover self-compassion and your body's own innate intelligence to unlock yourself and realize your body as its own best healer. Truly Transformational!

Rest and Reset - Restorative Yoga / Yoga Nidra

6 weeks | April 10 – May 15

Fridays, 6:30pm-7:30pm

Members \$63, Non-Members \$75 (plus tax)

Online registration code **00051458**

Location: Fitness Studio 2

6 weeks | May 22 – June 26

Fridays, 6:30pm-7:30pm

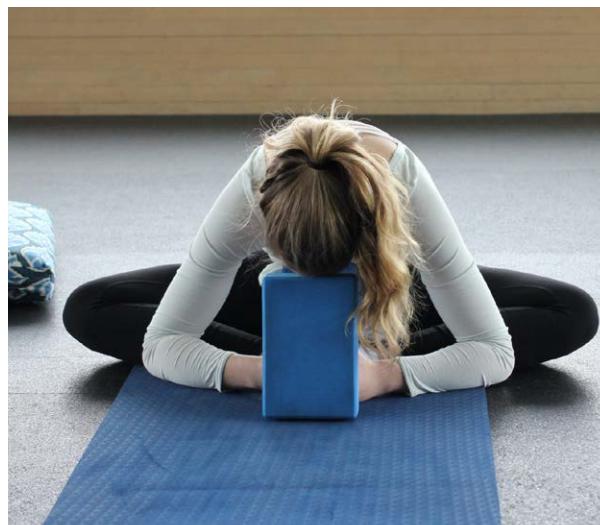
Members \$63, Non-Members \$75 (plus tax)

Online registration code **00051444**

Location: Fitness Studio 2

RESTORATIVE YOGA: Friday night Restorative Yoga is the perfect way to end your week. Restorative Yoga is a restful, gentle & calming style of Yoga that uses props such as bolsters, blocks, belts & blankets to support the body in poses that are held for extended periods of 3 to 5 minutes. The props allow you to relax into each pose effortlessly. This class is designed to activate the relaxation response leading you to a state of deep rest & calm.

YOGA NIDRA: Yoga Nidra is a Guided Meditation practice that uses body scans, breath awareness and guided imagery to calm the mind. The goal is to induce a state of deep rest and relaxation allowing the mind to release tension by calming the nervous system. Yoga Nidra can help improve your sleep. We will practice Yoga Nidra during Restorative Yoga the last Friday of every month.



■ FITNESS SERVICES

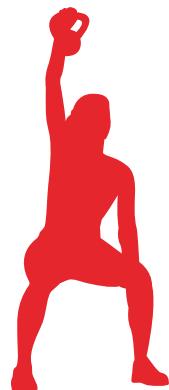
Whether you are looking for a more personalized program, specialized sports training, or just need help getting started, we can help. To sign up for any of the following Fitness Services, complete the [online Personal Training New Client Questionnaire](#) and Fitness will email you about an initial consultation. For more information, please stop by the Fitness Centre Desk or contact Fitness at fitnesscoordinator@canadagamescentre.ca.

One-on-One Personal Training

Need that extra boost to get motivated? Want to build your confidence in the gym? Or are you looking to reach your goals 80% faster? Consider working with a CGC Personal Trainer.

PERSONAL TRAINING PACKAGES	MEMBER*	NON-MEMBER*
1 Session	\$68.25	\$84.00
Packages of 5	\$288.75	\$368.00
Packages of 10	\$525.00	\$683.00
Packages of 20	\$945.00	\$1,260.00

**All personal training packages expire within 1 year of purchase. Taxes are not included in the pricing above.*



Semi-Private Training

Do you and your bestie want to train together? Or maybe you and your mom? Or you and your partner? Semi-Private training is for you!



SEMI-PRIVATE TRAINING PACKAGES	PER PERSON PRICE MEMBER*	PER PERSON PRICE NON-MEMBER*
1 Session	\$42.00	\$58.00
Packages of 5	\$183.75	\$262.50
Packages of 10	\$315.00	\$472.50
Packages of 20	\$525.00	\$840.00

**All personal training packages expire within 1 year of purchase. Taxes are not included in the pricing above.*

Small Group Personal Training (3-5 people)

Do you have a group of friends and want to split the cost of a Personal Fitness class? Whether you golf together, run together or drink tea together, we can work with your group and help you achieve your fitness goal.

SMALL GROUP PERSONAL TRAINING PACKAGES	PER PERSON PRICE MEMBER*	PER PERSON PRICE NON-MEMBER*
1 Session	\$28.35	\$34.00
Packages of 5	\$141.75	\$168.00
Packages of 10	\$262.50	\$315.00
Packages of 20	\$462.00	\$567.00

**All personal training packages expire within 1 year of purchase. Taxes are not included in the pricing above.*



TEAM 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.



Dryland Team Training Session

All dryland team training session for emerging and elite athletes are tailored to meet the energetic & movement demands specific to their sport. The session includes a sport specific fitness assessment.

1 Dryland Training Session: \$115

(minimum of 5 athletes, maximum 20 athletes)
Taxes not included in pricing.

Team Training Package

Train the whole athlete:

10 Dryland Training Sessions (60 minutes each)

Work with one of our qualified Personal Trainers to have your team perform better together and individually.

1 Yoga Practice (60 minutes) One of our certified yoga instructors will lead your team in a calming yoga practice.

1 Mindfulness and Meditation Session (60 minutes)

Join our Mindfulness and Meditation Expert and learn ways to focus your mind, lessen stress and take your mental game to the next level.

