

TOWN
OF

Outlook



IRRIGATION CAPITAL OF SASKATCHEWAN

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Operations Report:

1. Rec Plex: April 9th marked the last day of ice time at the Jim Kook Rec Plex. We had a very busy season as all activities were able to resume in full swing. Huge shoutout to the recreation staff at the Rec Plex for all of their hard work and dedication this season. The rink wouldn't be able to operate without them. We are now into the spring and summer season and we look forward to providing sport camps on the multi-sport court as well as drop in times for the community to come and have some fun!
2. Van Raay and Community Swimming Pool: Over the last few weeks we have started planning for the 2022 pool season. The public can expect swimming lesson registration to take place sometime in May 2022. The public can find all information regarding the swimming pool on our Town of Outlook website as well as our Van Raay and Community Swimming Pool Facebook page as information is accumulated.
3. Small Events Coming Up:
 - The Outlook and District Regional Park and the Parks and Recreation Department have teamed up again this year to host an easter scavenger hunt. More details can be found on both the regional park and recreation Facebook pages.
 - Our local KidSport committee has reached out to sponsor a variety of sport camps for the week of May 23rd-27th as it is National KidSport week! We are looking forward to offering basketball, volleyball, baseball, gymnastics/wrestling and a fun carnival day at the end of the week at the Jim Kook Rec Plex. These camps will be free of charge to all kids aged 6+. Watch the Town of Outlook Parks and Recreation Department and KidSport Outlook facebook pages for more information in the coming weeks.

Management Report:

When I became Recreation Director I honestly had no idea what the job all entailed. It was a very intimidating position to accept as I haven't had a lot of experience being in such a role but am I ever honored to be trusted enough to take on such a position. As I sit here and reflect on the last year and a half of being Rec Director I am in awe of all the work that goes on behind the scenes. I want to emphasize how important and appreciative I am to have the support from our Administration Office, the Public Works department and our Town Council members. Without these team players, I would probably have no hair left! I said it earlier in this report but I cannot express enough how grateful I am to have such a great recreation staff to help execute all the events and sometimes crazy/last minute ideas that I have. I want to also acknowledge the Outlook Curling Club, Minor Sports, Senior Ice Hawks, the Skate Club, Gymnastics, Archery and Dance program - THANK YOU for being patient with us as this was a huge learning year for the Recreation Department. Without these volunteer led groups, we would have a very quiet facility so thank you for your time and energy to ensure we have sports for the youth of our community to participate in.

I am proud to be a part of this community and I hope to bring some really great initiatives and events for our community to enjoy. My door is always open for the public to come and give suggestions or simply just have a chat.