

Municipality of *Bluewater*



Summer 2025 Recreation Guide

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Message from the Mayor

Thank you for checking out the latest edition of the Municipality's Recreation Guide.

We are happy to be able to provide you with a snapshot of what Bluewater staff, organizations and businesses have to offer the community for community programming and events!

Bluewater has many facilities all with their own unique offering. Be sure to check them out as they are great places you and your family and friends can gather.

The Municipality of Bluewater has twenty-six kilometres of Lake Huron shoreline frames our western boundary. The beautiful bluffs and beaches found along the way provide plenty of opportunities to get out and explore our beautiful, blue waters!

While we might be known for our beautiful, blue water, there's a lot more to Bluewater than watersports and gorgeous sunsets. We have several hiking trails suitable for all ages and abilities, too! If you are looking for a restful walk through the forest or want to find a place for a bit of brisk exercise, you'll find suitable trails in all seasons. Whether you wish to hike, cycle, snowshoe or cross-country ski, Bluewater trails offer a variety of surfaces from natural paths to partially paved routes.

Bluewater was awarded the Ontario Trillium Foundation Reliant Fund to hire a Community Recreation Coordinator until June 2025. Be sure to check out all the great programming that Bluewater has to offer on the municipality of Bluewater website, under Recreation Programming.

For more information on recreation programs offered by the Municipality, please visit municipalityofbluewater.ca or contact our Recreation Coordinator at reccordinator@municipalityofbluewater.ca.

Sincerely,

Paul Klopp, Mayor



Bluewater Rental Facilities

Whether you're looking to host a small family gathering, or a large banquet, or a sports event, there are many halls in Bluewater that will meet your needs. Visit the Municipality of Bluewater website to see Bluewater facility rental fees. Book these facilities online (reference page 5).

Hensall Arena & Community Centre

157 Oxford Street West, Hensall

Hensall Arena includes a main hall with a full kitchen and bar area. On the upper level, there is a smaller size hall which includes a kitchen and bar. If you're looking to gather with friends and family outdoors, consider the pavilion that has washrooms and a concession.

In addition, the Hensall Arena has a splash pad, ball diamond, playground, beach volleyball court and disc golf.

Zurich Arena & Community Centre

15 East Street, Zurich

Zurich Community Hall/Gym includes a full kitchen, a meeting room, and sports amenities such as volleyball, badminton and pickleball which makes this location a great space for year-round events.

Stanley Complex & Community Centre

38594 Mill Road, Varna

Stanley Complex is a great place to host large events in the main hall which includes a full kitchen and bar and sport amenities such as pickleball and badminton. The property also has a pavilion, playground, ball diamonds and trails.

Pavilions

Municipality of Bluewater is responsible for the management of six pavilions:

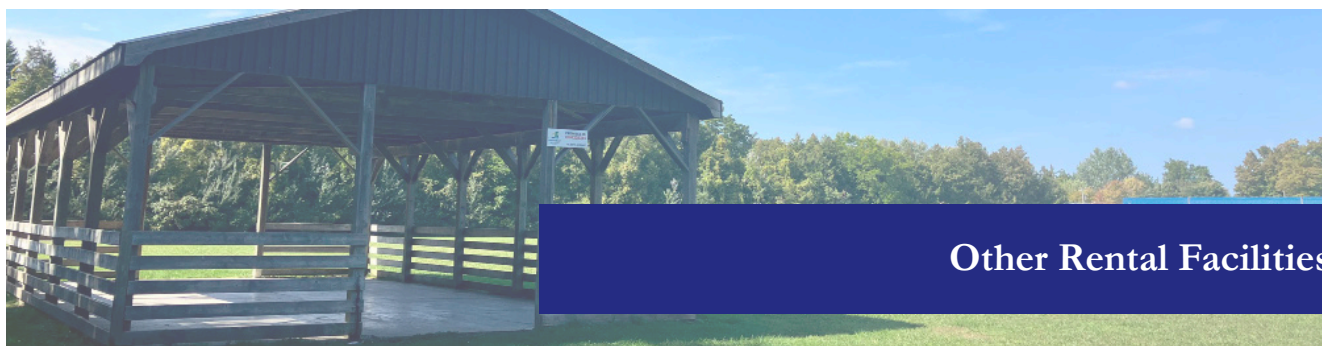
Bayfield Arena and Agriculture Park, 4 Jane Street, Bayfield

Clan Gregor Square Gazebo, 6 The Square, Bayfield

Houston Heights Beach, 33700 Pavilion Road, Bayfield

Hensall, 157 Oxford Street West, Hensall

Stanley Community Centre Park, 38594 Mill Road, Varna



Other Rental Facilities

Zurich Park, 24 Main Street, Zurich

All pavilion locations have on-site parking, washroom facilities, and green or open space. Depending on the location, more amenities may be offered.