Package Rate: \$1,250

(minimum 5 athletes, maximum 20 athletes)
Taxes not included in pricing.

To book your Dryland Team Training or Team Training Package, contact Fitness at fitnesscoordinator@canadagamescentre.ca.



Aquatics Programs

■ AQUATICS REGISTRATION INFORMATION

To register for swim lessons: First, determine the appropriate swim level based on the descriptions in this guide.

Next, refer to the days, times and sections of a particular class or level ([see chart on pages 26-27](#)). Use the hyperlink for each individual class to take you to the registration system if you haven't logged in there already. Find your swim lesson and proceed with registration. **Participants can only register in one (1) aquatic program per term. Participants registered in more than 1 will be contacted and extra registrations will be cancelled and charged the 10% administrative fee.** We are unable to hold a waitlist for most aquatics programs, if a section time is full when you attempt to register, please check back again to see if anything becomes available.

Please refer to registration instructions on [page 3](#) for online or in-person registration. Registration is ongoing up to and including Week 2 of the program. We are unable to make changes or process new registrations after week 2. 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.



DON'T FORGET ME!
See page 4 for more details



AQUATICS PROGRAMS CONTINUED COMMITMENT TO QUALITY

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

- 35 & 50 minute classes
- Scheduled time between classes for rotation, evaluation & to connect with parents
- **Aquatics program support staff wearing a blue staff shirt available on deck**



**Lifesaving Society's
Swim for Life Program**

Based on the internationally recognized Swim to Survive standard and aligned with the Sport for Life model, the Lifesaving Society's Swim for Life Program focuses on basic survival skills and proper swimming techniques – fun from day one! Swim for Life starts by developing strong foundational and personal self-rescue skills, then continues 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. For questions please contact our Aquatics Program Team at aquaadmin@canadagamescentre.ca.



See the chart on page 26 for swim lesson days and times. Online registration codes are listed in the swim chart.

■ PARENT & TOT PROGRAMS

Ages 4 months – 3.5 years

35 minutes each

Members \$99, Non-Members \$132.75

The Lifesaving Society Parent & Tot program focuses on in-water interactions between the parent and child to teach water-positive attitudes and skills through play. Activities and progressions are based on child development*, teaching all families the importance of being “within arms’ reach” and other Water Smart® safety tips. Swimmers must be accompanied by one parent/guardian in the water.

**Children must be within the age requirements by the start date of the program (the first swim lesson). Swimmers must be accompanied by one adult parent/guardian in the water.*



PARENT & TOT 1 | 4-12 months

Parents/Guardians will learn how to safely hold and play with their 4–12-month-old in the water. Parents/Guardians will also learn simple tips and tricks to help prepare their swimmer for underwater submersion.

PARENT & TOT 2 | 12-24 months

Parents/guardians safely explore the water with their 12–24-month-old. Parents/guardians learn how to support their swimmer while floating, kicking, getting their face wet and blowing bubbles. Recovering objects from below the water is introduced.

PARENT & TOT 3 | 2-3.5 years

Parents/guardians will work towards supporting their 2-3.5-year-old toddlers in becoming more independent in the water. Skills include getting in and out of the water independently, underwater submersion, floats and pencil glides.

PRESCHOOL PROGRAMS

Ages 3-5.5 years old

35 minutes each

Members \$99, Non-Members \$132.75

The Swim for Life Preschool Program gives children an early start to learn how to swim. Children 3-5 years old* will start to develop foundational Water Smart® skills and become more comfortable in the water.

**Children must meet minimum age requirements by the start date of the program (the first swim lesson).*

PRESCHOOL 1

Preschool 1 focuses on building confidence in the water independently. Swimmers learn how to get in and out of the water safely without their parent/guardian, jump into chest deep water (assisted), and how to put their face in water to blow bubbles. They will also learn floats and glides while wearing a life jacket/Personal Floatation Device (PFD).

PRESCHOOL 2

Preschool 2 helps swimmers gain independence while practicing building on the foundation taught at the Preschool 1 level. They will start to jump into chest deep water unassisted and floating/gliding with different buoyant aids. Swimmers will practice rolling over and flutter kick on their back.



See the chart on page 26 for swim lesson days and times. Online registration codes are listed in the swim chart.

PRESCHOOL 3

Preschool 3 focuses on swimmers' ability to kick and glide short distances (2-3m) on their front and back. They will work on retrieving objects from the bottom of the pool (waist-deep water) and continue to work on floats and rolling over. Swimmers will also start to enter deeper water to practice side entries and jump in with life jackets/PFDs.

PRESCHOOL 4

Preschool 4 strengthens flutter kicking and swimmers will be introduced to front crawl progressions. They will be introduced to deeper water with a life jacket/PFD and will try jumping in and doing side rolls on their own.

PRESCHOOL 5

Preschool 5 is developed to help prepare swimmers for the Swimmer Programs. They will work on short distance (5m) front crawl and back crawl. They will try forward rolls into deep water wearing a life jacket/PFD and treading water for 10 seconds. They will also get to practice whip kick and interval/fitness training.



SCHOOL-AGED SWIMMER PROGRAMS

The Lifesaving Society's 6-level Swimmer programs accommodate children 5 years and older* including absolute beginners as well as swimmers who want to build on the basics.

