







# Baxter Conservation Area

## August 2017 Summer Programs

**NEW this summer!** Baxter is offering family programming. Children and parents can experience nature hands-on, as a family, in one of our exciting educational programs. Come to a program and spend the rest of the day at the beach or do two programs and stay for the day. Don't forget to bring your own picnic lunch! Cost is \$5 per person per program with a maximum charge of \$20 per family per program. Children under five are free. All children must be accompanied by an adult. **Pre-registration is required for all programs!**

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
30 July	31	1	2	3	4	5
 <h3>Nature Explorers Day Camp 3</h3> <p>A fun filled week for 6 to 12 year olds, exploring Baxter's pond, meadow and forest habitats with different interactive nature studies (i.e., pond study, insect study, etc.), activities, games, crafts and swimming at our sandy beach. Our goal at camp is to get outside and explore the natural world as much as possible over the course of the week. Offered twice in July and three times in August.</p>						
6	7	8	 <b>9 Outdoor Survival Skills Family Program</b> Same program morning (10:00-12:00) and afternoon (1:00-3:00 p.m.) <b>Survival in the Woods</b> How well can you family survive in nature? Try your hand at shelter and fire building, ending the program with a fire roasted treat!	 <b>10 Pond &amp; Insects Family Program</b> <b>Pond Life (10:00-12:00)</b> Get up close with pond creatures that you know and love and maybe even some you don't know. <b>Incredible Insects (1:00-3:00)</b> There are more insects on Earth than people and they have some pretty crazy features! Check out these crawling critters in an afternoon of fun.	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
 <h3>Nature Explorers Day Camp 4</h3> <h3>Canoe Camp 2</h3> <p>Canoe campers (10 to 14 years old) will learn tandem paddling skills, canoe tripping safety, planning, preparation and canoe rescues. Camp will also include games, nature exploration, swimming, a day trip on the Rideau River and overnight tent camping (Thursday night of each session). Canoe Camp will be run out of Baxter's River Cabin. Offered once in July and once in August.</p>						
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
 <h3>Nature Explorers Day Camp 5</h3>						
27	28	29	30	31		
<p><b>Pre-registration is Required For All Programs.</b></p> <p><b>FAMILY PROGRAMING:</b>                      10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m./1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.                      Cost: \$5/person, \$20/family</p> <p><b>NATURE EXPLORERS DAY CAMP:</b> Ages 6 to 12 yrs. (Monday to Friday from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.)                      Cost: \$190/child with a \$25 discount for each additional family member</p> <p><b>CANOE CAMP:</b> Ages 10 to 14 yrs. (Monday to Friday from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.) Thursday night overnight camping included in each session. Cost: \$245/child with a \$25 discount for each additional family member</p>						

Too old to be a camper but still think you would like to be involved in camp? If your child is interested in becoming a volunteer at one of our camps (must be going into grade 9 in the fall or older) or for any inquiries about our summer programs, contact Baxter staff at 613-489-3592 or baxter@rvca.ca.