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# Community Facilities & Parks Accessibility Guide

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Get out and enjoy the many parks and community facilities Edmonton has to offer. Stroll through the river valley, visit the Edmonton Valley Zoo, have a swim or workout at a leisure centre or go skating at an arena.

This guide was produced to inform Edmontonians and visitors about accessibility features in City of Edmonton community facilities. The City of Edmonton is committed to working towards improved accessibility of facilities for individuals with all types of disabilities. Information given here was current at the time of printing; however improvements are constantly being made.

This guide is reprinted on a bi-annual basis. If you require any further information about accessibility, please contact the specific facility by calling 311 or the Special Needs Recreation Liaison listed below.

The City of Edmonton offers the Leisure Access Program which provides Edmontonians living on low incomes free use of City of Edmonton recreation facilities and attractions and discounts on registered programs. Call 311 for more information.

Alternative formats of this guide are available upon request.

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## CRITERIA FOR ACCESSIBILITY RATING



Facility is fully accessible. Features and facilities meet and exceed the Alberta Building Code and take into consideration Universal Design principles. Main elements such as the washrooms, entrances, parking, and amenities are barrier free.



Majority of the facility is accessible; however there are some accessibility barriers. Some improvements are needed to make the facility fully accessible.



Facility is partially accessible. Barriers exist to fully accessing the facility and an alternate facility may be necessary.



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Facility has poor accessibility. Accessibility barriers may exist at entranceway, recreation area and washrooms. Alternate facility is recommended if barrier free access is required.

For information on accessibility or additional services and programs for persons with disabilities, please contact the Special Needs Recreation Liaison.



## LEISURE CENTRES/ POOLS — INDOOR

### North East Edmonton

#### A.C.T. Aquatic and Recreation Centre

2909 – 113 Avenue

★★★★★

Fully accessible facility. Accessible parking, entranceway with power doors, ramp into pool, lift to access whirlpool, moveable floors in main and warm pools from zero depth, accessible changerooms and washrooms with lift in changerooms. Integrated activities and programs are available for persons with disabilities. Two unisex washrooms available. Newly renovated playground make year round outdoor activities possible.

#### Eastglen Leisure Centre

11430 – 68 Street

★★★★☆

Accessible parking, power doors at entranceway, lowered service counter. Changerooms and washrooms located downstairs but one unisex washroom/changeroom is available on main level. Easy ladder at pool and accessible steamroom.

#### Londonderry Fitness & Leisure Centre

14528 – 66 Street

★★★★★

Accessible parking, entranceway with power doors, accessible washrooms and change rooms. Wheelchair accessible ramp for access to the leisure pool; ramp to whirlpool entrance (with three steps into water and grab rail), accessible sauna, steam room and viewing area. Facility upgrades include a family/disabled change room with private change areas, showers and washrooms and an elevator to the second floor board room, and staff offices. The lobby concession counter is also accessible.

#### O'Leary Leisure Centre

8804 – 132 Avenue

★★★★★

Accessible parking, power doors, accessible washrooms/changerooms, unisex washroom/changeroom, accessible indoor playground, lift into pool, easy ladder, ramp access into kid's pool, accessible steamroom.



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## North West Edmonton

### Peter Hemingway Fitness & Leisure Centre

13808 – 111 Avenue



Accessible parking, power doors, accessible toilet in public washrooms, accessible changeroom, shower and viewing area (tight). Lift into pool, one set of easy ladder stairs. No access to weight room or whirlpools.

### Grand Trunk Fitness & Leisure Centre

13025 – 112 Street



Accessible parking and drop-off zone, power door located by accessible parking stalls, accessible changerooms and public washrooms, three unisex changerooms/washrooms/showers, easy ladder into pool but no pool lift, accessible steamroom.

### Jasper Place Fitness & Leisure Centre

9200 – 163 Street



Accessible drop-off zone, power door, accessible changeroom/washroom on main floor. No pool lift but there is an easy ladder available.

## St. Francis Xavier Sports Centre

9240 163 Street



The Sports Centre is a public facility operated by the City of Edmonton in partnership with Edmonton Catholic Schools.

