

Parks

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Abstract: Parks represent all municipal parks within the District of Saanich. They are categorized as Municipal, Community, Neighbourhood, and Regional parks. Saanich parks cover more than 850 hectares of parkland and include 172 parks, 100 km of trails, 35 tennis courts, 2 lacrosse boxes, 62 sports fields, 57 playgrounds, 3 lawn bowling greens, 1 horseshoe club, 21 sports courts, 1 skate park, and 1 water park.

Supplemental park areas are included and categorized as Beach Access, Maintenance Area, and Regional Trail. They represent areas that are not reserved for park by a Parks Reservation Bylaw, dedicated for park on a plan of subdivision, or otherwise formally designated as park, but are available for public use and recognized by the Municipality to be part of the Saanich parks and open space network. Supplemental park areas may include unconstructed road rights-of-way within or adjacent to a park, public beach accesses and trail corridors that may, or may not, be maintained by Saanich Parks or CRD Parks.

Purpose: Parks are captured to provide an accurate representation of park and supplemental park boundaries to support the management, planning, and maintenance within the District of Saanich.

Status: Complete

Update Frequency: Monthly

Credits: The Corporation of the District of Saanich, GIS Section, Parks Division, Planning Department.

Coordinate System: NAD 1983 CSRS UTM Zone 10N (WKID: 3157)

Geometry Type: Polygon

Attribution Information:

FIELD NAME	DESCRIPTION	EXAMPLES
OBJECTID/FID	Internal feature number	742
PARKNAME	The park name	PLAYFAIR PARK
PARKTYPE	Classification of park	Beach Access, Municipal, Maintenance, Community, Neighbourhood, or Lake Access
ADMINISTRATIVE AREA	Organization responsible for park	District of Saanich, Swan Lake Christmas Hill Nature Sanctuary
SHAPE	Feature geometry	Polygon
SHAPE.AREA	Area in square metres	39930.108 m ²
SHAPE.LEN	Perimeter length in metres	1016.922 m