Hay Town Hall

10 Victoria Street, Zurich

The Hay Town Hall has begun to fulfill a renewed vision as a community gathering place! With the doors open to the public again, it has served as a rehearsal hall for actors involved in local historical plays, a meeting space for the Zurich Lions Club, Bean Festival and Chamber of Commerce, and a comfortable venue for family parties.

To Book: Contact Heather Klopp kloppts@hay.net

The Bayfield Town Hall

11 The Square, PO Box 2078, Bayfield

Set alongside Clan Gregor Square on its own beautiful, landscaped grounds, the Bayfield Town Hall, once the site of Village government, is now the cornerstone of Village life. It provides the perfect venue for cultural, artistic and community events, as well as offering a unique space for events such as weddings, business meetings and parties.

To Book: Contact The Bayfield Town Hall— 519-565-5788 or visit their website <http://www.bayfieldtownhall.com>

Bayfield Arena & Community Centre

4 Jane Street, Bayfield

The Bayfield Community Centre is a 160,000 square foot multi-use facility nestled in the beach community of Bayfield. From ice time to summertime, the Community Centre hosts many recreational activities, events, and shows. The centre features an ice pad, community hall and kitchen.

To Book: Contact Bayfield Community Centre— 519-565-2121 or email info@bayfieldcommunitycentre.ca



Booking a Facility and Program Registration

How to Create an Account

1. Visit <https://anc.ca.apm.activecommunities.com/bluewater>
2. Click "Create an Account" in the top right corner.
1. Enter your email address.
3. Fill in all the required information for your account (and family members if applicable). Please list someone other than yourself as an emergency contact. Double check that all members on your account have the correct birthdate.
4. Activate your account by following the instructions sent in the activation email.
5. Log in to ActiveNet.

How to Register for a Program Online

1. Click on the Activities tab.
2. Choose the category you are interested in (Ex. Adult, Youth).
3. Choose the subcategory you are interested in (Ex. Yoga, Youth Sport Club, Zumba).
4. OR click on filters and search by program name/code.
5. Click "Enroll Now" on the program.
6. Enroll yourself and/or a family member in the program. You can register for multiple programs.
7. Pay online with credit card or in person at the municipal office with cash, cheque, or debit.

How to Book a Facility Online

1. Once you are logged into your account, click Facility Reservations.
2. Search for the facility you would like to book or click on the event type you are hosting.
3. Click on the appropriate facility.
4. Proceed as directed (number of attendees, date, and time of event).
5. Add event details and custom questions.
6. Read and e-sign waivers.
7. Click Reserve.
8. Make payment to finish.





Parks and Splashpads

Bayfield Clan Gregor Square Park and Splashpad

Located at 6 The Square, Bayfield, this park offers play equipment, a gazebo, accessible washroom facilities, open areas and green space, a splashpad, paving stone pathways and parking.

Pioneer Park

Located at 46 Bayfield Terrace, Bayfield, this park offers beach access by stairway, parking and beautiful views of the Lake Huron sunset from the bluff overlooking the lake.

Bayfield Arena and Agriculture Park

Located at 4 Jane Street, Bayfield, this park offers a pavilion, washroom facilities, open areas and green space, a baseball diamond, sports fields, access to the arena and parking.

Houston Heights Beach

Located at the end of Pavilion Road, Bluewater where the road meets the lake, this park offers a pavilion,

washroom facilities, open areas and green space, a walking trail, parking and beach access. The beach is accessed by the walking trail only.

Hensall Playground and Splashpad

The Hensall Kin Playground located next to the Hensall Arena at 157 Oxford Street West in Hensall offers play equipment, a pavilion, washroom facilities, open areas and green space, a baseball diamond, sports fields, splashpad, arena and parking.

St. Joseph

The Bluewater Hay Municipal Park and lookout located at the end of Campbell Ave where it dead ends at the lake offers parking and stairway access to the beach.

Varna

The Stanley Community Centre park located at 38594 Mill Road, Varna offers play equipment, a pavilion, accessible washroom facilities, open areas and green space, baseball diamonds, walking trails,

a community centre and parking.

