

FIELD STATUS REPORT

The City of Nanaimo is committed to maintaining playing fields to the highest standards and utilizes user discretion for best field management to achieve this goal.

Field status is determined through inspection by Parks Operations staff taking into account; the safety and playability of the field, the weather forecast, excessive wear and tear, and potential for damage due to field conditions. Status of fields are classified into three categories:

OPEN: Means a field is available for use. Fields will be deemed **Open** as long as **none** of the following exist:

- Standing water or puddles (ground is saturated)
- Frost or frozen ground
- Snow
- Forecasted severe weather warnings
- Ongoing field repair

DISCRETION: Means that there is potential for the field to become unsafe or damaged due to changing weather conditions. Field(s) with *Discretion* status shall be inspected by the home team coach or referee prior to the commencement of play.

CLOSED: Means there is potential for unsafe conditions or damage to the playing field. If the field is determined as **Closed**, it is the responsibility of the home team to notify the visiting team coach and their association. If a field status says *Closed* by Friday at 2pm it will remain *Closed* until Monday when it is inspected again. There will be no written or verbal reversals of field status after hours or on weekends.

**IF USE OF THE FIELD IN ADVERSE CONDITIONS RESULTS IN EXCESSIVE DAMAGE,
THE FIELD USER MAY BE CHARGED THE FULL COSTS TO REPAIR THE FIELD.**

April 19– April 26, 2024

Last updated: April 19, 2024, 2:00pm

ARTIFICIAL TURF FIELDS	STATUS	COMMENTS
Merle Logan	Open	
Second Artificial (SATF)	Open	
q'unq'inuqwstuxw Stadium	Open	
Harewood West	Open	Field opening Saturday, April 20 - 2:00pm
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NATURAL TURF FIELDS	STATUS	COMMENTS
Serauxmen Stadium	Discretion	
Beban Park Gyro	Discretion	
Bowen West	Discretion	
Caledonia	Discretion	
Comox	Discretion	
Departure Bay	Discretion	
Deverill Square	Discretion	
Diver Lake	Closed	
Elaine Hamilton	Discretion	
Groveland	Discretion	
Harry Wipper	Discretion	
Mansfield	Discretion	
May Bennett – Football	Closed	Closed for field restoration
May Bennett – Rugby	Discretion	
May Bennett – Soccer	Discretion	
Pleasant Valley	Discretion	
Robins	Discretion	
Serauxmen	Discretion	
Sid Clark Gyro Park	Discretion	

If you have any questions or concerns, please call Parks Operations at **(250) 755-7515**.

