

Leisure Assistant Pass APPLICATION FORM



FOR RESIDENTS OF THE CITY OF VICTORIA

Effective January 1st, 2020, City of Victoria residents may apply for a Leisure Assistant Pass with the Crystal Pool & Fitness Centre.

Residents from municipalities outside of the City of Victoria, may apply within their local municipal recreation centre.

ABOUT THE PASS

The Leisure Assistant Pass is for people with disabilities, of all ages, who require the assistance of a support person when engaging in leisure activities. Upon presentation of the pass at a participating venue (see list below), one support person will be provided free or reduced admission to aid in facilitating participation in leisure activities.

Passes are valid for a 3-year term from the date of issue. As support persons may change, the pass will be issued to the person with a disability.

HOW TO APPLY

NEW APPLICANTS - Complete sections 1-3

RENEWING APPLICANTS - Complete sections 1 & 2 only and include a copy of previous Leisure Assistance Pass or other documentation

Completed applications, including documentation and photo for ID card, can be submitted by:

In-person or mail to:	Email:	Fax:
Crystal Pool & Fitness Centre 2275 Quadra Street Victoria BC V8C 4T4	CrystalPool@victoria.ca	250-361-0723

If you have any questions, please contact Carolyn Macdonald, Inclusion Coordinator at 250-361-0271 or cmacdonald@victoria.ca

Participating regional partners:



SECTION 1: Applicant Information

NAME:	DATE OF BIRTH:
ADDRESS:	POSTAL CODE:
EMAIL:	PHONE#:

SECTION 2: Terms of Use

Recognizing an individual may be independent in one environment and not in another, Leisure Assistant Pass holders are expected to only use their passes at venues where assistance is required. Within each venue, persons with a disability and assistants are expected to stay together. Misuse or abuse of the pass could result in termination of it and its privileges.

I certify that I understand the Terms of Use indicated above.

Applicant/Guardian Signature: _____ Date: _____

The personal information collected in this form is collected in accordance with s.26(c) of the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act for the purposes of administering the Leisure Assistant Pass program. Please contact Jeff Brehaut, Manager of Recreation Services at 250-361-0365 or jbrehaut@victoria.ca.

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Date received:	Staff Name:
Date approved:	
Photo taken & card printed?	<input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO

Participating regional partners:



SECTION 3: Secondary Documentation or Professional Authorization

ONLY REQUIRED FOR NEW APPLICANTS. Along with completing sections 1 & 2, provide a copy of one of the secondary documentation pieces identified in Part A **OR** have a health care professional complete Part B.

PART A: Please upload a copy of one of the listed documentations below. If you cannot provide this, please complete Part B.	
CNIB ID Card	
Access 2 Card	
Federal Disability Pension Statement	
Provincial Disability Supplementary Income Statement	
<input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____	

PART B: If you cannot provide a copy of one of the secondary documents noted in Part A, please have a health care professional complete the section below on your behalf.	
Audiologist	Mental Health Professional
Behaviour Analyst (BCBA)	Psychiatrist
Nurse (RN, RPN) or Nurse Practitioners	Recreational Therapist
Occupational Therapist	Social Worker (RSW)
Physician	Speech Language Pathologist
Physical Therapists	Other: _____

I certify that _____, who is a client/patient of mine, is a person with a permanent disability who, due to the disability, requires accompaniment by a support person to assist with communication, mobility, personal/medical needs or access to goods, services or facilities, when accessing leisure activities.

HEALTH CARE PROFESSIONAL NAME:	
PRACTICE/SERVICE ADDRESS:	POSTAL CODE:
PHONE #:	PROFESSIONAL REGISTRATION #:
SIGNATURE:	DATE:

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LEISURE ASSISTANT PASS PARTICIPATING VENUES (updated April 2022):

Applies to all local municipally funded recreation centres and facilities. All community centres within the Victoria area including; Burnside Gorge, Fairfield Gonzales, Fernwood, James Bay, Oaklands, Quadra Village, Victoria West, and Victoria Silver Threads.

Art Gallery of Victoria	250-384-4171	
Boulderhouse Climbing	778-265-9342	Victoria and Langford locations.
Butchart Gardens	250-652-4422	
The Boulders Climbing Gym	250-544-0310	Completion of waiver required
Centre for Athletics, Recreation & Special Abilities (CARSA)	(250-721-7211)	
Craigdarroch Castle	250-592-5323	Note: not wheelchair accessible. Service dogs are welcome with proper documentation but emotional support animals are asked to stay home
'Discover the Past' Ghostly Walks & History Tours	250-384-6698	Note: some routes have accessibility considerations, please call and book ahead of time.
Flying Squirrel Victoria	778-404-1778	Completion of waiver & purchase of re-usable trampoline socks required
Fort Rodd Hill and Fisgard Lighthouse National Historic Sites	250-478-5849	Notes: some exhibits and buildings may not be accessible due to heritage aspects of the site
Galey Farms	250-477-5713	Includes Corn Maze, Railway, Petting Farm etc.
Highland Pacific Driving Range	250-478-4653	
Horticulture Centre of the Pacific	250-479-6162	
IMAX Victoria	250-356-7226	Applicable to regular public rates only. Eligible IMAX annual pass holders will receive up to 3 attendant free admissions.
Maritime Museum	250-385-4222	

Mount Douglas Golf Club	250-477-8314	
Pacific Institute for Sport Excellence	250-220-2510	
Robert Bateman Gallery	250-940-3630	
Royal Theatre and McPherson Playhouse		Please contact the box office at 250-386-6121 or toll free 1-888-7171-6131 for bookings
Royal BC Museum	250-356-7226	
Seasonal Productions of Intrepid Theatre	250-383-2663	Incl. Victoria Fringe Festival, OUTstages queer theatre festival, and UNO Fest.
Shaw Centre for the Salish Sea	250-665-7511	Note: staff-operated elevator, noise-cancelling headphones and low-sensory submarine entrance options available.
Victoria Bug Zoo	250-384-2847	
Victoria Butterfly Gardens	250-652-3822	
YMCA-YWCA Vancouver Island	250-386-7511	Downtown and Westhills locations Note: Leisure Assistants who are not active Y members will be required to complete a check in with photo I.D. upon entry each visit.
WildPlay Element Parks Victoria	250-595-2251	Some restrictions apply. By appointment only. Please go to bookings at guestservices-victoria@wildplay.com

