



2007 APPLICATION FORM

For City of Victoria Residents ONLY



This application must be renewed annually (See over for more program information). All information provided in this application will be used solely for evaluating eligibility for the L.I.F.E. program and will remain confidential unless the City is required by Law to disclose.

A. Name of Applicant: Last _____ First _____

Address: _____ Postal Code _____ Phone # _____ Alternate Phone _____

Area: _____ Email: _____

B. Please List Yourself and All Family Members/Dependents who will be participating in this Program:

	Name	Gender	Age	Date of Birth	BC Care Card #
1.					<input type="checkbox"/>
2.					<input type="checkbox"/>
3.					<input type="checkbox"/>
4.					<input type="checkbox"/>
5.					<input type="checkbox"/>

Did you or a member of your family participate in a recreation program or activity at a City of Victoria public recreation facility prior to January 1, 2007? Yes ___ No ___ Facility and program: _____

Have you previously participated in the L.I.F.E. program? Yes ___ No ___

Please check one: Income Assistance ___ Disability ___ Low Income ___

You are eligible for the L.I.F.E. Program if you are a resident of the City of Victoria, other than a post-secondary student, and your combined annual gross household income is within or below the following income levels:

# in Household	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Combined Income	\$17,895	\$22,276	\$27,386	\$33,251	\$37,711	\$42,533	\$47,354

Random checks will be done and L.I.F.E. participants may be asked to verify revenue based on Revenue Canada's most recent tax return. Program benefits will be canceled if information provided is discovered to be false.

CONSENT FORM: If requested, I _____ (**Signature**) agree to meet with a representative of the City of Victoria and will at that time disclose financial information detailed in my latest Revenue Canada tax return. I consent to the Municipality disclosing the personal information contained in this application form to other Greater Victoria Municipal Recreation Departments which also offer the L.I.F.E program for the purpose of preventing abuses of the program.

SELF DECLARATION: I _____ (**Print Name**) hereby declare that:

- (a) I am 18 years or older;
- (b) I am a permanent resident of the City of Victoria;
- (c) I am not a post-secondary student;
- (d) My combined annual gross family income for the calendar year 2006 was \$_____.
- (e) My combined annual gross family income for the calendar year 2007 is estimated to be \$_____.

_____ (**Signature**) _____ (**Date**)

Please submit your completed application form to: Crystal Pool & Fitness Centre, 2275 Quadra St.

Please also bring a photocopy of proof of City of Victoria Residency and BC Care Cards for yourself and your dependents.

FOR OFFICE USE ONLY	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>New Applicant</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>Renewal Applicant</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>Proof of Residency</i>
Staff Signature _____	Credit Amount _____		
Approval Date _____	LIFE card#s _____		

City of Victoria L.I.F.E. 2007 (Leisure Involvement for Everyone)

Intent

The L.I.F.E. program provides a combination of annual credit and program savings to eligible low-income individuals and families to use towards recreational programs and services in all City recreational facilities and eleven of our jointly-operated centres.

The City and its Partners are committed to ensuring that all its residents have access and choices in their leisure opportunities. Recreation contributes to ones mental and physical health and stimulates the development of healthier and stronger individuals and families.

Bring your completed Application Form to the Crystal Pool and Fitness Centre, 2275 Quadra Street, Victoria.

Who is Eligible?

- **Only** City of Victoria permanent residents may apply for the Program. This includes all family members/dependents residing at the same address and in the same household. Applicants must have lived in the City of Victoria for the previous 30 days, show a permanent address within the City of Victoria and have been a resident of BC for the previous 6 months in order to qualify.
- Individuals and families in the City of Victoria who are on B.C. Benefits (income assistance), GAIN or are working low-income. Your combined gross household income must be within the required income ranges (see over).
- Post-Secondary Students are not eligible.

How Do I Apply?

- The L.I.F.E. Application is to be completed in full and dropped off at the Crystal Pool. Only one form per household is to be completed and applicants need only apply once a year.
- Bring a photocopy of proof of City of Victoria Residency, and BC Care Cards for yourself and your dependants.
- Those who qualify will receive a credit allocation for each family member and a L.I.F.E. Card.

Guidelines:

- The Credit amount for the 2007 program of \$40 per preschooler (0-4 yrs.) and adult (18 yrs. & up) and \$60 per youth (5-17 yrs.) is in effect until December 31, 2007.
- Credit can be used towards admission bulk purchases such as swimming, fitness and sport strip tickets; monthly passes, program registration fees or memberships. We regret credit cannot be used for single admissions.
- Credits or L.I.F.E. Cards are not redeemable for cash value and are not transferable from one year to the next.
- If cards are lost, they will be replaced for a \$5.00 fee.
- All applications for the L.I.F.E. program will be processed in confidence and on a first come first served basis.
- All information provided in the application remains confidential, unless required by a Freedom of Information request.

Recreation Facilities:

- Crystal Pool and Fitness Centre

Community Centres:

- Blanshard Community Centre
- Burnside Gorge Community Centre
- Fairfield Community Place
- Fernwood Community Centre

Seniors Centres:

- James Bay New Horizons Activity Centre
- Fairfield New Horizons Activity Centre

- Save On Foods Memorial Arena

- James Bay Community School Centre
- Oaklands Community Centre
- Victoria West Community Y

- Victoria Silver Threads



“Recreation and Parks are essential to QUALITY OF LIFE”