

# 2011 Hampton Community Guide



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## Facilities



### Parks and Playgrounds

Several parks and playgrounds within the Town of Hampton offer individuals and families ample opportunity to get outside, enjoy the fresh air and meet other people living in or visiting our community. There are a number of beautiful trails located within, or offering access to, these great spots as well.

## Parks

### **Dutch Point Park**

Dutch Point Park, off the Dutch Point Road, includes Erb's Hill, a popular sliding spot in winter; Veteran's Field, a busy baseball field; a playground with swings and climbing structures; lots of wide open space for outdoor play; and access to the Dutch Point Trail system. Currently, there are five trails: Erb's Hill Trail (100 metres), Wetmore's Walk (300m), Coleman's Trail (607m), Pendergrass Trail (251m), and Haden Hill's Loop (600m).

The main trail entrance is located on Dutch Point Road. People can also gain access to the left of Hampton Elementary School and at Dr. A. T. Leatherbarrow Primary School.

### **Randall Drive Park**

Located off Dutch Point Road, Randall Drive Park is probably one of Hampton's best kept secrets. Here people can gain foot access to the Kennebecasis River, a lovely grassy area for walking, and even a few picnic tables. Parking on the street is permitted, but please be courteous when accessing this park as it is in a residential area.

### **Rotary Park**

Rotary Park, on Spooner Island, has nature trails leading to the gazebo overlooking Ossekeag Creek. People can access the park on the corner of Main Street and Cemetery Road as well as off Cemetery Road across from the Hampton Curling Club. There is a parking area at the Cemetery Road entrance that offers access to the walking trail along the lagoon to Loyalist Drive.

### **Veteran's Park**

Veteran's Park is a beautiful green space located between Hampton Middle School and the Hampton Community Centre.

### **Other**

Other popular green spaces in Hampton are the Courthouse Lawn with the beautiful Credo sculpture created in honour of John Peters Humphrey, the Town Square and Cemetery Park.

## Playgrounds

- Town Square Playground on Main Street
- Sunset Villa Park and Playground off Villa Drive
- Dutch Point Playground in Dutch Point Park
- School Playgrounds are also open to the public during non-school hours. Hampton Elementary School has two playgrounds including the popular Hawk's Nest directly across from the sports fields and a playground on the left side of the school. Dr. A. T. Leatherbarrow Primary School has the newly built Jeremy Shaw Memorial Playground at the back of the school.