The sports centre includes the following features:

- Large gymnasium dividable into 3 full-size gymnasiums
- Playing space for basketball, badminton, soccer, volleyball, futsal, martial arts, or other activities
- Indoor jogging/walking track suspended above the gyms
- Spectator seating
- Change rooms and washrooms

St. Francis Xavier is a fully accessible facility including 4 accessible parking stalls, safe drop off and pick up and curb cuts. At-grade access to main entrance, main entrance equipped with sliding doors and push-button swing doors. Barrier-free access throughout. Wheelchair accessible washrooms including accessible/family washroom with accessible toilet stalls and shower stalls, elevator, lowered service counter, accessible spectator viewing and accessible track and gymnasium floor.

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## South East Edmonton

### Bonnie Doon Leisure Centre

8648 – 81 Street

★★★★☆

Accessible parking, power door, lowered counter, accessible changerooms, showers and sauna. Accessible change room and washrooms. Lift into pool, easy ladder available. Accessible viewing on deck.

### Hardisty Fitness & Leisure Centre

10535 – 65 Street

★★★★☆

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*\*Pool Closure — December 6, 2010 to February 2012*

*Hardisty Fitness and Leisure Centre closed for maintenance and infrastructure upgrades December 6, 2010 to January 31, 2012.*

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Accessible parking, power door, accessible showers, changeroom, family changeroom, washroom, and weightroom. Easy ladder and lift for pool.

## Mill Woods Recreation Centre

7207 – 28 Avenue

★★★★★

Accessible parking, ramp and power doors at entranceway. Accessible washrooms/changerooms and two new unisex washrooms/changerooms. Gradual incline into pool, elevator to connect floors. Wave pool. Accessible fitness area with adapted fitness equipment. Accessible play area for children. Accessible lift for dive tank and red eye tap sensors for sinks.

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## South West Edmonton

### Confederation Leisure Centre

11204 – 43 Avenue

★★★★★

Accessible parking, power doors at entranceway. Accessible changerooms and washrooms. Pool lift and easy ladder. Both pools are salt water. Fully accessible viewing areas. Elevator to second level. Two accessible family change rooms.



## **Terwillegar Community Recreation Centre**

2051 Leger Road NW

★★★★★

The Terwillegar Community Recreation Centre is currently under construction. It will be Edmonton's premier recreation centre with exceptional health, wellness, and sports amenities. **January 29, 2011: Terwillegar Community Recreation Centre Opens!**

Terwillegar Community Recreation Centre will be a fully accessible facility.

22 accessible parking stalls, safe drop off and pick up and curb cuts. No stairs to doors at entrance. Barrier free & family washrooms, accessible guest phone, 3 elevators, accessible change rooms, washroom stalls and shower benches, accessible spectator viewing in arena, aquatic centre, and gymnasiums. Access to steamroom and 2 exercise studios. Accessible fitness centre equipment. Ramp into leisure, wave, and tot pools and a commode or wheelchair are available for water.

## **LEISURE CENTRES/ POOLS — OUTDOOR**

### **Borden Park**

112 Avenue & 74 Street  
(ph) 944-7521

☆☆☆☆☆

Accessible side entrance. No accessible washrooms or pool lift. Accessible changerooms.

### **Fred Broadstock**

158 street & 105 A Avenue

★★★★★

Outdoor pool has full accessibility. Accessible entrance, changerooms and washrooms. Pool lift for the mail pool and zero depth entry for the children's pool. Ramps connecting all public areas of the facility including the basketball court, picnic area and sundeck.

### **Mill Creek**

9555 – 82 Avenue

☆☆☆☆☆

Accessible parking, accessible side entrance, no accessible washroom. No ramp into pool but there is an easy ladder.



## **Oliver**

119 Street & 103 Avenue



Accessible parking at back of facility, accessible entrance, no accessible washrooms, no ramp into pool.

## **Queen Elizabeth**

9100 Walterdale Hill



Closed for Construction, currently scheduled to open to the public in summer 2011



## **SPORT AND FITNESS FACILITIES**

### **Kinsmen Sports Centre**

9100 Walterdale Hill



Accessible parking, ramped entrance, power doors at entranceway, and men's and women's pool change room doors. Accessible washrooms and change rooms, unisex change room available. Elevator with Braille lettering on controls to connect floors. Pool lift to access all four pools.

