

Recreation & Culture

2026 Summer Activities

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Mayor & Council

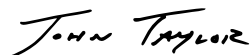
Summer invites you to enjoy longer days and make time for what you love most. Newmarket's Recreation & Culture programs are a great way to stay active, connected and inspired.

Whether you're drawn to sports and fitness, arts and creativity, or you're looking to explore something new, you'll find programs that meet you where you are – whatever your age or experience level.

Look through the magazine, select a few favourites and then save the date for resident registration on Wednesday, May 20 at 8 a.m.

Beyond our programs, summer brings a full calendar of signature events and live experiences to our streets, parks and public spaces, including the return of Summerfest on Main. I hope to see you out enjoying a great Newmarket summer.

Sincerely,



John Taylor
Mayor



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2026 Summer Registration

Registration Dates

Resident Registration

May 20 at 8 a.m.

Non-Resident Registration

May 27 at 8 a.m.



How to Register



Create your Xplor Account today!

How to create your account:

1. newmarket.perfectmind.com
2. Click Sign Up
3. Enter all required information
4. Use your new account to register for recreation programs, drop-in activities, memberships & more!

Important Information

Due to volume of users on registration dates, delays in accessing online registration may occur.

[Click here to create Xplor your account.](#)

Online

What you need:

- Xplor Account login
- Visa/Mastercard/AMEX or credit on your account
- Program ID

What to do:

- Log on to **newmarket.perfectmind.com**
- Ensure participant you are planning to register is listed on the account
- Select the Activity Tab then registration
- Use the filters and activity categories to find activity
- Select register or 'Waitlist' depending on availability
- Enter your credit card information or apply your credit
- Print your registration confirmation and receipt at time of registration
- If you experience trouble, call the Help Line at 905-953-5154
- View all of your activities under the schedule section of your online account

In-Person

What you need:

- Your Xplor Account Information
- Cash/Cheque/Debit/Visa/Mastercard/AMEX or credit on account
- Program ID or name of program

What to do:

- Visit one of our Customer Service Kiosks during business hours. This registration method reduces your chances of getting into the programs of your choice as programs fill up quickly.



* Drop-In Programs

Don't have the time to commit to a multi-week program? Interested in just trying out one of our classes? Try one of our drop-in programs!

Public skating, shinny hockey, swimming, fitness classes and a variety of sports available for drop-in style recreation activities to keep you in shape and having fun!



Click the calendar button and check out drop-in schedules and all information for each activity.

Pre-registration is required for Group Fit, Aquafit, Pickleball, Volleyball & Badminton.

All customers must have an Xplor Account in order to participate in any Drop In Programs.

* Pre-registered Drop-In Programs Refunds/Withdrawal Policy

How to Withdraw:

Can no longer attend a pre-registered drop in program you have registered for? No problem! Withdrawals for any pre-registered drop-in program can occur up to the start of your program. Withdrawals can be completed online through your [Xplor Account](#) or by calling our Customer Service Kiosk at 905-953-5303 or 905-953-5301. You can also reach us via email at info@newmarket.ca. Please note this inbox is only monitored Monday to Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Failure to attend a pre-registered drop-in without withdrawing ahead of time will result in a \$10 no-show fee added to your account.

* Registered Programs-Refunds/ Withdrawal Policy

Can no longer participate in a registered program? Withdrawals can be completed online at newmarket.perfectmind.com or through our online form.

Please note: Withdrawals for Aquatic Leadership courses cannot be completed online. An online form must be completed.

Cancellation Options	Refund Policy
7 or more days prior to the start of the program	Full refund
6 or less days prior to the start of the program	No refund, unless medical documentation is provided

If you need to withdraw less than 7 days prior to the start date due to a medical reason, please fill out the online form.

How to Withdraw Online:

Visit newmarket.perfectmind.com and log in with your email address and password.

- Click on the client you are looking to withdraw and scroll down to Schedules.
- Click to Switch to List View then find the program you are looking to withdraw from.
- Click on Actions then Withdraw.

FAQ's:

Q: Am I able to withdraw due to a medical reason?

A: You may withdraw at any time with medical documentation. All credits/refunds will be prorated.

Q: I need to withdraw less than 7 days prior to the start of the class, or after the class has begun due to an extenuating circumstance. What should I do?

A: Please submit a withdrawal and refund request via our online form. All approvals will be up to the discretion of the Town of Newmarket.

Q: Will a refund request be considered after a program has ended?

A: Unfortunately requests submitted after the program has ended will not be considered.

Q: Will a refund be issued if I miss a class?

A: In the event that you are unable to attend one or more classes, a make-up class, refund or credit will not be offered unless medical documentation is provided.