**Children must meet minimum age requirements by the start date of the program (the first swim lesson).*

SWIMMER 1

35 minutes each

Members \$99, Non-Members \$132.75

Swimmers will become comfortable jumping into water with and without a life jacket. They will learn to open their eyes, exhale, and hold their breath underwater. They will work on floats, glides and kicking through the water on their front and back.

SWIMMER 1 ADVANCED

35 minutes each

Members \$99, Non-Members \$132.75

Swimmer 1 Advanced is by recommendation only, for swimmers to refine their skills.

Swimmer 1 Advanced is for swimmers who have completed Preschool 4 or Preschool 5 to refine their skills.



See the chart on page 27 for swim lesson days and times. Online registration codes are listed in the swim chart.

SWIMMER 2

35 minutes each

Members \$99, Non-Members \$132.75

Swimmers will jump into deeper water and learn to be comfortable falling sideways into the water wearing a lifejacket/PFD. They'll be able to support themselves at the surface without an aid, learn whip kick, swim 10m on their front and back, and be introduced to flutter kick interval/fitness training (4 x 5 m).

SWIMMER 3

35 minutes each

Members \$99, Non-Members \$132.75

Swimmers will try diving and practice in-water somersaults and handstands. They'll work on completing front crawl, back crawl, and whip kick non-stop for 10m. Flutter kick interval/fitness training increases to 4 x 15m. Swimmers begin developing their Swim to Survive® skills: roll into deep water, tread water for 30 seconds, swim 25m.

SWIMMER 4

50 minutes each

Members \$107.10, Non-Members \$141.75

Swimmers will practice going 5m non-stop underwater and 25m of front crawl, back crawl, whip kick, and breaststroke arms with breathing. They will work towards completing the Canadian Swim to Survive® Standard (roll into deep water, tread water for 30 seconds, swim 25m).

SWIMMER 5

50 minutes each

Members \$107.10, Non-Members \$141.75

Swimmers will practice shallow dives, cannonball entries, eggbeater technique, and in-water somersaults. They will practice front and back crawl (50m non-stop), and breaststroke (25m non-stop). They will also strengthen their sprinting abilities through interval/fitness training.



SWIMMER 6

50 minutes each

Members \$107.10, Non-Members \$141.75

Swimmers will learn advanced aquatic skills including stride entries, compact jumps, and internationally recognized lifesaving kicks. They'll develop strength in head-up breaststroke sprints (25m), and swim lengths of front crawl, back crawl, and breaststroke (300m workouts).

SWIMMER 7 ROOKIE PATROL

50 minutes each

Members \$107.10, Non-Members \$141.75

Swimmers continue stroke development of front crawl, back crawl, and breaststroke. Fitness improves with 350m workouts and 100m timed swims. Lifesaving Sport skills include a 25m obstacle swim and 15m object carries. First aid is introduced, focusing on the assessment of conscious victims, contacting Emergency Medical Services (EMS) and treatment for bleeding.

SWIMMER 8 RANGER PATROL

50 minutes each

Members \$107.10, Non-Members \$141.75

Swimmers continue stroke development of front crawl, back crawl, breaststroke, and focused skill drills to improve Lifesaving Sport abilities (lifesaving medley, timed object support, rescue with a buoyant aid). First aid skills are improved upon, focusing on the assessment of unconscious victims, treatment of shock and obstructed airway procedures.

SWIMMER 9 STAR PATROL

50 minutes each

Members \$107.10, Non-Members \$141.75

Swimmers are challenged with 600m workouts, 300m timed swims and 25m object carries. First aid focuses on treatment of bone or joint injuries and respiratory emergencies including asthma and allergic reactions (anaphylaxis). Lifesaving skills include defense methods, victim removals and rolling over and supporting a victim face up in shallow water.

See the chart on page 27 for swim lesson days and times. Online registration codes are listed in the swim chart.



■ TEEN & ADULT SWIM LESSONS

These lessons are designed for teens and adults who are beginners or looking to build confidence in the water and will teach the Swim to Survive Standard (roll into deep water, tread for 30 seconds, swim 25m).

Teen Level 1

9 Lessons | Ages 11-16 years

Members \$107.10, Non-Members \$141.75

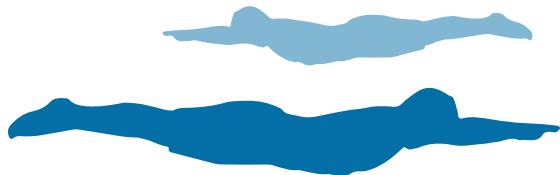
Swimmers learn entering and exiting shallow water and deep water. They will be introduced to floating and gliding in water, flutter kicking, and underwater skills.

Teen Level 2

9 Lessons | Ages 11-16 years

Members \$107.10, Non-Members \$141.75

Swimmers are introduced to roll into water and diving, front and back crawl, intro to breaststroke and improving endurance.



Adult Level 1

9 Lessons | Ages 16+ years

Members \$107.10, Non-Members \$141.75 (plus tax)

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

Adult Level 2

9 Lessons | Ages 16+ years

Members \$107.10, Non-Members \$141.75 (plus tax)

Learn more complex entries and exits like dives and rolls, the Swim to Survive Standard (roll into deep water, tread water for 30 seconds, swim 25m), whip kick, front crawl, and back crawl.