### **Joe Clarke Athletic Grounds**



Fully accessible facility built in 2001. Accessible entrance, concessions, washrooms and seating.

### **a) Commonwealth Community Recreation Centre**

11000 Stadium Road



Accessible parking and entranceway. Accessible washrooms, showers and changerooms. Elevator with Braille lettering on controls to connect floors and directional signage.

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*\* Please note that the facility is closed until early 2012*

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## **b) Commonwealth Stadium**

★★★★☆

Accessible parking and entranceway from west parking lot. Accessible cubicles in washrooms, two unisex washrooms. Designated accessible seating throughout. Accessible concessions.

## **c) Clarke Park**

★★★★☆

Seating not accessible, wheelchair locations at field/ground level.

## **OTHER RECREATION CENTRES**

### **Northgate Lions Senior Citizens Recreation Centre**

7524 – 139 Avenue

★★★★★

Accessible parking, power doors at entranceway, lowered front counter, accessible washrooms, elevator to connect floors.

### **Central Lions Senior Citizens Recreation Centre**

11113 – 113 Street

★★★★★

The new renovated building is fully accessible.

## **City Arts Centre**

10943 – 84 Avenue

★★★★☆

Accessible parking, power door at entranceway, accessible washrooms, elevator to connect floors.

## **Prince of Wales Armouries**

10440 – 108 Avenue

★★★★☆

Accessible parking, ramped front entrance, power door, elevator to access floors, new unisex family washroom in main area only.

## **Rundle Family Centre**

2909 – 113 Avenue

★★★★☆

Accessible parking, accessible entrance, accessible meeting rooms, unisex washroom.



## ATTRACTIONS

### Fort Edmonton Park

**Corner of Fox Drive and  
Whitemud Drive**

★★★★☆

Accessible parking, designated DATS drop-off zone, accessible entranceway, accessible lift on steam train. Access to washrooms at Hotel Selkirk, Gyro Park, Masonic Hall, Reed's Tea Room, Bill's Confectionery and Egge's Barn. Because of the need for historical accuracy, some buildings and the Hudson's Bay fort have limited accessibility. Most ground level buildings have ramps. Accessible wagon with wheelchair access.

### John Janzen Nature Centre

**Next to Fort Edmonton Park**

★★★★☆

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*\* Please note that the JJNC is currently closed for renovations. Watch for a new entrance, interactive play structure and a green roof when the facility re-opens in spring 2011.*

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Accessible parking, steeper ramp at front entrance, accessible nature exhibits, accessible washroom.

### John Walter Museum

**9100 Walterdale Hill**

★★★★☆

Visitor orientation building entranceway is accessible, accessible washrooms in that facility. The other three historic buildings have ramps to access main levels but ramps may be difficult for some to access.

### Muttart Conservatory

**9626 – 96 A Street**

★★★★☆

Accessible parking, power doors at entranceway and into pavillons, accessible washrooms. Ramps to pavillons but are steep – some assistance may be required. One pyramid has several steps and is partially accessible. Ramp to access the greenhouse and accessible surfacing.



## Edmonton Valley Zoo

Buena Vista Road & 134 Street

★★★★☆

Accessible parking and entranceway, accessible washrooms in the Saito Centre and administration building with power door access in both buildings. Unisex washrooms by carousel and in First Aid room in the administration building. Accessible carousel ride with ramp. Accessible viewing area of the elephant in the Saito Centre. Accessible picnic site close to camels. Power scooters for rent.

## GOLF COURSES

### Riverside Golf Course

8360 Rowland Road

★☆☆☆☆

Accessible parking, limited access to course greens by wheelchairs and no accessible washrooms. Access is available to main floor of clubhouse.

### Rundle Golf Course

2902 – 118 Avenue

★★★★☆

Accessible parking. Access to main floor of clubhouse, new unisex family washroom and power doors. Accessible golf cart to rent for persons with mobility disabilities. (Cart does not hold a charge for a full round) Golfers can golf while seated and access greens, sand traps and all areas of the course.

