



AL ANDERSON MEMORIAL POOL  
2024 SEASON  
**SHARKS**  
AQUATIC LEADERSHIP PROGRAM

**IF YOU ARE CONSIDERING BECOMING A LIFEGUARD  
THIS PROGRAM IS AN EXCELLENT INVESTMENT IN YOUR FUTURE!**

The Sharks program is designed to give teens an opportunity to experience the challenges and benefits of working in Aquatics. This two-week program includes training sessions in swimming lesson instruction, lifeguarding and event planning. Sharks are given daily opportunities to cultivate, demonstrate and expand their leadership skills.

Interested candidates need to fill out the attached application form and return it to the front desk of *Timms Community Centre (20399 Douglas Crescent) or Al Anderson Memorial Pool (4949 207<sup>th</sup> Street)*.

*An information session for SHARKS and their parents will be announced at a closer date*

*\*It is recommended that parents attend this meeting\**

**Cost: Sharks: \$85.00** (32.50 Hours of Leadership and Lifeguard Training + 47.50 Volunteer Hours)

**Pre-requisite for admission can be found on page four of this document.**

**Each Shark will receive a manual, T-Shirt, and a 15% discount on all Advanced Aquatic courses**  
**\*cannot be combined with other promotional discounts \***

**Application Deadline – One week before intended start date**

# SHARKS AQUATIC LEADERSHIP PROGRAM

IMPORTANT NOTICE: Personal information requested regarding the Sharks and Minnows program is collected under the authority of Section 26 of the Freedom of Information and Privacy Act, R.S.B.C. 1996, c. 165, as amended. Unless otherwise specified, the information gathered will be used by the City of Langley with regard to the administration of the grant program. Questions about the collection, use, and disclosure of this information should be directed to the Head for Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy, City of Langley, 20399 Douglas Crescent, Langley, BC, V3A 4B3, 604-514-4591.

## CANDIDATE INFORMATION:

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ AGE: \_\_\_\_\_

BIRTHDATE: (DD/MM/YY) \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE #: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_ CITY: \_\_\_\_\_

POSTAL CODE: \_\_\_\_\_ EMAIL: \_\_\_\_\_

## PARENT INFORMATION:

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ EMAIL: \_\_\_\_\_

QUALIFICATION	DATE TAKEN	FACILITY
Swim for Life Levels 7, 8, 9		
Bronze Medallion		
Bronze Cross		
CPR/First Aid		
Swim Instructor		
Other		

Have you taken part in the Sharks Program before?    YES    NO

Please write a short paragraph about why you want to join this program and what qualities you possess that would make you a good candidate.

<b>Shark Daily Schedule</b>	
<b>AGES 13 -17</b>	
9:00-11:30am	Volunteer in Lessons
12:00-4:00pm	Instructor education, Leadership, First Aid training.

**Please indicate your first and second choices for lesson sets**

**\*SHARKS APPLICANTS ONLY\***

- Summer Set 1                      July 2 - 12                      9:00am-4:00pm
  
  - Summer Set 2                      July 15 - 26                      9:00am-4:00pm
  
  - Summer Set 3                      July 29 - Aug 9                      9:00am-4:00pm
  
  - Summer Set 4                      August 12 - 23                      9:00am-4:00pm
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## **Pre-requisite Information for Sharks:**

**Potential Sharks must be at least 13 years old, have completed Bronze Cross, must provide two Letters of Reference from outside their family, and must be available to volunteer for at least one Al Anderson Memorial Pool Special Event.**

**Participants in the Sharks Program (13 years or older) must complete a mandatory Police Information Check (PIC) before admittance into the program. To complete this process, please deliver your completed information package to the front desk of Al Anderson Memorial Pool or Timms Community Centre after which you will be provided with a PIC request email to be dropped off at the Langley RCMP detachment in Murrayville located at 22180 48a Ave, Langley, BC V3A 8B7. The PIC will be sent directly to the Recreation Supervisor and requires no further action from candidates. While the application deadline is one week prior to intended start date, it is advised to complete your information package as early as possible to ensure the Police Information Check is completed before the first day of the course.**

## **EXPECTATIONS OF PARTICIPANTS**

Volunteers are expected to have 100% attendance during their lesson set. Sharks are expected to wear their City of Langley Volunteer shirts while volunteering, as well as adhering to City of Langley dress standards. Sharks and Minnows are expected to behave in a way that fosters a vibrant, healthy and safe in accordance with the City of Langley's mission.

### **Mission Statement**

The City will use public leisure services as a vehicle for achieving certain socially worthwhile goals and objectives, in which such achievement clearly results in indirect benefit to all citizens.

- **To use leisure services to foster a sense of community identity, spirit and pride.**
- **To use leisure services to foster growth of individuals to reach their full potential.**

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Signature of Applicant

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Date

