

# SUMMER

## Programs & Events



Douglas  
Provincial Park



SASKATCHEWAN  
PARKS

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
<b>1</b> 8 -10 am - Canada Day Pancake Breakfast 10 am- Crafts, games and face painting. 2pm - Kites and Butterflies in overflow area.	<b>2</b> Check out our great hiking trails	<b>3</b> Check posters and whiteboards for more details	<b>4</b> 10 am- Treasure Quest @ Beach Picnic Shelter	<b>5</b> 10 am - Nature Explorers @ Beach Picnic Shelter	<b>6</b> 9 am - Hike to Dunes; Meet at Nature centre across highway 2 pm - Pond Study and Frogs@ Beach Picnic Shelter	<b>7</b> 10 am - Nature Crafts @ the Beach Picnic Shelter 2 pm - Kids Games @ Beach Picnic Shelter
<b>8</b> Check out the new Nature Centre. Different activities and info every Sunday Hours 10am - 3pm	<b>9</b> Grab a nature pack from the entry gate and explore on your own	<b>10</b> Check posters and whiteboards for more details	<b>11</b> 10 am - Spy Kids @ Beach Picnic Shelter	<b>12</b> 10 am - Nature Explorers @ Beach Picnic Shelter	<b>13</b> 2 pm - Kite Flying and Butterflies in overflow area.  7 pm - Family Game Night @ Beach Picnic Shelter	<b>14</b> 10 am - Learn to Fish @ Beach Picnic Shelter 1 pm - Learn to Fish @ Beach Picnic Shelter 7pm- Smokey the Bear and Wildfire prevention@ Beach Picnic Shelter  Free Fishing Weekend
<b>15</b> Check out the new Nature Centre. Different activities and info every Sunday Hours 10am - 3pm Parks Week Free Fishing Weekend	<b>16</b> Parks Week- July 15-21 Take part in Bioblitz!  Look for posters	<b>17</b> Check posters and whiteboards for more details	<b>18</b> 10 am - Treasure Quest @ Beach Picnic Shelter  2 pm - Drowning Prevention information and activities by the Beach .	<b>19</b> 10 am - Nature Explorers @ Beach Picnic Shelter 2 pm - Bioblitz kickoff @ Beach Picnic Shelter  Check schedule of activities on back of calendar /website/posters	<b>20</b> 10 am - Bioblitz walk and learn inaturalist with a nature specialist; 1-3 pm Species tally, questions and fun @ Beach Picnic Shelter  2 pm - Drowning prevention information and activities at the Beach	<b>21</b> 10 am - Nature Crafts @ Beach Picnic Shelter 11 am - Bandit Ranch Rehab@ Location TBA 2 pm- Nature Games @ Beach Picnic Shelter
<b>22</b> Check out the new Nature Centre. Different activities and info every Sunday Hours 10am - 3pm	<b>23</b> Check out our great hiking trails	<b>24</b>	<b>25</b> 10 am - Spy Kids @ Beach Picnic Shelter	<b>26</b> 10 am - Nature Explorers	<b>27</b> 2 pm - Kite Flying and Butterflies in overflow area  7pm - Full Moon Hike to Dunes	<b>28</b> 10 am - Nature Crafts @ Beach Picnic
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## Special Events:

### **Canada Day** **July 1**

8-10 am - Pancake breakfast at the Store by the Shore.  
10 am - Canada Day crafts and face painting @ Beach Picnic Shelter.  
2 pm - Kite flying in overflow area.

### **Learn To Fish** **July 14**

10am and 1pm

Beach Picnic Area

A free two-hour shore fishing program with Matity Get Fishing. Equipment provided on a first-come, first-served basis. Children under 12 must have an adult who can assist them. Life jackets recommended for children.

July 14/15 is free fishing weekend!

### **Smokey the Bear** **July 14**

7pm

Learn about wildfire prevention and meet a famous mascot! Meet at the Beach Picnic Shelter.

## **Parks Week Bioblitz July 19 and 20**

### **Thursday, July 19**

2 pm - Kickoff to Bioblitz @ Beach Picnic Shelter  
3 pm - Becoming an iNaturalist @ Beach Picnic Shelter  
4 pm - Pond study -See what we can find and document. Meet @ Beach Picnic Shelter  
5- 7 pm - Inventory on your own  
7pm - Creatures of the Night - Join us for a walk to see how many different species we can find; Meet @ Beach Picnic Shelter.

### **Friday, July 20**

10 am - Lets take a walk with Sarah Vinge-Mazer, a botanist and plant expert. Meet across the highway at the Old Nature Centre.  
1-3 pm - Species tally, questions and fun @ Beach Picnic Shelter.

Visit [saskparks.com](http://saskparks.com) for full Parks Week Bioblitz details.

### **Bandit Ranch Rehab** **July 21**

11 am  
Meet Hayley to learn about her life as a wildlife rehabilitation expert. She will have a special wildlife friend along for the ride.

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### **Treasure Quest**

We will be learning to use a compass to take us on a fun treasure hunt around the park. Great for all ages as long as young children are accompanied by an older sibling or parent. Watch white boards and posters for more details on locations and dates

### **Spy Kids**

This is a learn to geocache program with a fun mystery twist. We will be using GPS units to do a "scavenger hunt" around the park. Watch white boards for more detail on location and dates

### **Crafts**

Join us at the Beach picnic shelter for fun nature crafts. Any age of children

### **Nature Explorers**

Join park staff for an interesting and fun morning of activities, short hikes and crafts all about nature; Watch white boards and posters for information on location and what we will be doing that day; Geared toward Children age 5-12.

### **Pond Study and Frogs**

Meet at the Beach Picnic Shelter for pond dipping and discover why wetlands are so important. Wear shoes that can get wet.

### **Family Game Night**

We will have a few options of games for different ages. Come out and have fun .

### **Hike to the Dunes**

Visit the natural sand dunes and learn more about this amazing ecosystem. Be sure to bring water and wear proper shoes. This hike will be about 2 hours in length. Meet at the old Nature Centre across the highway.

### **Kite Flying and Butterflies**

Fly kites and explore for butterflies in the overflow area.

### **Visit the New Nature Centre/Park Administration Office.**

Hours: Saturday -Sunday 10am - 3pm  
Monday - Friday - 8:30 am - 4:30 pm

Every Sunday we will have a new Discovery Table and activities at the Nature Centre. Check white boards and posters for more info,



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