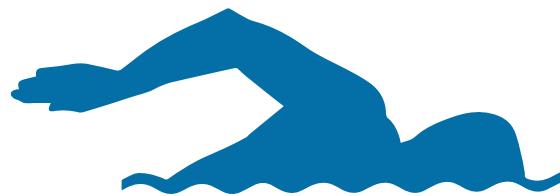
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■ AQUATICS INCLUSION LESSONS

We are excited to offer both private inclusion lessons and group inclusion lessons!

Private lessons occur on Sunday mornings in a sensory friendly environment, and group lessons occur during Wednesday evening classes. Inclusion trained instructors teach swimmers one on one, providing adaptations and support to participants who require it.

There is currently a waitlist, and an intake form is required to match participants with instructors. Please send an email to aquaadmin@canadagamescentre.ca to join the waitlist for our inclusion lessons.



■ SWIM LESSONS - DAYS & TIMES

	TUESDAYS April 7 – June 2	WEDNESDAYS April 8 – June 3	THURSDAYS April 9 – June 4	SATURDAYS* April 11 – June 13
PARENT & TOT 1	5:35pm 00051518	4:15pm 00051513		8:30am 00051508
PARENT & TOT 2	4:55pm 00051510	5:35pm 00051516	4:15pm 00051509	9:10am 00051517 11:50am 00051506
PARENT & TOT 3	6:15pm 00051512	4:55pm 00051511	4:15pm 00051514	10:30am 00051515 11:10am 00051507
PRESCHOOL 1	4:15pm 00051548 4:55pm 00051551	5:35pm 00051545 6:15pm 00051552	4:15pm 00051544 4:55pm 00051549 5:35pm 00051550	8:30am 00051547 9:10am 00051543 9:50am 00051546 11:10am 00051542
PRESCHOOL 2	4:55pm 00051571 6:15pm 00051574	4:15pm 00051575	5:35pm 00051572	8:30am 00051578 9:50am 00051577 10:30am 00051576 11:50am 00051573
PRESCHOOL 3	4:15pm 00051588 5:35pm 00051580	4:15pm 00051582 4:55pm 00051583	4:55pm 00051581 6:15pm 00051584	9:10am 00051586 9:50am 00051585 11:10am 00051587
PRESCHOOL 4	5:35pm 00051594	4:55pm 00051598	6:15pm 00051595	8:30am 00051597 10:30am 00051596
PRESCHOOL 5	5:35pm 00051605	6:15pm 00051607	4:55pm 00051609	9:50am 00051604 11:10am 00051606

*Please note there are no swim lessons on Saturday, May 16th for the Victoria Day long weekend.

	TUESDAYS April 7 – June 2	WEDNESDAYS April 8 – June 3	THURSDAYS April 9 – June 4	FRIDAYS* April 10 – June 12	SATURDAYS* April 11 – June 13
SWIMMER 1	4:15pm 00051720 4:55pm 00051724 4:55pm 00051719 5:35pm 00051718 6:15pm 00051721	4:15pm 00052422 4:55pm 00051729 5:35pm 00051737 6:15pm 00051735	4:15pm 00051733 4:55pm 00051732 5:35pm 00051731 6:15pm 00051730		8:30am 00051727 9:10am 00051726 9:50am 00051728 10:30am 00051736 11:10am 00051725 11:50am 00051734
SWIMMER 1 ADVANCED	6:15pm 00052375		5:35pm 00052377		9:10am 00052376
SWIMMER 2	4:15pm 00052355 4:55pm 00052341 5:35pm 00052345 6:15pm 00052358 6:15pm 00052363	4:15pm 00052348 4:55pm 00052343 5:35pm 00052357 6:15pm 00052359	4:15pm 00052350 4:55pm 00052344 5:35pm 00052349 6:15pm 00052356		8:30am 00052352 9:10am 00052347 9:50am 00052354 10:30am 00052353 10:30am 00052372 11:10am 00052346
SWIMMER 3	4:15pm 00052325 4:55pm 00052305 5:35pm 00052302 6:15pm 00052321	4:15pm 00052319 4:55pm 00052322 5:35pm 00052309 6:15pm 00052314	4:15pm 00052313 4:55pm 00052308 5:35pm 00052304 6:15pm 00052307 6:15pm 00052333		8:30am 00052306 9:10am 00052316 9:50am 00052300 10:30am 00052318 11:10am 00052299 11:50am 00052310
SWIMMER 4	4:00pm 00052157	4:55pm 00052158	4:55pm 00052162		8:30am 00052159 9:25am 00052163 9:25am 00052200
SWIMMER 5	4:00pm 00052150	4:55pm 00052154	4:55pm 00052153		8:30am 00052155 9:25am 00052151 10:20am 00052176
SWIMMER 6	4:55pm 00052147	4:00pm 00052146	5:50pm 00052144		8:30am 00052148 9:25am 00052145 10:20am 00052143 11:15am 00052170
SWIMMER 7 / ROOKIE	4:55pm 00052118	4:00pm 00052119	5:50pm 00052120		10:20am 00052122 11:15am 00052117
SWIMMER 8 / RANGER	5:50pm 00052112	5:50pm 00052113			8:30am 00052135 10:20am 00052114 11:15am 00052115
SWIMMER 9 / STAR	5:50pm 00052108	5:50pm 00052109			11:15am 00052111
TEEN 1				5:30pm 00052103	11:50am 00052102 11:50am 00052101
TEEN 2				6:10pm 00052104	11:50am 00052105
ADULT 1				6:10pm 00052086	12:10pm 00052087 12:10pm 00052084
ADULT 2				5:30pm 00052085	12:10pm 00052083 12:10pm 00052098

*Please note there are no swim lessons on Friday May 15th, or Saturday, May 16th for the Victoria Day long weekend.