Zurich Arena

Located at 15 East Street, Zurich, this park offers washroom facilities, open areas and green space, access to the arena and parking.

Zurich Lions Park

Located at 24 Main Street, Zurich, this park offers play equipment, a pavilion, accessible washroom facilities, open areas and green space, a baseball diamond and parking.



Beaches and Trails

Beaches

Bayfield Pier Beach

The most popular beach location in Bayfield is equipped with a life saving station, drive up access, parking and public washrooms. The beach is owned by the Pioneer Park Association.

Located next to the Bluewater Marina, you can enjoy a stroll on the pier, a fresh water swim or just take in the sunshine on the large sandy beach. Located a short walk from the historic Village of Bayfield's restaurants and boutiques, this beach is a great option for those looking to enjoy a day on the shores of Lake Huron!

Houston Heights Beach

Located at the end of Pavilion Road, just south of Bayfield, Houston Heights Beach offers parking, a large picnic pavilion, washrooms, play equipment and a walking trail. There is no stairway beach access, but a pathway winds down to the sandy shores.

This location is great for

families looking to escape the crowds.

sand and shoreline at Howard St. Beach, Bayfield

Howard Street Beach

This sandy beach is located just south of Bayfield Pier Beach at the end of Howard Street West, Bayfield. There is plenty of parking at this location.

Please note, the beach is accessed by stairs. There are no washrooms at this location.

Hay Township Beach

At the end of Sararas Road, on a bluff overlooking Lake Huron, you'll find stairway beach access and a lookout offering awesome lake views! Roadside parking is available at the end of the municipal roadway.

Trails

Klopp Tract and Commemorative Woods

The Klopp Tract and commemorative woods is located on Zurich-Hensall Road (County Rd 84) between Hensall and Zurich.

Visitors will find a commemorative garden, walking path through a meadow and a short trail through the forest. The trail can get a little soggy after it rains, so plan accordingly!

Linfield Wildlife Area

The Linfield Wildlife Area is located south of Bayfield on Pavilion Road near the intersection of Goshen Line. Visitors can hike, bird-watch, snowshoe, cross country ski, and fish. Hikers will find maple and beech forest, brooks, a pond, and a wide diversity of birds, trees, and shrubs.

River Flats Natural Area

Located in Bayfield and managed by the Bayfield River Valley Trail Association for the Huron Tract Land Trust Conservancy, this former mill site next to the Bayfield River has been transformed into a great outdoor stop. The area includes 0.7 kilometres of walking trail, picnic areas, canoe launch, butterfly meadow, and osprey nesting site. Visitors to the site will also have views of the sweeping new Bayfield River



Beaches and Trails Continued

bridge.

Sawmill Trail

Located at the end of Saw Mill Road, Bayfield, Ontario

Hikers looking to explore the historic Bayfield River area might want to visit the Bayfield River Valley Trail Association's Sawmill Trail.

This loop trail beside the Bayfield River is considered moderate, but there are some steep slopes. It is about two kilometres and

takes hikers through the forest to the site of a past sawmill and river crossing. Visitors can expect to pass over trail bridges and along grass and dirt paths.

Varna Nature Trails

The Varna Nature Trails are found behind the Stanley Community Centre in Varna. There are two trails for hikers to enjoy.

The Mavis trail is a 2.5 kilometre loop trail that passes through pine and

deciduous forest. There are some inclines and stairs, but the trail offers beautiful views of gullies and the Bayfield river.

Woodland Trail

This five kilometre loop trail is located within a forested area in Bayfield, Ontario. The main parking area is located off David Street. It is a medium difficulty trail featuring hills, streams, a short and long trail option, and an extension to the Bayfield River.





Sponsorships

Public Skating Sponsorship

Sponsoring a public skate not only provides your business/organization with advertising at the event and on municipal social media pages, but it also contributes to the wellbeing of our community. If you would like to sponsor a public skating date for 2025/26 season, please email the Recreation Coordinator at reccordinator@municipalityofbluewater.ca.

Summer Day Camp Sponsorship

Sponsorship opportunities are available to help support our Bayfield and Hensall Summer Day Camp. We serve up to 62 children between the ages of 4-12 years each week for 7 weeks of the summer. During Day Camp, campers are given opportunities to participate in a wide variety of activities, have special guests and go on trips while promoting physical activity, healthy outdoor living, and social interaction.

