

Canada Summer Games at Birds Hill Provincial Park - Week 2 Closure Schedule

This information is intended to help you navigate around the park during the Canada Summer Games. Closure times are approximate and subject to change. Even on non-race days, there may be increased activity along roadways as athletes train for their events. Respect the safety of our young athletes and volunteers and drive with caution while in the park and follow the detour and closure directions.

Most importantly, come and cheer on your favourite team!

| Sunday, August 6, 2017 Cycling ITT Practice Day | |
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| West Gate | Closed 9 to 11 a.m. (Patrons use East Gate to enter park). East Beach access only. Birds Hill Ranch detour using Group Use Area II. |
| Entire Circle Drive (North and South Drive) including section not highlighted in orange. | Closed 9 to 11 a.m. |
| North Drive between Nimowin Rd and Festival Drive | Closed August 6th to 12th |
| East Beach Parking lot #1 | Closed until 1 p.m. Use East Beach Parking #2 until 1 p.m. |
| All trailheads and wayside areas | Closed 6 to 11 a.m. |
| West Beach parking | Closed 6 to 11 a.m. |



Day-users and Ranch Visitors: enter the park via East Gate off of Hwy 206, to access East Beach (East Parking Lot I #2 – open).

Campers: Vehicles exiting the campground can only exit the park using the East Gate or access East Beach between 9 and 11 a.m. All vehicles must exit left, during the closure period. Police will be providing traffic control at the campground and will allow camper's to exit in between cycling packs.

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| <u>Monday, August 7, 2017 – Reserve Day</u> | Road Closures maybe implemented depending on forecasted weather conditions going into the week. |
| North Drive between Nimowin Rd and Festival Drive | Closed August 6th to 12th |

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| Tuesday, August 8, 2017 Cycling ITT Competition – Area highlighted in Orange | |
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| West Gate | Closed 9 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. (Patrons use East Gate to enter park). East Beach access only. Birds Hill Ranch detour using Group Use Area II. |
| North Drive Between Nimowin Rd and West Gate | Closed 9 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. |
| North Drive between Nimowin Rd and Festival Drive | Closed August 6th to 12th |
| South Drive from West Gate to Campground Entrance | Closed 9 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. |
| East Beach Parking lot #1 | East Beach Parking #1 partial closure until 1:30 p.m. Use East Beach Parking lot #2 until 1:30 p.m. |
| All trailheads, wayside areas, and Cemetery Parking lot | Closed 6 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. |
| West Beach parking | Closed to 1:30 p.m. |



Campers can enter and exit the park using the East Gate before 1:30 p.m.. Note only East Beach and Gate will be accessible by vehicle. Police will be providing traffic control.

Spectators use East Gate to enter park. Parking off of Festival Drive. Follow marked path to viewing area.

Day-users and Ranch Visitors: enter the park via East Gate off of Hwy 206, to access East Beach (East Parking lot #2 –open)

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| Wednesday August 9, 2017 Road Race Competition and Open Water Swim Practice | |
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| West Gate | Closed 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. (Patrons use East Gate to enter park). East Beach access only. Birds Hill Ranch detour using Group Use Area II. |
| Entire Circle Drive (North and South Drive) | Closed 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. |
| North Drive between Nimowin Rd and Festival Drive | Closed August 6th to 12th |
| East Beach Parking lot #1 | Closed until 4:30 p.m. Use East Beach Parking lot #2 (EB lot #1 closed for competition) |
| All trailheads, wayside areas and Cemetery Parking lot | Closed 6 a.m. to 2 p.m. |
| Peninsula #1 (P#1) | Restricted area 10 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. |
| West Beach Parking | Closed until 2 p.m. |
| Lake (2/3 East Side) | 12:45 to 3:15 p.m. Athletes will be practicing in the deeper water on the east side. Please stay in the shallows, or West part of the Beach. |



No vehicular traffic will be allowed to access Circle Drive between 9:00AM and 2:00PM.

Campers:

Between 9 a.m. and 2 p.m., Circle Drive is closed. Campers will only be able to exit campground towards East Gate or East Beach. No one will be able to enter/return to the campground until after 2 p.m., so please plan your day accordingly. Lakeshore trail will be open for those that wish to cycle, walk to the Beach area from the back side of the campground. Police will be directing vehicular traffic at the campground exit and at Festival Drive.

Birds Hill Ranch Visitors: Please enter Park via East Gate and follow detour through Group Use Area II.

Beach-goers: Only the East Beach Parking lot #2 can be accessed prior to 2 p.m. (Use East Gate Park Entrance) West Beach access opens after 2 p.m.

Spectators: Parking off Festival Drive. Follow marked path to viewing area.

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| Thursday August 10, 2017 Road Race Competition | |
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| West Gate | Closed 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. (Patrons use East Gate to enter park). East Beach access only. Birds Hill Ranch detour using Group Use Area II. |
| Entire Circle Drive (North and South Drive) | Closed 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. |
| North Drive between Nimowin Rd and Festival Drive | Closed August 6th to 12th |
| East Beach Parking lot #1 | Partially Closed until 3:30 p.m. Use East Beach lot #2 (section being used for cycling staging) |
| All trailheads, wayside areas, and Cemetery Parking lot | Closed 6 a.m. to 2 p.m. |
| West Beach parking | Closed to 2 p.m. |



No vehicular traffic will be allowed to access Circle Drive between 9 a.m. and 2 p.m.

Campers:

Between 9 a.m. and 2 p.m., Circle Drive is closed. Campers will only be able to exit campground towards East Gate or East Beach. No one will be able to enter/return to the campground until after 2 p.m., so please plan your day accordingly. Lakeshore trail will be open for those that wish to cycle, walk to the Beach area from the back side of the campground. Police will be directing vehicular traffic at the campground exit and at Festival Drive.

Birds Hill Ranch Visitors: Please enter Park via East Gate and follow detour through Group Use Area II.

Beach-goers: Only the East Beach Parking lot #2 can be accessed prior to 2 p.m. (Use East Gate Park Entrance) West Beach access opens after 2 p.m.

Spectators – Parking off Festival Drive.

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| Friday August 11, 2017 Open Water Training Day | |
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| North Drive between Nimowin Rd and Festival Drive | Closed August 6th to 12th |
| East Beach Parking lot #1 (West side) | 7 a.m. to 4 p.m. First four rows of parking closed. |
| Lake (2/3 East Side) | 7:45 to 10:15 a.m. Closed for training. Public to use West Beach. |
| Beach Front (2/3 East Side) | 7 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. Closed for training. Public to use West Beach. |
| Peninsula #1 (P#1) | Restricted area 6 a.m. to 4 p.m. |



| Saturday August 12, 2017 Open Water Competition Day | |
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| East Beach Parking lot #1 (West side) | 5:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. First four rows of parking closed. |
| Lake (2/3 East Side) | 8 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. closed. Public to use West Beach. |
| Beach Front (2/3 East Side) | 5:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. closed. Public to use West Beach. |
| Peninsula #1 (P#1) | Restricted area 6:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. |
| North Drive between Nimowin Rd and Festival Drive | Closed August 6th to 12th |



Sunday, August 13 – Open Water Reserve Day – possibility of same closures as August 12. Weather dependant.