

# The future of Beaverbrook Pool Swimming Lessons

*Looking for feedback on Swimming Programs for  
Children at the Beaverbrook Outdoor Pool*

Thursday, May 26, 2016

## Summary

**Feedback is needed no later than May 31, 2016 to:** [President@kanatabeaverbrook.ca](mailto:President@kanatabeaverbrook.ca)

The KBCA has been hearing concerns from Families about the lack of Children's Swim Programs offered at the Beaverbrook Outdoor Pool behind the Beaverbrook Mall.

The KBCA has had discussions with the Directory for the Beaverbrook Pool who works out of the Richcraft Recreation Centre on Innovation Drive.

We are working together to see what the actual demand is for Children's Swim Programs for the Summer of 2016 and beyond.

The reality is that enrollment at the Beaverbrook pool has been dropping year over year and the City of Ottawa cannot afford to offer Programs without sufficient enrollment. In other words, they need a commitment before they hire instructors for the Summer.

We're taking this opportunity to gauge the actual demand for Children's Swim Programs through email, the KBCA Web Site and the Beaverbrook Happening's Facebook Page.

## What we want feedback on

We're looking for feedback on:

- Were you aware of the programs available?
- Are you interested in the one or more of the Programs?
  - ◇ How many children and which program?
  - ◇ Have you signed up?
  - ◇ If you are considering signing up, why have you hesitated to sign up?
- What programs are missing?
  - ◇ How many Children would you commit to each Program?

## Programs currently available

The following programs are planned for the Beaverbrook Pool for the Summer of 2016. These programs are subject to cancellation if an insufficient number of Children have been registered.

# Aquatics Programs

Day	Time	Date	Lessons	Cost	Code
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## Beaverbrook Outdoor Pool - 613-591-3061

### Preschool

#### Salamander Low Ratio (level 2)

Mon.-Fri.	11:30 am	Jul 4	9	\$118.25	1033534
Mon.-Fri.	11:30 am	Jul 18	9	\$118.25	1033535
Tue.-Fri., Mon.	11:30 am	Aug 2	9	\$118.25	1033536
Mon.-Fri.	11:30 am	Aug 15	5	\$65.75	1033537

#### Sea Otter Low Ratio (level 1)

Mon.-Fri.	11 am	Jul 4	9	\$118.25	1033528
Mon.-Fri.	11 am	Jul 18	9	\$118.25	1033530
Tue.-Fri., Mon.	11 am	Aug 2	9	\$118.25	1033531
Mon.-Fri.	11 am	Aug 15	5	\$65.75	1033532

### Children

#### Private Lessons Child

Mon.-Fri.	9 am	Jul 4	9	\$228.75	1029874
Mon.-Fri.	9:30 am	Jul 4	9	\$228.75	1029881
Mon.-Fri.	10 am	Jul 4	9	\$228.75	1029895
Mon.-Fri.	10:30 am	Jul 4	9	\$228.75	1029899
Mon.-Fri.	9 am	Jul 18	9	\$228.75	1029883
Mon.-Fri.	9:30 am	Jul 18	9	\$228.75	1029876
Mon.-Fri.	10 am	Jul 18	9	\$228.75	1029901
Mon.-Fri.	10:30 am	Jul 18	9	\$228.75	1029904

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Tue.-Fri., Mon.	9 am	Aug 2	9	\$228.75	1029912
Tue.-Fri., Mon.	9:30 am	Aug 2	9	\$228.75	1029915
Tue.-Fri., Mon.	10 am	Aug 2	9	\$228.75	1029877
Tue.-Fri., Mon.	10:30 am	Aug 2	9	\$228.75	1029908
Mon.-Fri.	9 am	Aug 15	5	\$121	1029893
Mon.-Fri.	9:30 am	Aug 15	5	\$121	1029890
Mon.-Fri.	10 am	Aug 15	5	\$121	1029884
Mon.-Fri.	10:30 am	Aug 15	5	\$121	1029878

#### Swim Kids Level 02 Low Ratio

Mon.-Fri.	9 am	Jul 4	9	\$118.25	1033506
Mon.-Fri.	9:30 am	Jul 4	9	\$118.25	1033507
Mon.-Fri.	9 am	Jul 18	9	\$118.25	1033509
Mon.-Fri.	9:30 am	Jul 18	9	\$118.25	1033508
Tue.-Fri., Mon.	9 am	Aug 2	9	\$118.25	1033511
Tue.-Fri., Mon.	9:30 am	Aug 2	9	\$118.25	1033512
Mon.-Fri.	9 am	Aug 15	5	\$65.75	1033518
Mon.-Fri.	9:30 am	Aug 15	5	\$65.75	1033517

#### Swim Kids Level 03 Low Ratio

Mon.-Fri.	10 am	Jul 4	9	\$118.25	1033519
Mon.-Fri.	10 am	Jul 18	9	\$118.25	1033520
Tue.-Fri., Mon.	10 am	Aug 2	9	\$118.25	1033521
Mon.-Fri.	10 am	Aug 15	5	\$65.75	1033522

#### Swim Kids Level 04 Low Ratio

Mon.-Fri.	10:30 am	Jul 4	9	\$118.25	1033524
Mon.-Fri.	10:30 am	Jul 18	9	\$118.25	1033525
Tue.-Fri., Mon.	10:30 am	Aug 2	9	\$118.25	1033526
Mon.-Fri.	10:30 am	Aug 15	5	\$65.75	1033527

The following are descriptions of the programs



All the Swim Programs offered by the City for Children are listed here:

<http://ottawa.ca/en/residents/parks-and-recreation/drop-activities/learn-swim>

The full guide to all Swimming Programs across the City can be found here:

<http://ottawa.ca/en/residents/parks-and-recreation/registered-classes-all-ages/recreation-guide>

The following sub-set of the possible programs are currently being considered for offer at Beaverbrook for the Summer of 2016:

Preschool – 3 to 5 years	
<p><b>Sea Otter</b></p>  <p>Swimmers work on front and back floats and glides, kicking on front with a buoyant object, and will be able to swim 1 metre upon completion of this level.</p>	<p><b>Salamander</b></p>  <p>Swimmers work on improving their front and back float and jumping into chest-deep water unassisted. Kicking is added to the front and back glide and swimmers will be able to swim 2 metres upon completion.</p>

School Age – 6 to 12 years	
<b>Swim Kids 1</b>	Swimmers develop front and back float, front and back glide, flutter kick (assisted), shallow water entries and exits, and swim 5 metres.
<b>Swim Kids 2</b>	Swimmers learn front and back glide with flutter kick, develop front swim, complete deep-water activities (assisted) and swim 10 metres continuously.
<b>Swim Kids 3</b>	Swimmers increase their distance on front and back glide with flutter kick, perform flutter kick unassisted, wear a PFD in deep water, float in deep water, and swim 15 metres continuously.
<b>Swim Kids 4</b>	Swimmers learn back swim with shoulder roll and front crawl (10m), work on flutter kick on back, perform kneeling dive, introduction to sculling and swimming 25 metres continuously.

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