

NBCC Summer Programs – COVID-19 Update June 23, 2020

Hello Everyone,

The NBCC Board of Directors and Staff have been busy reviewing recent COVID-19 Government Guidelines and those provided by our governing sport organizations. We have made the following changes to our 2020 summer programs and camps to ensure they can be conducted in a safe and compliant manner.

- The minimum age for all summer programs has been raised, only children born in 2010 or earlier will be able to participate.
- Full Day supervision can no longer be provided, programs have been restructured into 3 hour daily sessions with staggered start times (see schedule below)
- Two options are available for Canoe Kids Paddle Camps each week:
 - Mornings: Daily 3-hour sessions from 8:30 to 11:30 AM, maximum 12 participants per week
 - Afternoons: Daily 3-hour sessions from 1:30 to 4:30 PM, maximum 12 participants per week
 - Participants and Instructors will be assigned to groups for the week and will remain with that group for the entire week. Drop off and pick up windows have been reduced to 15 minutes before and after scheduled program times
- Program Fees have been reduced to reflect these changes
- Parents who have already submitted payment will be fully refunded if their children can no participate in that program or refunded for the difference in fees based on the new program structure
- Parents who have submitted “Reserve a Spot” forms will be contacted this week to either confirm their child’s attendance in a modified program or inform them that their child will not be able to participate in the selected program.
- In compliance with the province’s [COVID-19 Guidance: Summer Day Camps](#), please ensure that all individuals, including camp participants and parents/guardians are screened including daily temperature checks at home prior to arrival at the club. Anyone with symptoms outlined in the [COVID-19 Reference Document for Symptoms](#) on the Ministry of Health’s [COVID-19 website](#) or who has come in close contact with a person with symptoms of or confirmed COVID-19 in the past 14 days should not come to the Canoe Club.
- NBCC Staff will conduct a brief verbal COVID-19 Assessment on arrival at a designated arrival/screening location near the club and will apply the same criteria listed above to determine whether an individual needs to return home.
- NBCC has prepared comprehensive [COVID-19 Policies and Protocols](#) that can be found our web site. Please take the time the [NBCC COVID-19 Return to Paddling Policies](#)
- Updated [Program Descriptions](#) and [Registration Forms](#) are now available on our web site.

It is important to note that Government Guidelines are frequently updated and NBCC will continue to adapt our programs to those updated guidelines and inform parents as quickly as possible. The program modifications listed above will be monitored over the first two weeks of July and adjustments made as we gain experience with them.

NBCC apologizes for any inconvenience caused by these changes so close to the start of the summer and appreciate everyone's understanding as we navigate our programs through this pandemic.

Sincerely,

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Modified NBCC Summer Program Times and Fees:

Sprint High Performance (U16, U18)

June 29 – August 21
7:00 AM to 9:00 AM M-F
4:00 PM to 6:00 PM M-F
9:00 AM to 12:00 Sat.
Fee = \$600

Sprint Development (U10, U12, U14)

June 29 – August 21
9:00 AM to 12:00 PM M-F
9:30 AM to 11:30 AM Sat
Fee = \$400

Intro to Sprint Camps

June 29 – August 21
Weekly Camps
One, 3-hour session per day
1:00 PM to 4:00 PM M-F
Fee = \$100 per week/\$80 per short week
Maximum of 12 participants per camp week

Canoe Kids Camps

June 29 – August 21,
Weekly Camps
One, 3-hour session per day, option of morning or afternoon
Mornings: 8:30 AM to 11:30 AM M-F

OR

Afternoons: 1:30 to 4:30 AM M-F

Fee = \$100 per week/\$80 per short week

Maximum of 12 participants per session

Adult Recreational Paddling

6:00 PM to 8:00 PM Tuesday and Thursday

Fee = \$110 (8 Sessions), \$200 (16 Sessions)