Q: My program was cancelled, will I receive a refund?

A: Yes, you will receive a full credit, refund or may be transferred to another available class.

Q: My cheque has insufficient funds. What happens?

A: You will be charged a non-sufficient funds fee of \$50. The repayment must be made in cash, debit or certified cheque prior to attending the next class.

Q: The program has started. Am I too late to register?

A: Some programs allow for late registration. Please contact our Customer Service team for availability at **905-953-5303** or **info@newmarket.ca**



Creating Accessible Recreation for Everyone

The Town of Newmarket's Care Fund is now available. Give the gift of recreation by donating to the Care Fund today.

The Town of Newmarket aims to "Create Accessible Recreation for Everyone" by offering financial assistance to residents of all ages on any Town of Newmarket Recreation & Culture registered programs. The objective of this program is to offer increased opportunities to those who may require financial assistance that would not otherwise be able to participate in recreation.

Click the buttons below to Apply or Donate to care.



Apply online



**Printable
Application**



Learn more

Subsidy Information

Local Charities

Canadian Tire Jumpstart®

Canadian Tire Jumpstart® is a community-based charitable program that helps kids aged 4 to 18 participate in organized sports and recreation such as hockey, dance, soccer and swimming, so they can develop important life skills, self-esteem and confidence.

Eligible – Newmarket Residents between the ages of 4 to 18

Criteria – Application + must demonstrate need for financial assistance with provision of proof of receiving subsidy (EI, OW, OH, GTRI, ODSP)

Frequency – Twice per annum (Jan-June and July-Dec)

Amount – Eligible 100% up to maximum of \$200

Contact – 905-895-5193 ext. 2705 Canadian Tire Jumpstart® - Newmarket Chapter – Contact 905-895-5193 or ctjs@newmarket.ca

York Region Subsidy Programs

York Region offers various types of subsidies for families with low to moderate income.

For more information on programs and eligibility, please visit www.york.ca/children or contact ACCESS YORK AT 1(877) 464-9675.

York Region does not guarantee funding or space in programs or camps.



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Events

For information on all upcoming events check out newmarket.ca/events

All events are free to the public unless otherwise indicated.



Interested in receiving email updates with news, events, and happenings?
Sign-up at newmarket.ca/recreation



Summer is here!

We have a variety of programs to offer for all ages! Try something new this Summer with us, learn more in the pages ahead.

Looking for drop-in programs as well?

Click the button for all schedules and drop-in information







Preschool Programs

Welcome to Preschool Programs for Summer 2026!

The Town of Newmarket is proud to offer a wide range of children's programs for participants aged 0 to 5 years. Our preschool programs offer the opportunity for your little one to explore, play and learn in a fun-filled environment.

**Arts and
Culture**

**Drop In
Programs**

**General/
Educational**

Sports

**Swimming
Parent
and Tot**

**Swimming
Preschool**

Registration Reminders!

- Program Registration begins May 20 for Newmarket residents. Non-resident registration begins May 27.
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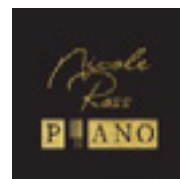
Lil Jammers Music

A fun, play-based music program where little ones and caregivers sing, move, play instruments, and enjoy stories—building confidence, coordination, and early learning skills.

Nicole Ross Piano.

We give you the keys to Learn. Create. Inspire.

Register: newmarket.perfectmind.com





Childrens Programs

Welcome to Childrens Programs for Summer 2026!

The Town of Newmarket is proud to offer a wide range of children's programs for participants aged 6 to 12 years. From creative arts to sports, technology and more, we strive to provide a fun and engaging environment for your child to learn, play and make lasting memories.

**Arts and
Culture**

**Drop In
Programs**

**Fitness &
Wellness**

**Skateboard
& Scooter**

Sports

Swimming

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Kickstart the Fun

Feel the World Cup excitement and get in the game with our outdoor soccer programs in partnership with Playball. These fun, skill-building sessions help children learn the fundamentals, stay active, and fall in love with soccer.



Welcome to the Recreation Youth Centre & Indoor Skatepark Programs for Summer 2026!

This centre offers children and youth a safe and welcoming place to hang out with friends and participate in as much or as little as they like. The RYC is proud to offer a wide variety of recreational registered programs and drop-ins.

Drop In Programs

Skateboard Lessons

Scooter Lessons

Lessons Chart

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Skate Park Use - Equipment Required!