In return for your sponsorship a tax receipt will be provided to you. Sponsors will be highlighted in our weekly camp calendars throughout the summer and printed in the Camper & Family Handbook. Your logo will be represented on our website, social media, printed promotion and be represented in our seasonal Recreation Guide.

Please email the Day Camp Coordinator at daycamp@municipalityofbluewater.ca if you'd like to sponsor.

Zurich Playground Sponsorship

Become a Community Champion! Sponsor Our New Zurich Playground! Help us create a safe, accessible, fun space for children and families in Bluewater! By sponsoring our new playground, your business will gain valuable local exposure and make a lasting impact on our community.

Join us in building a brighter future—contact Denver at reccordinator@municipalityofbluewater.ca or 519-280-0103 to learn about how you can sponsor!



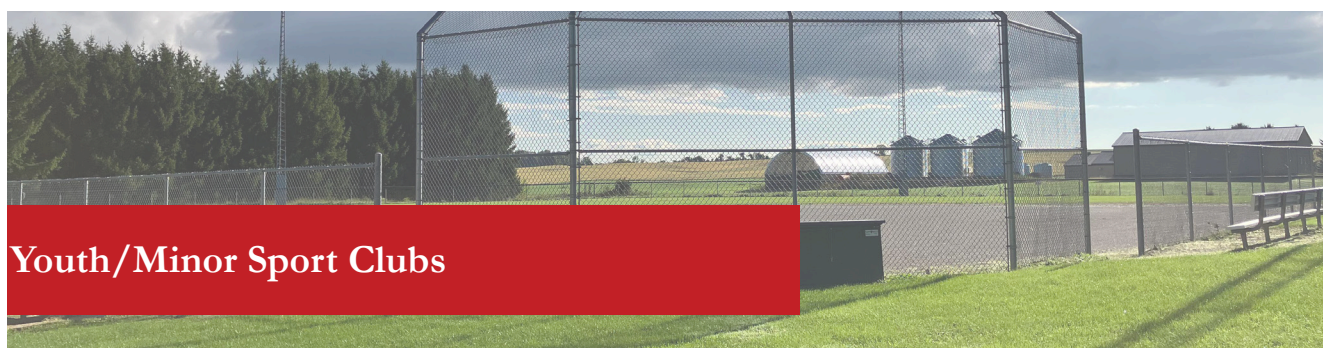


Advertising in Bluewater Arenas

Display your business or organization for the community and visiting teams to see! The Zurich Arena and Community Centre is the home of the Zurich Minor Hockey, Bluewater Skating Club, Zurich Women's Recreation Hockey League, Zurich Recreation Hockey League, Hasbeans and other neighbouring teams. The Hensall Arena is used by Huron Heat, Youth House League Hockey, South Huron and Mid-Huron Minor Hockey and other traveling teams. Our arenas have a constant flow of people coming and going, which makes it an excellent place to advertise!

Arena Rink Board, plus sign cost, 33" by 96" (per season)	\$262.96 + HST
Arena Wall, plus sign cost, 24" by 96" (per season)	\$131.48 + HST
Olympia, plus sign cost (per side/per season)	\$525.00 + HST
On-Ice Advertising, plus sign cost (per season)	\$435.79 + HST





Youth/Minor Sport Clubs

Zurich Minor Baseball

- Tee Ball
- Rookie Ball
- Hardball
- Fastball

Visit zurichminorbaseball.ca for more information.



Zurich Community Soccer

May to June

- Intro to Soccer
- JK/SK Division
- Gr 1-3 Division
- Gr 4-8 Division

Join "Zurich Community Soccer" on Facebook for more updates. This program is organized by residents of Bluewater.

Zurich Minor Hockey

Providing minor hockey programs from U6 and up.

Registration opens end of May 2025.

Follow "Zurich Minor Athletic Association" on Facebook to stay updated.



Bluewater Zurich Skating Club

- Learn to Skate (age 3+)
- CanSkate
- Introduction to STARSkate
- STARSkate
- + Volunteer Opportunities!

bluewaterzurichskatingclub@gmail.com

www.bzsc.ca

LIKE "Bluewater Zurich Skating Club" on Facebook for up to date registration information.

Bayfield Skating Club

- Learn to Skate
- CanSkate
- Intro to STAR
- Power Skills and Drills

The season runs October to March. Registration opens beginning of September.