### Victoria Golf Course

12130 River Road

★★★★☆

Accessible parking and entranceway with power door access to clubhouse. Unisex washroom on main floor in clubhouse. Access is available to main floor of clubhouse with stairs to upper floor. The driving range has accessible parking, entranceway, washrooms and two accessible tees.



## **ARENAS — INDOOR**

### **North East Edmonton**

#### **Glengarry Arena**

**13340 – 85 Street**

★★★★☆

Accessible parking and entranceway (small lip). Accessible washrooms and changerooms, accessible viewing area, no accessible showers, no access to ice or players boxes.

#### **Londonderry Arena**

**14528 – 66 Street**

★★★★☆

Accessible parking, new front entrance access through the leisure centre. Accessible washrooms and accessible showers. No accessibility to ice surface. New Accessibility to bleachers/ viewing area.

#### **Russ Barnes Arena**

**6725 – 121 Avenue**

★★★★☆

Accessible parking, accessible entrance with small lip, unisex washroom, and accessible changerooms, accessible seating area.

#### **Westwood Arena**

**12040 – 97 Street**

★★★★☆

Accessible parking (North Lot) and entranceway. Accessible washrooms with some minor retrofits required but are useable. Accessible changerooms (on the west side) and accessible viewing area. No power doors at main entrance and doors leading to the rink area.

#### **Clareview Recreation Centre**

**3804 – 139 Avenue**

★★★★★

Accessible parking, and entranceway with power doors, accessible heated viewing areas, accessible meeting rooms, accessible changerooms (#9, #5 and #1) and washrooms.

### **North West Edmonton**

#### **Castle Downs Recreation Centre**

**11520 – 153 Avenue**

★★★★★

Accessible parking and entranceway with power door and accessible payphone and accessible meeting room. Accessible washrooms, changerooms and showers. Heated accessible viewing area in arena A. Access to player's box in arena B.



## **Coronation Arena**

13500 – 112 Avenue



Accessible parking. Accessible entrance and viewing area, access is from the south end and not connected to the lobby. No access to washrooms.

## **Crestwood Arena**

9940 – 147 Street



Accessible parking and entranceway (small lip). Accessible washrooms, viewing area and changerooms. No access to rink.

## **Grand Trunk Arena**

13025 – 112 Street



Accessible parking and ramp at entranceway with power door. Unisex washroom, accessible washrooms and changerooms. Designated integrated seating. Access to rink.

## **Bill Hunter Arena**

9200 – 163 Street



Ramp at entranceway, two unisex washrooms on main level, accessible viewing area available, accessible emergency exit. No access to ice or changerooms — multilevel building.

## **Kinsmen Twin Arenas**

1979 – 111 St



Accessible parking, entrance and viewing areas. Elevator to the second level lounge and viewing area with accessible washrooms.

## **Callingwood Recreation Centre**

17740 – 69 Avenue



Accessible parking, ramp at entranceway and power doors. Accessible washrooms, changerooms and viewing area. Elevator to access floors with Braille lettering. Accessible water fountain.

## **Oliver Arena**

10335 – 119 Street



Accessible parking, accessible ramped entrance. New accessible viewing area. New accessible washrooms and power doors at front entrance. No power doors to viewing area.

## South East Edmonton

### Mill Woods Recreation Centre

7207 – 28 Avenue

★★★★☆

Accessible parking and entranceway through Leisure Centre. Elevator in leisure centre and arena to access floors. Two new accessible family change rooms with accessible stalls are located on the upper level in the hallway between the arenas (with separate entrances from the main washrooms). The accessible washroom on the pool side, second level is still available when the pool is open. Accessible meeting space and limited accessible viewing areas.

### Donnan Arena

9105 – 80 Avenue

★★★★☆

Accessible parking and entranceway (power door), accessible washrooms and changerooms, accessible viewing area and access to rink.



### Michael Cameron Arena

10404 – 56 Street

★★★★☆

Accessible parking, entranceway and viewing area. No accessible washrooms.

### Kenilworth Arena

8311 – 68 A Street

★★★★☆

New accessible parking, accessible washrooms and changerooms, accessible viewing area.