- Helmet (Skateboard, Scooter, Hockey with the cage/visor removed, or Ski/Snowboard). *Bike helmets are not permitted.
- Scooters, Skateboards or Inline Rollerblades
- Bicycles, longboards, penny boards, roller skates, mini scooters, 3-wheel scooters and scooters with large wheels are not permitted.
- Close toed shoes

Recommended:

Padding (knee, elbow, etc.)



Looking to learn how to Skateboard or Scooter this summer?

Check out Skate and Scooter Lessons for all ages!



Youth Programs

Welcome to Youth Programs for Summer 2026!

The Town of Newmarket is proud to offer a wide range of youth programs for participants aged 10 to 20 years. Our programs offer the unique opportunity to learn a new skills, meet new friends and gain leadership skills for future employment.

Arts and
Culture

Drop In
Programs

Fitness &
Wellness

Leadership

Library

Sports

Swimming

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Get your game face on, Buckets for a Cause is coming to the Youth Centre!

Grab your friends and hit the court for a day of friendly competition, prizes, and bragging rights—all while supporting the Gavin Wright Fund. Open to all skill levels. FIBA rules apply.

Pre-registration required.

Team Registration: Teams must have 3–5 players. One person registers for the full team and lists teammates in the questionnaire.
Individual Registration: Individuals will be added to teams or grouped to form a team day-of.



Inclusion and Support Services

Welcome to Inclusion and Support Services for Summer 2026!

The Town of Newmarket is committed to offering high quality accessible and inclusive recreation and leisure program opportunities for persons of all ages with disabilities. Our goal is to support individual progress and interests through meaningful recreation opportunities. Various levels of support are available through integrated and specialized adapted programs.

The Town of Newmarket is dedicated to ensuring all individuals have a successful recreation experience. Programs listed in this section of the guide are designed specifically with smaller staff to participant ratios, modified programming, specialized equipment, and smaller group settings.

At times, participants may require more support than our program ratios are able to provide. In these cases, we strongly recommend consulting with us about our support options. In order to determine the correct level of support or program fit for the participant, email

inclusion@newmarket.ca.

Adult

**Adapted
Swim Lesson**

**Program
Support**

Registration Reminders!

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Celebrate National AccessAbility Awareness Week!

Join us for two weeks of fun accessibility focused activities, leading into and celebrating National AccessAbility Awareness Week! Celebrate Inclusion with us from May 25 to June 6, 2026. Visit newmarket.ca/inclusion for more details.



Adult Programs

Welcome to Adult Programs for Summer 2026!

The Town of Newmarket is proud to offer a wide range of adult programs for participants aged 18+. From creative arts to sports, swimming and more! Whether you are looking to connect with like-minded individuals, stay active or try something new, we have something for everyone.

**Arts and
Culture**

**Adapted
Programs**

**Drop In
Programs**

**Fitness &
Wellness**

Library

**Swimming
Lessons**

Sports

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Shape it, carve it, create it!

Sun Surface Summer Slab Creations begins July 4 at Old Town Hall. Discover the freedom of clay in this hands-on, beginner-friendly course. Sign up at newmarket.perfectmind.com.



Adult 55+ Programs

Welcome to Adults 55+ Programs for Summer 2026!

The Town of Newmarket has a wide variety of recreational and social opportunities for adults 55+. While the Newmarket Seniors' Meeting Place (NSMP) serves as the primary hub of programs and events, over the years we have expanded into other Newmarket facilities as well.

Arts and Culture

Event, Trips & Seminars

Fitness & Wellness

Virtual

NSMP Summer Drop In Schedule

Registration Reminders!

- Newmarket resident & Seniors' Meeting Place member registration begins May 20 at 8 a.m.
- Non-resident registration begins May 27 at 8 a.m.
- Have your Xplor account created and ready to go before registration opens.



"Summer is heating up, and there's no better place to be than the NSMP. Enjoy a season filled with fun, connection, and good vibes."

Join us for our Grill'n & Chill'n Summer BBQs!

Enjoy great music, delicious food, and good company at our evening BBQs on the patio this summer. Choose from a hamburger, hot dog, chicken burger, or sausage—served with potato salad and your choice of tea, coffee, or lemonade. Sign up at newmarket.perfectmind.com.



Welcome to Swimming Programs for Summer 2026!

The Town of Newmarket is proud to offer quality swimming lessons through the Lifesaving Society Swim for Life program that will help participants develop water safety skills that will last a lifetime.

Leadership	Lessons: Adapted	Lessons: Adult	Lessons: Children
Lessons: Parent and Tot	Lessons: Private and Semi Private	Lessons: Preschool	Lessons: Youth

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Swimming Lessons are more flexible than ever, choose weekday daytime lessons (Mon–Fri, 2-week sessions), twice-weekly options (Mon/Wed or Tue/Thu in July or August), or once-a-week evening lessons all summer long.