Follow "Bayfield Skating Club" on Facebook to stay updated. Visit the website <https://bayfieldskatingclub.uplifterinc.com/> for more information.



Guided Hikes

Take time this summer to get out into nature by hiking on one of several hiking trails in and around the Municipality Bluewater.

A list and maps of the trails maintained by the Bayfield River Valley Trail Association can be found here: Trail maps. Consider joining us for a guided hike or join the Hiking Buddies program. More information on the BRVTA website: bayfieldtrails.com

Beware of ticks! Ticks are present on the trails and a bite by the deer tick may result in Lyme Disease.

Tuesday, July 1 - Canada Day Hike. Celebrate Canada Day by joining a guided hike from Clan Gregor Square to the River Flats. Show your Canadian pride by wearing red and white. Meet at Clan Gregor Square pavilion in Bayfield at 10:00 a.m.

Saturday, July 12 – Admiral Bayfield Walk. Local Historian David Yates will lead a hike through Bayfield while sharing tales of the very colourful history of Bayfield. Meet at Clan Gregor

Square at 10:00 a.m. to join in what is always a popular and entertaining walk.

Saturday, July 26 – Just a hike! Join a guided hike on the Woodland trail. Participants are asked to meet at the David St. entrance at 10:00 a.m. This hike will be approximately 5 km in length. Be sure to dress appropriately to reduce your risk of ticks.

Saturday, August 9 – Love Your Greats Clean-up Day! Join the 10th annual clean-up of beach and river shoreline. To assist the Trails Association, meet at the River Flats parking lot at 10:00 a.m.

Saturday, August 9 – Night Hike. Cassie Greidanus from Ausable Bayfield Conservation Authority will be leading a night hike at the Bannockburn Conservation Area. The hike will start at 8:30 p.m.

Saturday, August 23 – Just a Hike! Join a guided hike at Naftel's Creek Conservation Area on Highway 21 between Bayfield and Goderich. Participants

are asked to meet at the entrance at 10:00 a.m.

Saturday, September 6 – Just a Hike! Another guided hike will take place on the Woodland trail and participants are asked to meet at the David St. entrance at 10:00 a.m.

Saturday, September 14 – Terry Fox Run/Walk. Mark your calendars for the Annual Terry Fox run in Bayfield. More details will be provided through the Breeze as the date approaches.

The hike schedule can change so stay up to date through the Bayfield Breeze or the BRVTA website.

For more information on any of these hikes, contact Ralph Blasting at 519-525-3205 or rjblastingjr@gmail.com. Memberships keep the trails open for all of us. To become a member of Bayfield Trails, visit <https://www.bayfieldtrails.com/membershipsdonations> and click "subscribe." Annual membership is \$20 individual, \$30 family.



Children and Youth Programs

Room2Grow

A gathering time for parents and preschoolers to play and/or join the stroller stroll. Drop in on Wednesdays between 9am and 3pm at Good Neighbours of Bluewater in Zurich.

Huron EarlyON

Free playgroups for parents and caregivers with children ages 0 to 6 years olds. Visit Huron EarlyON Facebook for updates!

Zurich Library (until June 30)
Mondays at 10:00-11:30am

Zurich Park starting Monday,
July 7th Mondays 10:00-11:30am

Hensall Community Church
Tuesdays 10:00-11:30am

Bayfield Clan Gregor Square
Thursdays 10:00-11:30am

Youth Ball Hockey

Summer Ball Hockey is organized by Huron Happy Sport on Thursday evening at the Hensall Arena, starting July 3rd. For more information, follow "Huron Happy Sport" on Facebook.

Bluewater Summer Day Camp

The Municipality of Bluewater offers Outdoor Summer Day Camp to ages 4 to 12 years. Bluewater has two day camp locations; Hensall and Bayfield. Through exciting and active adventures, new friends, and caring staff, children will create wonderful memories that last a lifetime!

Camp Registration is full, please join the waitlist.

Summer Themes

Week One: Natures Hideaway

Week Two: Island Explorers

Week Three: Christmas in July

Week Four: Land Before Time

Week Five: Dr. Seuss Week

Week Six: Bluewater Farm

Week Seven: Ooey Gooley

First Stride

Join Alana and Michele this fall to discover the joy of skating at the Hensall Arena.

10 weeks for \$150

For more info contact Michele at 519-872-6750 or email hodgertmichele@gmail.com.