### George S. Hughes South Side Arena

10525 – 72 Avenue

★★★★☆

Accessible parking and entranceway. No accessible washrooms, or change rooms. Has a temporary viewing area accessed from the east end and is not connected to the lobby.



## South West Edmonton

### Confederation Arena

11204 – 43 Avenue

★★★★★

Accessible parking. Elevator to access arena bleachers, fully accessible viewing area, accessible washrooms and showers. One players box fitted for sledge hockey access.

### Tipton Arena

10828 – 80 Avenue

★★★★☆

Accessible parking and entranceway. Accessible washrooms and viewing area. Access to rink.

### Terwillegar

2051 Leger Road NW

★★★★★

Accessible parking and entrance. All dressing rooms are accessible with elevators to the second level and all washroom areas have accessible stalls that are self contained with a sink. 2 of the 4 sheets of ice are set up for sledge hockey. There is accessible warm and cold area viewing on all 4 rinks.

## RIVER VALLEY PARKS

### Criteria for Accessibility Rating of River Valley Parks

★★★★★

The park is fully accessible. Features and facilities meet and exceed the Alberta Building Code and take into consideration universal design principles. Elements of the park including washrooms, entrances, parking, facilities, picnic and viewpoint sites, and recreation areas are barrier free.

★★★★☆

The park is mostly accessible. Some barriers exist in the park or its facilities and improvements are needed to make the park truly barrier free.

★★★☆☆

The park is partially accessible. Barriers exist to fully accessing the park and some important features are not accessible or need major improvements like washrooms.

★★☆☆☆

The park has a few accessible features but barriers exist in the majority of the park's facilities and features. An alternate park may be necessary.

★☆☆☆☆

The park is not accessible and an alternate park is recommended if barrier free access is required.

## **Buena Vista Park**

**13400 Buena Vista Road**



Park is primarily used as an off-leash dog park. Blue emergency phone at the entrance. Two accessible parking stalls lead via curb cut to wide, gravel paths throughout the park. No accessible washrooms, only one non-accessible port-a-potty. Accessible washrooms in Laurier Park are within a minute's driving distance. No paved paths, water fountains or accessible seating in the park.

## **Capilano Park**

**109A Avenue and 50 Street**



No accessible parking stalls. Blue emergency phone available. Wide paved trails and an accessible paved site with seating provides a rest area and access to washrooms inside the building. Washrooms and water fountain are somewhat accessible but need improvement to be barrier free. Viewpoints are not accessible.

## **Dawson Park**

**10286 89 Street**



Accessible parking available. Wide paved trails and an accessible paved site with seating provides a rest area and access to washrooms inside the building. Washrooms and water fountain are partially accessible. Some accessible picnic sites off of the paved path. Blue emergency phone present but help button is high.

## **Emily Murphy Park**

**Saskatchewan Drive and Groat Road**



Numerous accessible parking stalls through out the park lead via curb cuts to a number of accessible picnic sites. Some sites are gravel but the main sheltered picnic site #1 is large, paved and has a paved path to the washrooms. Washrooms are mostly barrier free with the exception of the non-level threshold entrances and the sink areas. Accessible viewpoint near the river. Pay phone available.

## **Forest Heights Park**

**103 Avenue and 84 Street**



Wide paved paths but viewpoints are not accessible. Blue emergency phone available. No washrooms facilities only one non-accessible port-a-potty.

## **Gold Bar Park**

10975 – 50 Street



Two accessible stalls located near entrance to facility. Paths are wide, paved and popular during the winter for cross-country skiing. Accessible viewpoints available throughout park and picnic site #1 is paved, sheltered and has a gravel path to access it from the parking lot. Blue emergency phone available. Facility building is accessible but only the North entrance is barrier free. Washrooms need improvements to be barrier free, particularly the entryways.

## **Government House Park**

Groat Road and River Road



Accessible parking stalls at the entrance to the park. Curb cuts lead to the wide paved paths which travel along the river side up the McKinnon Ravine. Accessible port-a-potty located near the parking lot. Pathways are steep so assistance may be required. Picnic sites and view points are not accessible. No water fountain.