New this year: lessons at Gorman Outdoor Pool—build skills and confidence while enjoying the outdoors. With a variety of schedules and locations, there’s an option to fit every summer routine.



Museum Programs

Welcome to Museum Programs for Summer 2026!

The Elman W. Campbell Museum is excited to offer Summer programs for the whole family in our beautiful heritage building, where local history comes to life through our always changing exhibits!

Adult Programs

Children Programs

Education Programming

Family: Activities

Preschool Programs

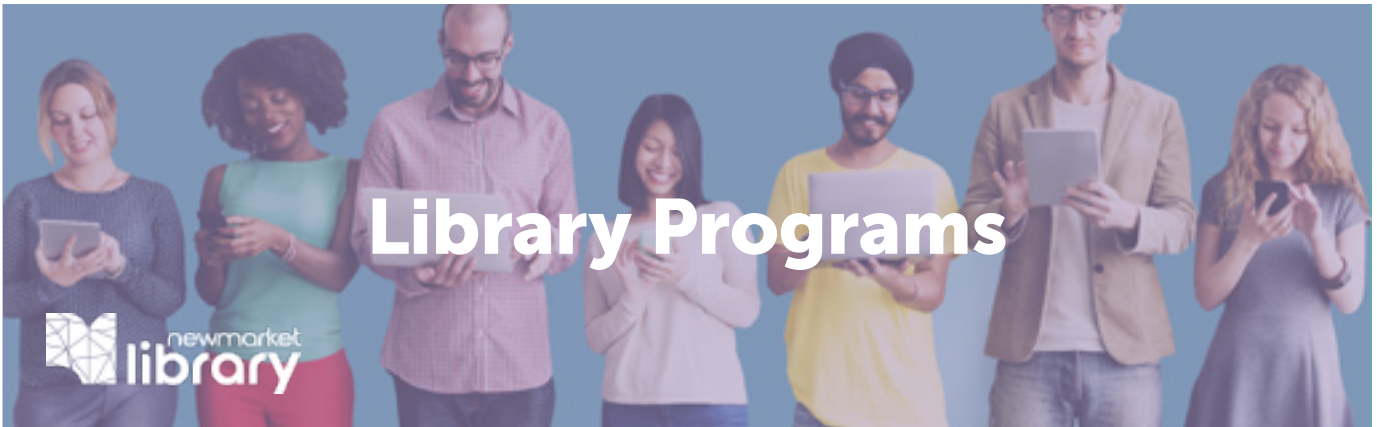
Special Events

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Join us at the Elman W. Campbell Museum this Summer and check out our exhibits, activities and more!



Welcome to Library Programs for Summer 2026!

The Newmarket Public Library offers a variety of programs and activities for all ages. Click the tiles below to check out all the Summer programs and activities.

**Drop In:
Library**

**Library:
Adult**

**Library:
Children**

**Library:
Family**

**Library:
Preschool**

**Library:
Youth**

**Events
Calendar**

**Community
Information**

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* Facilities

Municipal Offices

395 Mulock Drive
P.O. Box 328, Station Main,
Newmarket, Ontario
L3Y 4X7

Facility Information

Community Centre & Lions Hall

200 Doug Duncan Drive | CCLH
905-895-5193

Elman W. Campbell Museum

134 Main Street South | ECM

Gorman Outdoor Pool (Summer Only)

424 D'Arcy Street | GOP | 905-895-5193

Lawn Bowling (Indoor/Outdoor)

400 D'Arcy Street | 905-895-1265

Magna Centre and Outdoor Skatepark

800 Mulock Drive | MC | 905-895-5193

Newmarket Seniors' Meeting Place

474 Davis Drive | 905-953-5325

NewRoads Performing Arts Centre

505 Pickering Crescent | 905-953-5122

Newmarket Public Library

438 Park Avenue | NPL | 905-953-5110

Old Town Hall

460 Botsford Street | OTH | 905-895-5193

Ray Twinney Recreation Complex

100 Eagle Street West | RTRC | 905-895-5193

Recreation Youth Centre and Indoor Skate Park

56 Charles Street | RYC | 905-953-5120



Phone 905-895-5193 | Fax 905-953-5113 | Website newmarket.ca

Celebrate your party with us!

Whether you are celebrating your birthday, looking for a team-building activity or wanting to just hang out with a group of friends, we've got your party needs covered!

Check out these party options this Summer!

- **Gymnasium**
- **Skate park**
- **Skating**
- **Swimming**

Book your party package today at, newmarket.ca/partypackages



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newmarket.ca/recreation