■ PRIVATE & SEMI-PRIVATE SWIM LESSONS

PRIVATE LESSONS

35 minutes each

Members \$186.75

Non-Members \$238.50

SEMI-PRIVATE LESSONS

35 minutes each

Members \$306

Non-Members \$387

Please ensure you pick the appropriate swim lesson level noted in the chart below.

Private and Semi-Private Lessons are available for swimmers ages 3-16 years in levels Preschool 1-5 and Swimmer 1-6 at days and times listed in the chart. We do not offer private lessons outside of this schedule and cannot reschedule missed private lessons.

Swimmer 7-9 (Rookie, Ranger, Star Patrol) levels are not offered in private format, because they require additional participants for lifesaving skills.

Please Note: Semi-private fees listed are for 2 participants. You must coordinate your second participant at time of registration. As we are only able to take one payment, any cost splitting must be coordinated outside of our registration system.

	TUESDAYS April 7 – June 2	WEDNESDAYS April 8 – June 3	THURSDAYS April 9 – June 4	FRIDAYS* April 10 – June 12	SATURDAYS* April 11 – June 13	SUNDAYS* April 12 – June 14
SWIMMER 2 OR LOWER						
Private	4:15pm 00051627	4:55pm 00051623	4:15pm 00051657 5:35pm 00051633	4:10pm 00051644 4:50pm 00051655 4:50pm 00051646 5:30pm 00051626 6:10pm 00051653	8:30am 00051631 9:10am 00051632 9:10am 00051636 9:50am 00051630 10:30am 00051654 10:30am 00051645 11:10am 00051641 11:10am 00051642 11:50am 00051629 11:50am 00051637	8:00am 00051933 8:00am 00051942 8:40am 00051934 8:40am 00051926 8:40am 00051952 9:20am 00051935 9:20am 00051955 10:00am 00051936 10:00am 00051929 10:00am 00051959 10:40am 00051937 11:20am 00051932
SWIMMER 3 OR HIGHER					8:30am 00051969 9:50am 00051976	8:00am 00051973 9:20am 00051978
Private	4:55pm 00051621 5:35pm 00051652	4:15pm 00051643 6:15pm 00051661	6:15pm 00051638	4:10pm 00051639 4:10pm 00051624 4:50pm 00051625 5:30pm 00051656 6:10pm 00051622	8:30am 00051635 8:30am 00051648 9:10am 00051628 9:50am 00051640 9:50am 00051650 10:30am 00051651 11:10am 00051659 11:10am 00051658 11:50am 00051634 11:50am 00051647	10:40am 00051927 10:40am 00051963 11:20am 00051928 11:20am 00051967
Semi-Private	6:15pm 00051971	5:35pm 00051974	4:55pm 00051970	4:10pm 00051984 4:50pm 00051977	9:10am 00051975 10:30am 00051972	

*Please note there are no swim lessons on Friday May 15th, Saturday, May 16th, or Sunday, May 17th for the Victoria Day long weekend.

LEADERSHIP PROGRAMS

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.

How to become a Lifeguard and/or Instructor

Lifesaving Society Bronze Star*

Prerequisites: Minimum 11 years of age and can comfortably swim 200m.

*Bronze Star only required for Bronze Medallion if candidate is under 13 years old.

Lifesaving Society Bronze Medallion & Basic Workplace First Aid

Prerequisites: Minimum 12 years of age with Bronze Star, or 13 years of age.

Lifesaving Society Bronze Cross & Intermediate Workplace First Aid

Prerequisites: Minimum 13 years of age + Bronze Medallion and Basic Workplace First Aid (need not be current)

LIFEGUARD

Lifesaving Society National Lifeguard & Airway Management

Prerequisites: 15 years old + Bronze Cross + Intermediate Workplace First Aid

LEADERSHIP INSTRUCTOR

Lifesaving Society Lifesaving Instructor & First Aid Instructor

Prerequisites: 16 years old + Bronze Cross + Intermediate Workplace First Aid

SWIM INSTRUCTOR

Lifesaving Society Swim For Life Instructor (SFL)

Prerequisites: 15 years old + Bronze Cross

Become a CGC Aquatics staff member!

Upon completion of your certifications, submit your resume by email at careers@canadagamescentre.ca



Lifesaving Society Bronze Star

April 7 – June 2

Tuesdays | 5:50pm-7:00pm

Members \$120, Non-Members \$150

Online registration code [00052005](#)

Prerequisite: Minimum 11 years of age and can comfortably swim 200m.

Candidates improve their stroke mechanics, develop self-rescue skills, and apply fitness principles in training workouts. Bronze Star is developed to prepare for success in Bronze Medallion and fundamental skills for Lifesaving Sport. *100% course attendance is required for certification.*

As per the cancellation policy on page 3, some Leadership Program courses may also include a textbook fee, along with the 10% admin fee, if a participant requests a program cancellation.