## **Hawrelak Park**

9330 Groat Road



Numerous accessible parking stalls through out the park. Stalls lead via curb cuts to gravel or paved paths to the main building, the amphitheatre, the picnic sites and the paths. Amphitheatre is accessible from paved paths and has designated level seating. Main facility building has a barrier free entrance and interior, and a paved area outside for accessing the lake. Number of washrooms facilities located throughout the park. Washrooms are relatively barrier-free with the exception of the sinks and entrance thresholds. Main sheltered picnic sites #1 and #2 are accessible with washrooms. Blue emergency and pay phones available. Water fountains are not accessible. Picnic shelters #1, 2 & 3 are closed during the winter. Main pavilion is the only washroom facility available year round.



## Henrietta Louise Edwards Park

98 Avenue and 96 Street



Accessible parking stalls with a curb cut lead to the wide paved paths and the paved resting site with seating. Blue emergency phone available. No washrooms. Paths lead to the footbridge to cross the river to the very accessible Louise McKinney Park. Bridge has accessible seating at viewpoint but benches are low and handrails are quite high.

## Hermitage Park

127 Avenue and 36 Street



Accessible parking stall near path entrance to dock/fish pond and a fully accessible port-a-potty. Washrooms in the park building are not accessible. Gravel path with switchback leads to accessible dock and fish pond. Accessible canoe dock with a lift. No water fountains or paved access to picnic sites. Kennendale wetland area has an accessible gravel path around the water with accessible seating and wood dock.

## Jackie Parker

4540 50 Street NW



This newly developed park has excellent accessibility. Accessible parking stalls at the entrance to the park features. Numerous accessible parking stalls around the park. Curb cuts lead to wide paved paths. Blue emergency phones available. No city bus access to park but access to 50 Street with paved access trail 1 km to park. Paths are wide and paved or gravel. Jackie Parker Park Amenity Building has washrooms and water fountains that are accessible. Washrooms are open from 7am to 9pm year round. There are no outdoor water washrooms or fountains. A number of accessible picnic sites, some paved and some gravel. Accessible view points, playground and water spray park.



## **Kinsmen Park**

**9100 Walterdale Road**



Numerous accessible parking stalls located around facilities building and near park. Outdoor pay phones and blue emergency phone, and TTY available within Kinsmen building. Playground has accessible features. No accessible outdoor washrooms. Paths and picnic sites are somewhat accessible. Entrance to Kinsmen building is accessible with well-designed stairs and a switch-back ramp with handrails and a resting area.

## **Laurier Park**

**13400 Buena Vista Road**



Two accessible parking stalls near entrance to the park lead via curb cut to a paved path. Path leads to one paved picnic site with a barbeque and further on to the accessible washrooms. The washrooms are generally barrier free with the exception of tight entry-ways. Blue emergency phone and a payphone available. Water fountain, large sheltered picnic site, and viewpoints of the river are not accessible. Washrooms are closed from Thanksgiving weekend until May long weekend.

## **Louise McKinney Park**

**95 Street and 101 Avenue**



This newly renovated park has excellent accessibility. Accessible parking stalls at the entrance to the park however; parking fees may apply. Curb cut leads to wide paved paths. Blue emergency phones available. Paved picnic sites but no paved paths to access them. Switchback ramp is paved with handrails and leads to the spacious paved promenade which provides plenty of accessible seating, resting and viewpoints. Washrooms are fully accessible. Rose garden has steep slopes and Chinese garden has few handrails so assistance may be required in these areas.

## **McKinnon Ravine**

**149 Street and Stony Plain Road.**



Park consists of a wide paved path which follows the ravine towards the river where it connects with Government House Park. No accessible stalls near Ravine entrances but there are curb cuts to the path. No washrooms, water fountains or accessible seating sites. Closest washroom is the accessible port-a-potty in Government House Park at the end of the path. Path is very steep in places and assistance may be required as there are few flat resting places and no handrails or switchback ramps.