Rent the Zurich, Hensall or Varna community hall for pickleball, badminton, shuffleboard or



Adult Programs

Community Pickleball

Are you looking to attend organized, indoor pickleball in Hensall and/or Zurich? Daily sessions available by registering online on Municipality of Bluewater website.

\$5.20 + HST

Spring and Summer Bayfield Pickleball

Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays 9:00 to 11:00am.

Tuesdays and Thursdays 10:00am to 12:00pm.

Visit bayfieldcommunitycentre.ca for updates!

Cards and Games

Good Neighbours of Bluewater

28 Goshen Street N, Zurich

Solo Mondays 1:00-3:00pm

Euchre Thursdays 1:00pm -3:30pm

Coffee and Chats

Friends of Bayfield Library

18 Bayfield Main St N, Bayfield

Weekly Tuesday Coffee Chat

Tuesdays 2:00-3:30pm at the Bayfield Library Meeting Room.

Coffee and tea provided. Newcomers to the village or long-term residents are all welcome!

Good Neighbours of Bluewater

28 Goshen Street N, Zurich

Early Riser Coffee - Mondays 7:00am to 3:30pm

Coffee and Muffins - Thursdays 10:00am to 3:30pm

Bluewater Gentle Yoga

Hensall Arena and Community Centre

Starting June 20
Fridays 1:30-2:30pm
Mat or Chair

6 weeks \$48 + HST

More evening yoga starting in September in both Hensall and Zurich, stay tuned for more details.

For more details and to register visit the Municipality of Bluewater website for more details.

Yoga with Shannon

Join Shannon for a relaxing stretch at the Bayfield Arena and Community Centre Tuesdays 9:30-10:30am

Contact Shannon Malolepszy at 519-404-5199 or email shannon@saintongealliance.com for more details.

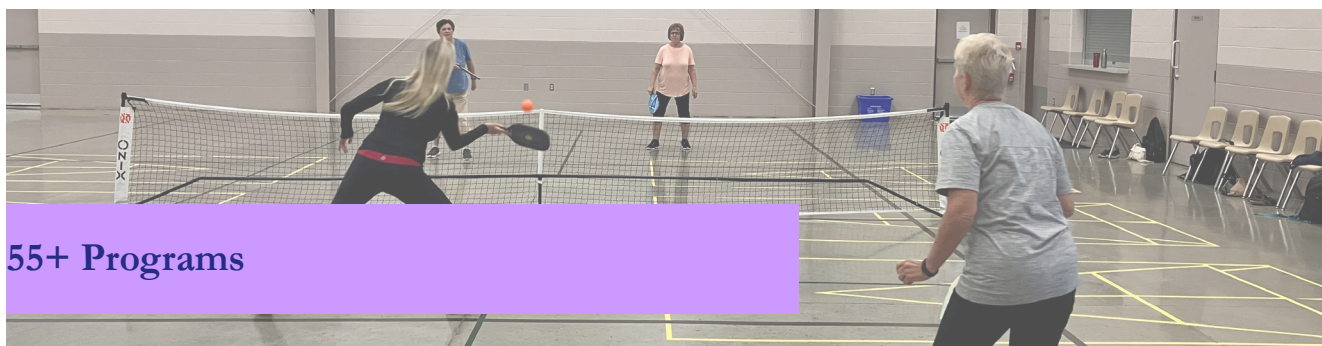
Tai Chi

Join Doug for Tai Chi on Mondays 1:30-3:00pm at the Bayfield Arena and Community Centre.

Contact Doug Brown at 519-441-1189 or email dougb1427@gmail.com for more details.

Ukulele

Bring your uke to join along or just come to sing! Wednesdays 6:30-8:00pm and Saturdays 10:00-11:30am at the Clan Gregor Gazebo. Follow "Bayfield Ukulele Society" on Facebook for updates.



55+ Programs

Zurich - Community Outreach Falls & Prevention Exercise

Various exercise classes that fit your level!

Maplewood Apt

Monday 10:30am

Tuesdays and Thursdays 10:00am

Good Neighbours of Bluewater

Fridays 10:00am

Contact Community Outreach for more information at 519-236-4373.

Bayfield - OneCare Falls & Prevention Exercise

Various exercise classes that fit your level!

Bayfield Community Centre

Mondays and Wednesdays

9:00am Level 3

10:30am Level 2

Friday 9:30am Level 2 & 3

For questions and to register please contact Bayfield Community Centre at 519-565-2121.