Lifesaving Society Bronze Medallion & Basic Workplace First Aid (formerly Emergency First Aid)

April 10 – June 12 (Exam Date: June 12)

Fridays | 4:00pm-7:00pm*

Members \$220, Non-Members \$250

Online registration code [00052007](#)

**Please note there is no program on Friday, May 15 for the Victoria Day long weekend.*

Prerequisite: Minimum 13 years of age. If a candidate is 12 years of age, completing Bronze Star is a mandatory prerequisite. To register candidates 12 years of age, please email aquaadmin@canadagamescentre.ca. To allow candidates an equal opportunity, we will no longer be accepting candidates under 12 years of age.

Judgment, knowledge, skill, and fitness—the four components of water rescue—form the basis of Bronze Medallion. Candidates develop the assessment and problem-solving skills needed to make good decisions in, on, and around the water. Registration fees include the books and exam fees. *100% course attendance is required for certification.*

Lifesaving Society Bronze Cross & Intermediate Workplace First Aid (formerly Standard First Aid)

April 11 – June 13 (Exam Date: June 13)
Saturdays | 10:00am-3:00pm*
Members \$235, Non-Members \$265
Online registration code **00052009**

*Please note there is no program on Saturday, May 16 for the Victoria Day long weekend.

Prerequisites: 13 years of age, Bronze Medallion; Basic Workplace First Aid (need not be current). To allow candidates an equal opportunity, we will no longer be accepting candidates under 12 years of age.

Bronze Cross & Intermediate Workplace First Aid begins the transition from lifesaving to lifeguarding and prepares candidates for responsibilities as assistant lifeguards. Candidates strengthen and expand their lifesaving skills and begin to apply the principles and techniques of active surveillance in aquatic facilities. Bronze Cross emphasizes the importance of teamwork and communication in preventing and responding to aquatic emergencies. Registration includes books and exam fees. 100% attendance is required for certification.

As per the cancellation policy on page 3, some Leadership Program courses may also include a textbook fee, along with the 10% admin fee, if a participant requests a program cancellation.



Lifesaving Society National Lifeguard & Airway Management

April 12 – June 14 (Exam Date: June 14)
Sunday | 10:00am–4:00pm*
Members \$295, Non-Members \$325 (plus tax)
Online registration code **00052026**

*Please note there is no program on Sunday, May 17 for the Victoria Day long weekend.

Prerequisite: Minimum 15 years of age; Bronze Cross certification (need not be current); Intermediate Workplace First Aid; CPR-C (need not be current).

National Lifeguard is a legal certificate for lifeguarding throughout the country and is recognized for lifeguarding indoor or outdoor swimming pools. It is Canada's professional lifeguard standard and is designed for lifesavers who wish to obtain a responsible job and leadership experience. Successful candidates are certified by the Lifesaving Society - Canada's lifeguarding experts.

This course is designed to develop the fundamental values, judgment, knowledge, skills, and fitness required by lifeguards. The National Lifeguard course emphasizes lifeguarding skills, principles and practices, and the decision-making processes that will assist the lifeguard to provide effective safety supervision in swimming pool environments. 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 two certifications (National Lifeguard–Pool Option & Airway Management), pocket mask, whistle, books, and exam fees.

100% course attendance is required for certification. Certification is conditional upon successful completion of Instructor-evaluated skills and exam.

Participants in Grade 11 or 12 who have obtained their National Lifeguard, Lifesaving Instructor (LSI) or Swim for Life Instructor (SFLI) may receive school credits. Proof of awards must be sent and approved by the school's Guidance Counselor.

Recertification - Lifesaving Society National Lifeguard Pool, Intermediate Workplace First Aid (formerly Standard First Aid) & Airway Management

2-Day Course | May 9 & 10
Saturday & Sunday | 9:00am-5:00pm
Members \$110, Non-Members \$140 (plus tax)
Online registration code [00052079](#)

Prerequisite: National Lifeguard & Intermediate Workplace First Aid (need not be current).

This is a recertification course for those who have obtained a National Lifeguard Pool and Intermediate Workplace and wish to renew their certification.

Lifesaving Society Swim For Life Instructor

2-Weekend Course
May 22-24 & May 29-31
Friday | 5pm-9pm, Saturday & Sunday | 9am-3:30pm
Members \$250, Non-Members \$270 (plus tax)
Online registration code [00052387](#)

Prerequisite: 15 years of age (by the end of the course); Bronze Cross (need not be current)

The Lifesaving Society Swim Instructor course prepares the instructor to teach and evaluate the swimming strokes and related skills found in the Lifesaving Society Swim for Life program. Candidates acquire proven teaching methods, planning skills, and a variety of stroke development drills and correction techniques.

*100% course attendance is required.
Practice teaching hours are included in the course time.*

As per the cancellation policy on page 3, some Leadership Program courses will also include a textbook fee, along with the 10% admin fee, if a participant requests a program cancellation.



Lifesaving Society Lifesaving Instructor

Weekend Course | April 17-19
Friday 5:00pm-10:00pm
Saturday & Sunday | 9:00am-5:00pm
Members \$250, Non-Members \$270 (plus tax)
Online registration code [00052426](#)

Prerequisite: 16 years of age by the end of the course and Bronze Cross

The Lifesaving Instructor course prepares the instructor to teach and evaluate 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 Bronze Medal awards, Lifesaving Fitness, and first aid. Please note that candidates will not be able to teach Bronze Medallion or Bronze Cross without also taking the First Aid Instructor course. Apprenticeships are required after the Course to be fully certified. *100% course attendance is required.*

Lifesaving Society First Aid Instructor

Weekend Course | April 24-26
Friday 5:00pm-10:00pm
Saturday & Sunday | 9:00am-5:00pm
Members \$250, Non-Members \$270 (plus tax)
Online registration code [00052427](#)

Prerequisite: 16 years of age by the end of the course and Bronze Cross

The First Aid Instructor course prepares the instructor to teach and evaluate first aid 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 Basic Workplace First Aid and Intermediate Workplace First aid. Please note that candidates will not be able to teach Bronze Medallion or Bronze Cross without also taking the Lifesaving Instructor course. Apprenticeships are required after the course to be fully certified. *100% course attendance is required.*

Swim Academy

Our Swim Team is designed to develop the whole athlete and promote a healthy love of sport in a low-pressure environment. Each team offers participants access to a variety of training opportunities, both in the water and on dry land, to prevent injury and promote lifelong participation and enjoyment of physical activity.