## **Queen Elizabeth Park**

**89 Avenue and 106 Street**



No accessible stalls designated in parking lot. Wide paved paths lead to washrooms but not picnic sites. Washrooms are somewhat accessible with the exception of the large step and steep ramp in the entranceways. Water fountain is not accessible. Picnic sites are on the grass or up on hills and are not accessible. Playground is not accessible. Pay phone is not accessible and no blue emergency phone near washrooms or entry.

## **Rundle Park**

**2903 113 Avenue**



Numerous accessible stalls around the park and near the ACT Aquatic and Recreation centre. No city bus access to the park but DATS provides regular service to the ACT Centre and Rundle Park. Paths are wide and paved or gravel. Family Centre and ACT Centre washrooms and water fountains are accessible. Family Centre washrooms are closed from Thanksgiving until the pond is frozen (ready for skating) and close again between spring thaw and May long weekend. There are no outdoor water washrooms or fountains. A number of accessible picnic sites, some paved and some gravel. Site # 4 is large, paved, sheltered and fully accessible.

Accessible view points, playground and water activities like kayak basketball and adapted canoeing are available. Paddle boats and golf carts can be rented. TTY available in the ACT building. Washrooms near tennis courts are not accessible.

## **Terwillegar**

**156 Street and 36 Avenue**



Park is primarily used as an off-leash dog park. Blue emergency phone available. Two accessible parking stalls are not paved and lead to a gravel path. No accessible washrooms, only a non-accessible port-a-potty situated on the grass. Paths are either gravel or dirt. No water fountains.



## **Victoria Park**

**12130 River Valley Road**

★★★★☆

Two accessible parking stalls in the main parking lot lead via curb cut to a gravel path to the sheltered and paved large picnic site #2. Another smaller picnic site is accessible and off a gravel path. Washrooms are mostly accessible with the exception of the sink and water fountain area. Pay phone and a blue emergency phone available. Park provides close access to the River Valley Road trail system across the street, accessible by curb cuts and a cross walk. River Valley Road trails provide wide paved paths along the side of the river with an accessible view point, seating and an accessible water fountain.

## **Whitemud North**

**Fox Drive and Whitemud Drive**

★★☆☆☆

Two accessible stalls within the park located down the road from the main parking lot but no directional signage to find them. Stalls located near partial gravel picnic site. No paved paths or picnic sites and no water fountains. Washrooms are inaccessible in terms of size, location and a large step to enter them. Available blue emergency phone but no path to access it. New accessible facilities being constructed for fall 2011 opening.

## **Goldstick Park**

**4210 – 101 Avenue**

★★★★☆

Park facility is mostly accessible. Washrooms both upstairs and downstairs in the pavilion are partially accessible. Accessible ramp to access facility. Three accessible parking stalls. Trails in the area have a natural or gravel bed. Trail system would rank 1/5 for accessibility.

This park is home to Little League Baseball and Soccer from April to October. Facility is book able on a year round basis. Facility is not open and available to the public on a daily basis.

## **Rafters Landing**

**9734 – 97 Avenue**

★★☆☆☆

Park trails are accessible from parking lot through to the river boat. Three accessible parking stalls in lot. Picnic sites in area are accessed by a granular trail to sites, rate them 3/5.

Edmonton Queen Office (adjacent parking lot) has an accessible ramp. Washroom facilities minimal, Port-A-Potti May through September.

Access to the gang way ramp to board the Edmonton Queen has a moderate grade.

## IMPORTANT CONTACTS

<b>Citizens Action Centre</b> .....	311
<b>General Information</b> .....	311
<b>Special Needs Recreation Liaison</b> .....	780-496-4917
<b>Leisure Access Program</b> .....	780-496-4918
<b>Edmonton Transit</b> .....	780-496-1611

[edmonton.ca/ereg](http://edmonton.ca/ereg)

### **TTY Transfer Codes**

Dial 780-944-5555

311

Special Needs Recreation Liaison  
DISREC

Advisory Board on Services for Persons with Disabilities (ABSPD)  
DISBOARD

## OTHER SOURCES TO CHECK

[www.edmonton.ca](http://www.edmonton.ca)

These brochures are available at City of Edmonton community facilities or upon request by calling 311:

*Inclusive Recreation for People with Disabilities*

*Priceless Fun*

*Recreational Opportunities for Older Adults*