Hensall - Grand Bend Community Health Centre Team Senior Programs

Hensall Senior's Exercise Class

Hensall Arena and Community Centre Mondays 1:00-2:00pm. Call Julie Datars to register 519-238-2362 ext. 243.

Hensall Walk, Talk and Coffee

Drop-in to the Hensall Arena and Community Centre for walking group on Wednesdays 10:00-11:30am.

Bluewater Gentle Yoga

Hensall Arena and Community Centre

Starting June 20

Fridays 1:30-2:30pm

Mat or Chair

6 weeks \$48 + HST

For more details and to register visit the Municipality of Bluewater website for more details.

Hensall Pickleball

Pickleball is being offered on the Hensall Ice Pad for the summer! Join us on Wednesdays from 10am to 12pm. Registration is

required. Register online or call the Recreation Coordinator at 519-280-0103. Beginners are welcome! Equipment provided.

\$5.20 + HST

For more details and to register visit the Municipality of Bluewater website for more details.

Cards and Coffee

Hensall Arena and Community Centre

Starting July 3

Thursdays 9:00am to 12:00pm

Drop-in

\$2.00

Did you know?

The Municipality of Bluewater has been awarded funding for Senior Program through the Senior Active Living Centre Fund. We would like to hear from you and what programming you would like to see in Bluewater. Contact the Recreation Coordinator at reccoordinator@municipalityofbluewater.ca or 519-280-0103.



Read. Relax. Create. Repeat.

There's something for everyone this summer at the Huron County Library!

For full program details, visit: www.HuronCountyLibrary.ca/Events

BAYFIELD BRANCH

Location: 18 Main St., N., Bayfield | Phone: 519-565-2886 | Email: BayfieldLibrary@HuronCounty.ca

Creative Kids - Birdhouse Bonanza

Tuesday, July 8, 1-2p.m.

Get ready for a burst of colour and creativity as kids paint their very own birdhouses and take them home to welcome their feathered friends in style! Registration required. Generously sponsored by Friends of Bayfield Library (FOBL).

Creative Kids - Windchime Wonders

Tuesday, Aug. 12, 1-2p.m.

Kids will tinker, design, and decorate their very own windchimes—creating magical music that dances on the breeze. Registration required. This program is generously sponsored by FOBL.

Slimy & Scales with Ausable Bayfield Conservation Authority

Thursday, July 24, 1:30 p.m.

As old as dinosaurs, but now, their populations are disappearing fast. Discover why these cold-blooded creatures are so sensitive, their key role in the environment, and what we can do to keep their populations thriving. Registration required - contact the branch.

Brick by Brick: Summer LEGO Challenge

Fridays through July & August, 11 a.m.-1 p.m.

Drop in for a new LEGO building challenge each week! Complete a challenge to earn a stamp on your LEGO Challenge Card. Once you've collected 4 stamps, submit your card for a chance to win the LEGO Grand Prize—generously sponsored by the FOBL! Come build, create, and have fun!

HENSALL BRANCH

Location: 108 King St., Hensall | **Phone:** 519-262-2445 | **Email:** HensallLibrary@HuronCounty.ca

Map it Out

Wednesday, Aug. 20, 10:30 a.m.

Join Ausable Bayfield Conservation Authority to learn about the different ways people have used maps throughout history, from storytelling to modern topographic maps. Explore the basic elements of mapping and discover how to make your own!

Meet Your Neighbour Night

Thursday, Sept. 18, 5:30 p.m.

Drop in to create and cultivate social connections between fellow community members.

Craft & Chat and Book Club

*Third Tuesday, 6:30-7:30 p.m.
(starting Sept. 16)*

Join us for book discussions and crafting.

ZURICH BRANCH

Location: 10 Goshen St. N., Zurich | **Phone:** 519-236-4965 | **Email:** ZurichLibrary@HuronCounty.ca

ABCA Art in Nature

Wednesday, Aug. 6, 10:30 a.m.

Nature is filled with colour, movement, and sound, inspiring artists of all kinds. Explore how the world influences visual art, music and drama. Discover how we can use nature as our artistic canvas and how we can use our creativity in unexpected ways!

Book Club

Third Thursday, 7 p.m.

Discuss the book of the month or a more casual discussion of what you're reading this summer.

Gentle Yoga for Adults

Tuesdays & Thursdays, 2-2:45 p.m.

Join us each Tuesday for a gentle yoga class for adults. Mats provided.