■ INTRODUCTION TO COMPETITIVE SWIMMING

This 16-practice program, with a bonus fun day, focuses on stroke development, starts and turns, endurance and pace clock work in a fun, team environment. Although there are no official swim meets, unofficial time trials will be held during practice times to allow athletes to practice racing and see their personal growth. Time trials will take place on practice 2 and 16 of the program (barring any unforeseen schedule changes).

This one-time-only program allows swimmers to try competitive swimming and decide if it is a good fit for them. If swimmers enjoy the program and succeed, they may be invited to move into one of the teams (space permitting), be recommended for another team, or return to swim lessons.

Ages 8 and up | April 12 – June 8

Please see Training schedule on [page 35](#)

Members \$153.92, Non-Members \$208.00

Online registration code [00053073](#)

Prerequisite: 8 years of age and up. Swimmers must have completed Swimmer 5, be able to swim 50 meters of Freestyle continuously, have never been on a swim team and have not taken this program before.

**Please note there are no programs on May 17 & 18 for the Victoria Day long weekend.*

■ SUMMER SWIM TEAM OFF-SEASON TRAINING

Summer Swim Team is structured for those looking to compete over summer who are not involved in year-round swim teams. All swimmers must meet summer swimmer eligibility requirements and are required to disclose any training and competitions outside of summer swimming at registration. Our Summer Swim Team off season training focuses on proper technique, athletic integrity, and fair play in a positive and encouraging environment. Off-Season training allows athletes to maintain their skills and fitness throughout the rest of the year, in accordance with Swim Nova Scotia summer swimming regulations. Swimmers will have the opportunity to learn water polo, lifesaving and other aquatic sports in multi-sport practices. Although there are no competitions unofficial time trials are held for athletes to practice racing and track their personal growth.

Ages 8-18 | September 7-June 7
 Please see training schedule on [page 35](#)

**PLEASE NOTE THE SUMMER SWIM TEAM
OFF-SEASON TRAINING IS FULL**

*See Training Schedule
on page 35.*

■ LIFESAVING SPORT TEAM

Lifesaving Sport Team will introduce participants to the sport of lifesaving, while providing them with training opportunities to attend lifesaving competitions throughout the year. Specially trained Lifesaving Coaches will concentrate on developing each swimmer's strength, power, and endurance. Participants will also focus on Swim technique and expanding their skills into other aquatic sports in a multisport practice.

Ages 8-18 | September 7-June 7
 Please see training schedule on [page 35](#)

Swim Nova Scotia Fee \$112.00 due at time of registration | Bi-weekly fee \$64.00

**PLEASE NOTE THE LIFESAVING SPORT TEAM
OFF-SEASON TRAINING IS FULL**

Prerequisite: Completed Swimmer 8 or higher/Ranger or Star, have basic knowledge of freestyle, backstroke and breaststroke, feel comfortable in deep water, dive into the pool, swim 10 minutes continuous and follow coach's directions.



■ SWIM ACADEMY - TRAINING DAYS & TIMES

NOTE: All practices except Masters include a 15-minute poolside activation. This schedule is subject to change, and will be finalized after registration.

	MONDAYS	WEDNESDAYS	FRIDAYS	SUNDAYS
INTRODUCTION TO COMPETITIVE SWIMMING	4:45pm-6:00pm			9:45am-11:00am
SUMMER SWIM TEAM OFF SEASON TRAINING BRONZE			4:15pm-5:30pm	8:45am-10:00am
SUMMER SWIM TEAM OFF SEASON TRAINING SILVER			5:15pm-6:30pm	7:45am-9:00am
SUMMER SWIM TEAM OFF SEASON TRAINING GOLD			6:15pm-7:30pm	7:45am-9:00am
LIFESAVING SPORT TEAM	4:45pm-6:00pm (Fitness Practice)			8:45am-10:00am (Lifesaving Practice)
MASTERS SWIM TEAM	7:00pm-8:00pm	6:00am-7:00am	6:00am-7:00am	7:00am-8:00am
MULTISPORT ROTATING SCHEDULE	5:45pm-7:00pm			

■ MASTERS SWIM TEAM

Masters Swim Team promotes fun, fitness, health, fellowship and participation among adult swimmers, while also providing guidance and leadership in the direction, development and execution of programs for both noncompetitive and competitive adult swimmers. Masters swimming is based on regular training sessions using practice techniques similar to those used in swim programs all over the world, including flexibility, strength, and aerobic conditioning, and is a blend of recreational and fitness swimming for adults.

- Participants share lanes and will have to follow circle swimming and general swim etiquette practices.

