



Summer Newsletter



Town of Carman

Hours

Monday - Friday

8:30am - 4:30pm

Holidays

August 3, 2026

Closed

September 7, 2026

Closed

Eco Centre & Transfer Station Hours:

Monday, Wednesday,
Friday

1:00pm – 4:00pm

Saturday

11:00am – 4:00pm

Tuesday & Thursday

Closed

Town of Carman Upcoming Council Meetings

Thursday July 16th
7:00pm

Thursday August 20th
7:00pm

Tuesday September 1st
7:00am

Thursday September 17th

Board of Revision
7:00pm

Tuesday October 6th
7:00am

Thursday October 15th
7:00pm

Subject to Change

Carman-Dufferin Communities in Bloom Challenge

This summer, July 30th, 2026, Carman-Dufferin will be participating in the Communities in Bloom challenge, and we're aiming for a **5-Bloom rating!**

Communities in Bloom recognizes communities that demonstrate pride in their appearance, environmental stewardship, beautification efforts, heritage preservation, and community involvement. While public spaces play an important role, a big factor in creating a beautiful community is the contribution of our residents and businesses.

As our evaluation approaches, we encourage everyone to take a few moments to help showcase the pride we have in our community by:

- Mowing lawns and trimming vegetation
- Maintaining gardens, flower beds, and planters
- Keeping yards and properties neat and tidy
- Pruning trees and branch clean-up
- Removing weeds and debris
- Freshening up storefronts and business fronts

Taking pride in the small details that make our community welcoming

Every property contributes to the overall impression of our community. Whether it's a colourful flower planter, a well-maintained lawn, a tidy storefront, or a welcoming entrance, your efforts help make Carman and the RM of Dufferin a place we're all proud to call home.

Thank you to all residents, businesses, volunteers, and community groups who continue to make Carman-Dufferin bloom.

Thinking About Running for Municipal Office?

The 2026 Municipal Election will be held on **October 28, 2026**, and prospective candidates are encouraged to start preparing now.

Individuals interested in running for **Mayor** may register between **May 1 and September 22, 2026**, while those seeking election as **Councillor** may register between **June 30 and September 22, 2026**.

Candidates must register before accepting campaign contributions, fundraising, borrowing money, or incurring campaign expenses.

Nomination papers will be accepted from **September 16-18 and September 21-22, 2026**, with all nominations due by **4:30 p.m. on September 22**. Candidate names will be placed on the ballot through a random.

A Municipal Candidates Guidebook is available to assist prospective candidates with understanding the election process, responsibilities of office, and campaign finance requirements. Registered candidates may also obtain a voters list for election purposes.

Additional election information is also available on the municipal website.

For registration forms or additional information, please contact the Senior Election Official at **204-745-2443** or cao@townofcarman.com.

**CARMAN -
DUFFERIN**



Parks & Recreation

CDR'S SUMMER DAYCAMP

FUN • FRIENDS • ADVENTURE!

Children aged 5 - 12
(Before July 6th 2026)

@ Carman Community Hall

July 6th - September 4th

**MONDAY - FRIDAY
8:00 AM - 5:00 PM**



**DROP OFF:
8:00 - 9:00 AM**



**PICK UP:
4:00 - 5:00 PM**

PLEASE BRING:

- ✓ Spray sunscreen
- ✓ Nut free lunch and snacks
- ✓ Bathing suit
- ✓ Towel
- ✓ Comfy walking shoes
- ✓ Water bottle



**\$18.00
A DAY**

PRE-REGISTRATION ONLY

**SPECIAL DAY EVENTS
ARE \$25.00**

*** NON-REFUNDABLE AND NON-TRANSFERABLE ***



**ONLINE REGISTRATION OPENS
JUNE 1ST**

TO REGISTER GO TO

www.carmandufferinrecreation.com

King's Park is full of fun activities
& children are running around
this busy time of year!

Please reduce your speed when
driving through King's Park!



**Ensure your campfire is
completely out!! Never
leave a fire unattended!**

Kids Splash Zone is Open!

10:00am - 8:00pm Everyday



**Folklorama
VIP BUS TOUR**

Experience a VIP tour around the world

Monday, August 10th

**Visit: Heart of Romania Pavilion,
Spirit of Ukraine Pavilion, Italian Pavilion**

Tour Includes:

- Enjoy a progressive meal including a cultural alcoholic beverage
- Receive a cultural display tour
- Reserved motorcoach parking
- VIP access and entrance into pavilions
- Reserved seating close to the stage
- Folklorama volunteer tour guide escorting your group throughout the evening

Book Your Tour Today!

Register at:

www.carmandufferinrecreation.com

**Pricing - \$125.00
per person**



CDR SUMMER

HOCKEY CAMP

AUG 31-SEPT 4

AT CARMAN DUFFERIN ARENA

Group 1 - U9/U11 - Group 2 - U13 Group 3 - U15/U18

GROUP 1 & 2 \$405.00 PER PLAYER, GROUP 3 \$350.00 PER PLAYER

REGISTRATION OPEN

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