Participation Plinko

*June 1-30
During regular branch hours*

Play Plinko and complete the Participation challenge to get your name in a draw for a prize package!

Summer Reading

Registration for the 2025 TD Summer Reading Club is open and the Huron County Library is super excited to welcome young readers back to the branches! This exciting and educational program is FREE to readers aged 4-12 and runs in-person at all 12 library branches from June 30 to Aug. 22.

Bayfield: Wednesdays, 10:30-11:30 a.m.

Hensall: Thursdays, 3-4 p.m.

Zurich: Fridays, 11 a.m.-12 p.m.

Register online: www.HuronCountyLibrary.ca

Book Sales

Featuring hundreds of used books and more, you are sure to find your next great read at these upcoming book sales!

Bayfield: June 28, Aug. 2, Aug. 15, 10:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m.

Zurich: Aug. 23, 9 a.m.-1 p.m.



www.HuronCountyLibrary.ca

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The RZone Policy is a proactive operating procedure adopted by the Municipality of Bluewater to foster a safe, inclusive, and respectful environment across all municipal spaces. This includes facilities, programs, parks, trails, and events. The policy outlines a code of conduct designed to address and prevent incidents involving violence, vandalism, and inappropriate behaviour by any individual—whether a participant, visitor, resident, or employee.

At the heart of the RZone is a commitment to the values of respect and responsibility, which are clearly represented in the name and logo:

Respect for yourself

Respect for others

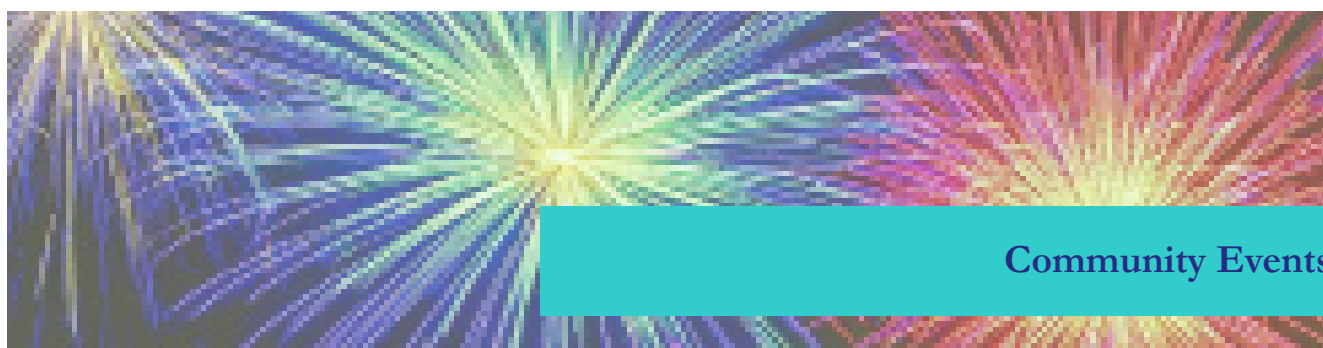
Responsibility for your actions

The RZone logo, prominently displayed in municipal spaces, serves as a visual reminder that this policy is always in effect. It empowers staff and members of the public to take an active role in maintaining a positive and welcoming atmosphere for all.

Everyone has a role to play in upholding these standards. If you witness or experience violence, vandalism, or any form of inappropriate conduct, we encourage you to take action.

To learn more about how to report an incident or to view the full policy, please visit the Municipality of Bluewater website.





June

Strawberry Social at Good Neighbours of Bluewater June 19.

July

Vette Fest Bayfield Clan Gregor Square July 4-5

Zurich Fair "Barnyard Bash" July 25-27

August

Bayfield Fair Bayfield Agricultural Grounds August 15-17

Zurich Bean fest August 22-23

Sept

Second Annual Bayfield Ukulele Festival Saturday, September 27

Bingo with Zurich Agricultural Society September 28 1:00pm

November

Bayfield Agricultural Society Wreath Fundraising Sale November 14 and 15.

Christmas in Bayfield November 14 to 16

December

Municipality of Bluewater Candy Cane Hunt at Varna Nature Trails Sunday, December 7

Looking for more information on what is happening in Bluewater?

Follow Hensall Ontario on Facebook for updates on what events and programs are available!

Follow Zurich, Ontario | Community News & Updates on Facebook for community news and events in the Village of Zurich

Go to the Village of Bayfield website under Upcoming Events for all Bayfield event details.
www.villageofbayfield.com