Ages 18+ | September 7-June 7
Please see Training schedule above

PLEASE NOTE THE MASTERS SWIM TEAM IS FULL

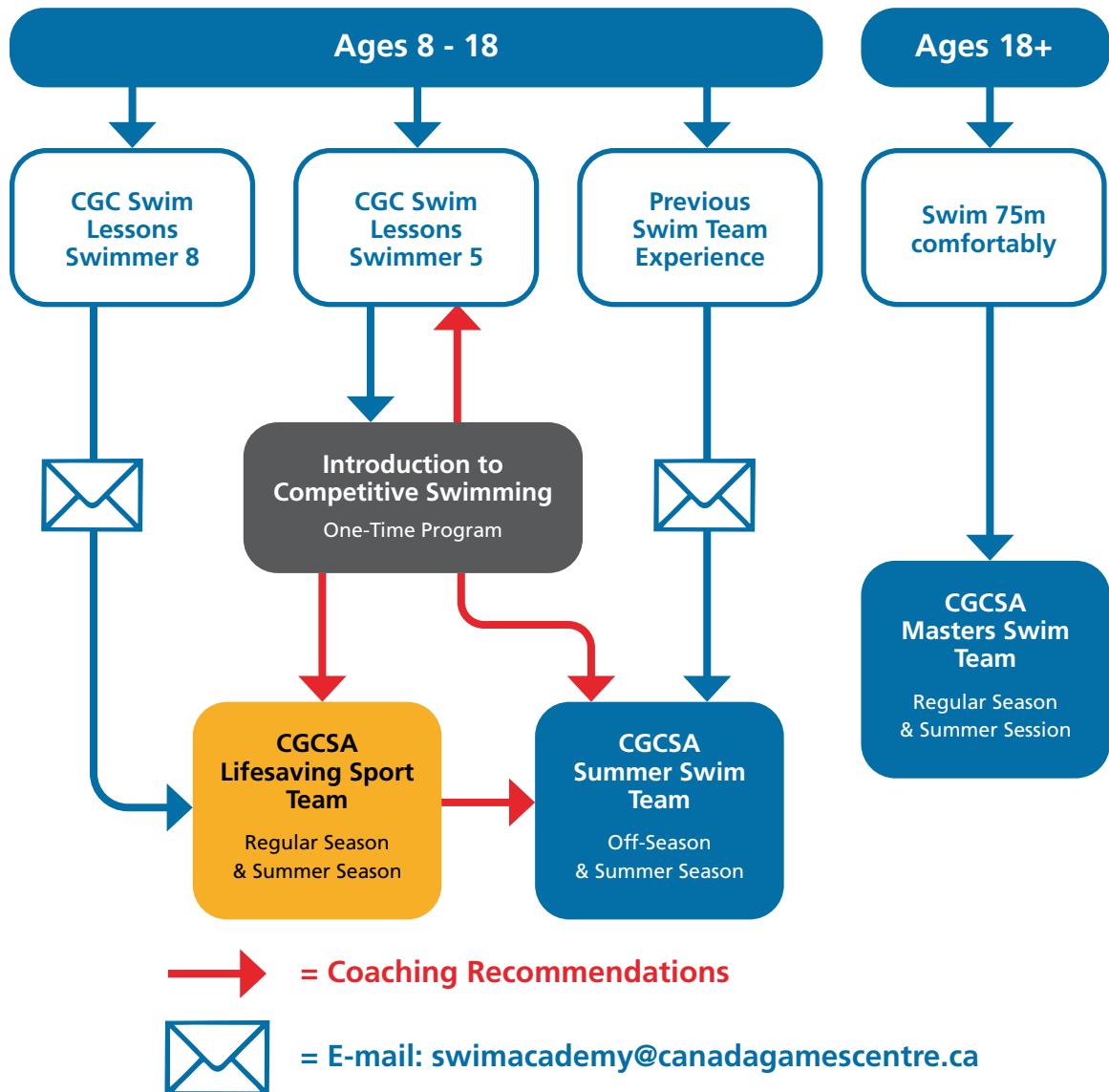
Prerequisites: Masters is open to adults 18 years and older who have at least a basic lane swimming ability and can comfortably swim 75 meters. No previous competitive background is necessary, and you do not have to compete as a Masters swimmer. The most important prerequisite for becoming involved with our program is the desire to learn and grow in a fun and stimulating environment.

Please reach out to the Head Coach at swimacademy@canadagamescentre.ca if you are interested in joining.

**Please note: There will be no CGCSA programs between May 15-18 for Victoria Day.*

Want to know more about the Canada Games Centre Swim Academy (CGCSA)?

The CGCSA program is designed to develop the whole athlete and promote a healthy love of sport in a low-pressure environment. Each team within the CGCSA offers participants access to a variety of training opportunities, both in the water and on dry land, to prevent injury and promote lifelong participation and enjoyment of physical activity.



CGC Rentals

POOL PARTY!

POOL PARTY PACKAGE (20 guests)**

Members \$195* | Non-Members \$230*

Our pool parties include 1 hour in the pool followed by 1 hour in one of our party rooms.

For party package information and to book your party, please visit our website:
canadagamescentre.ca/rentals/party-packages/

*HST not included.

**A fee of \$8.13 (plus tax) per additional bracelet up to a maximum of 10 for the Pool Party.



ACTIVE & MEETING SPACE RENTALS

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
- Free parking for attendees
- Wi-fi 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.

To book your event or get more info, email booknow@canadagamescentre.ca.



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