

Outdoor activities

Enjoy a variety of outdoor activities available in Strathcona County. To find out about the bike skills or skateboard parks, where to play volleyball, basketball, tennis, pickleball and more, visit www.strathcona.ca/outdooractivities

Spray deck volunteers needed!

Spray decks are operated by community volunteers. If you are an adult willing to volunteer a few hours during July or August, this may be a perfect opportunity! Spray decks are located at Brentwood, Granville, Kinsmen/Westboro and Woodbridge.

The decks operate from 1 p.m. - 4 p.m. on days when the temperature is 20°C or above. Volunteer duties involve ensuring that the decks are litter-free and turning the water on and off. **To volunteer, please** call 780-467-2211. www.strathcona.ca/spraydecks

Clover Bar Spray Park

Located on Jim Common Drive North

Water features are open 10 a.m. - 9 p.m. from May long weekend to September long weekend. Children can activate the water features with the touch of a button!

RE/MAX Spray Park and Playground

Located at Broadmoor Lake Park 2015 Oak Street

When it's 20°C or warmer, play times are:

May long weekend to last week of June:10 a.m. to 7 p.m.Last week of June to Labour Day:10 a.m. to 9 p.m.Month of September, after Labour Day:10 a.m. to 7 p.m.

The park features innovative play structures for children all the way up to 15 years old. The park is both environmentally-friendly and accessible. Washrooms are available in the Sherwood Park Arena and Sports Centre, just north of the spray park.

ArrKann Spray Park and Playground

Located behind the Ardrossan Recreation Complex 80 - I Ave, Ardrossan

When it's 20°C or warmer, play times are: May long weekend to after Labour Day 10 a.m. to 8 p.m.

Washrooms and change facilities are available inside Ardrossan Recreation Complex.

Communities in Bloom

Do you have the time to plant and/or help maintain a flower bed in your neighbourhood? Strathcona in Bloom is looking for people who want to volunteer to plant and maintain a community flowerbed, while having fun doing it! www.strathcona.ca/bloom





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Parks

Parks and trails

Strathcona County has hundreds of kilometres of trails to help residents explore their community. www.strathcona.ca/trails

Riverside Nature Trail

Township Road 540. One trailhead at Twp Rd. 540 and Range Road 232. Other trail head is west on Twp Rd. 540, about 1 km

This 5.5 km riverside nature trail runs along the North Saskatchewan River and was constructed in partnership with the River Valley Alliance.

Legacy Forest and Pollinator Habitat

Centennial Park (park by diamond #1), 4000 Sherwood Drive

An outdoor space featuring a pollinator habitat, native grass pathway, and planted trees in celebration of the 20th anniversary of Strathcona County's specialized municipality status in 2016.

Sherwood Park Natural Area

Range Road 231, between Twp. Rds 520 and 522

Enjoy a 3 km walk at the Sherwood Park Natural Area! Interested in becoming a volunteer steward for this aspen parkland? **Call Howard** or Mary Jane MacPherson at 780-464-7072. For a map of the area go to www.strathcona.ca/parks

Thank you to Colchester and District Agricultural Society for their support.

Biodiversity Trail (Beaver Hills)

52521 Range Road 211

GPS co-ordinates: Latitude: 53.529715 N Longitude: 112.975522 W Explore the Beaver Hills Biosphere by walking the Beaver Hills Biodiversity Trail. Connecting people with nature, this 2.5 km natural surface trail is a unique rural trail. www.strathcona.ca/biodiversity

Dog Off-Leash Sites in Strathcona County

Ardrossan Regional Park (80-1 Avenue, Ardrossan) Deermound Off-Leash Park (23020 Twp Rd 522) Heritage Hills Off-Leash Area (Heritage Drive) Sally Stewart Park (Broadview Drive)

Find all of the answers to your dog-related questions online at: www.strathcona.ca/dogparks

Remember, every time they poop, you scoop - it's the law!