



The Southport Snapshot

May 2024



Last Month in Southport

May was an exciting and busy month in Southport. Here are some highlights from May:

- Southport launched an updated website! The fresh new look and enhanced features are designed to make your online experience even better. Visit [Southport.ca](https://southport.ca) to see the new look!
- Southport staff attended a Flag Raising Ceremony of the Treaty One and Métis Flag hosted by KF Aerospace in front of the Hilly Brown Building. The ceremony included drums and Indigenous songs followed by a presentation from Robert Falcon Ouellette from Red Pheasant Cree Nation in Saskatchewan. This was an insightful learning opportunity for staff to take part in.
- In early May, Jeff Bereza, MLA for Portage la Prairie, introduced a private members statement to honour the 2024 Manitoba Airshow. Southport thanks MLA Bereza for acknowledging the dedication and effort behind this premier aviation spectacle.
- Members of Southport's Marketing Team attended the Portage la Prairie & District Chamber's Annual Golf Tournament. At hole 10, Southport and the Manitoba Airshow challenged golfers with a plane toss for a chance to win tickets to the 2024 Manitoba Airshow!
- Peggy May, CEO of Southport, was interviewed on CTV Morning Live! During the interview, Peggy highlighted what Southport has to offer, including the recreation opportunities on-site, the upcoming Manitoba Airshow, and Barker Hotel & Suites - the perfect place to stay while you explore Southport!
- The Southport Marketing Team spent a day in the Royal Aviation Museum of Western Canada volunteering for Aerospace and Aviation in Manitoba (AAiM) Day! AAiM Day promotes awareness, education, and highlights career opportunities in the local aerospace and aviation industries. Southport looks forward to hosting a similar event highlighting Aircraft Maintenance Engineers, AME Day, for local grade eight students at the RRC Polytech - Stevenson Campus Southport in June!
- The official contract signing of the Future Aircrew Training (FACT) Program, an RCAF training program operated within, and in partnership with, Southport Aerospace Centre was signed in Ottawa. This transformative initiative, worth a projected value of \$11.2 billion across the 3 training sites (Moose Jaw and Winnipeg included), will solidify the future of the RCAF for the next 25 years and will ensure continued flight training, and the economic impact that comes with it, within Southport, Manitoba.



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New Building, New Beginnings

More exciting progress is underway at the site of Southport's new administration building. The framing and air and vapor barrier are now complete. This week, the roofing and main floor concrete topping are in progress. Stay tuned as the building progresses through the Summer.



Commercial Opportunities in Southport

The Southport Building located on 185 Centenaire Drive, is a multi-tenant facility with available space to lease for short-term. The space is ideal for classroom or office space and is available to lease, today!

Contact Southport Business Development Team for any inquiries:

 dalbot@southport.ca  204.870.0613

Beautifying the Community

Chance 2 Grow Program

The Southport Facilities Maintenance Team were busy planting flowers from the Chance 2 Grow Program throughout the site as part of their annual fundraiser.

Yard Beautification Contest

Attention Southport residents! Spruce up your yards to create a neighbourhood bursting with colour and charm. The first check will be completed in June!

FOD Walk

Southport staff participated in a foreign object debris (FOD) walk around Southport collecting garbage and loose items that pose as a potential hazard for aircraft. It was a fun way to spend time outdoors with co-workers!





The Recreation Report

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Southport Golf Club

Mixed League

Mixed League is about having fun and making new friends! Mixed League is every Thursday evening until Mid-October. **Shotgun Start: All teams are to tee off at 6:00 PM**

There is a green fee to pay the clubhouse each league night - you can pay per round, or purchase a punch card or membership. Cart rentals are first come, first serve. There is also a one-time registration fee for the league, \$25 per golfer, please pay your registration on your first golf night.

Each week there will be prizes awarded according to the week's games. Weekly prizes are donated by the esteemed Apex Aesthetics and Supplement King.

Enjoy clubhouse specials after your round! - \$20 Pizza Special, \$20 Nacho Special, and \$4.50 drafts!

Please get in touch with Southport Golf Club to register! Call 204.428.3174 or email golfcourse@southport.ca - Participants must register!

Father's Day

Treat Dad, Grandpa, and all the father figures in your life to a delicious breakfast at Southport Golf Club this Father's Day, Sunday, June 16th, from 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM!

For just \$12.95 +tax per person, Dad can enjoy a filling spread of breakfast favourites with free coffee and tea! After breakfast, grab a bucket of balls and head to the driving range – buckets are half off! Please call ahead to confirm your table at 204.428.3174.

Central Plains RecPlex

Smoothies at Brews + Bites

Sip, Sip, Hooray! Whether you're craving a burst of fruity flavour or a creamy indulgence, we've got you covered for only \$4.50! We are now offering two types: Very Berry, a delicious blend of fruit, or Chunky Monkey, a peanut butter, chocolate, and banana blend! Add a scoop of protein powder for \$2.00! Swing by Brews + Bites today and treat yourself!

Summit into Summer!

School's out! Celebrate summer with FREE rock climbing!

Students from the Portage la Prairie School Division (K-12) can ROCK into the start of summer and come climb with us for FREE on Friday, June 28th, from 1:00 PM – 6:00 PM. Advanced registration is REQUIRED! Call Central Plains RecPlex at **204.428.6050** or email recreation@southport.ca.

Limited spots are available, with only 8 people in the pit at a time. Youth aged 15 and under must be accompanied by an adult.

Father's Day at Southport Bowl

Join us on Saturday, June 15th, and Sunday, June 16th, for a two-day Father's Day celebration. Treat your dad to a rock 'n' bowl time, or gather the whole family for a heartwarming bowling experience. Affordable prices starting at \$33 for a fantastic bowling experience. No need to worry about shoe rentals – it's on us! Make your Father's Day plans in advance and celebrate fun and laughter at Southport Bowl! Reserve your Father's Day lane and bundle!

Pins & Popcorn!

All June long, bowlers at Southport Bowl will enjoy free popcorn when they book a lane. Come join the fun, roll some strikes, and snack on delicious popcorn throughout your game. Don't miss out on this tasty deal! *One bag of popcorn per lane rental.

Stay in the Swing of Things!

Stay informed through Southport Golf Club's social media account for facility updates, events, and promotions.

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DoorDash Southport Golf Club!

Southport Golf Club menu is now available on DoorDash!

Now you can enjoy our delicious golf course meals from the comfort of home! Order now on DoorDash and have your favourite dishes delivered straight to your door with just a few clicks!



Member of the Month

Congratulations to our May Member of the Month, Curran Ice!



Curran has been a member of the Central Plains RecPlex since 2021!

After breaking his knee cap playing hockey in February, he took time off from the gym for rehabilitation.

Now, he's back to his routine at the RecPlex for workouts and physiotherapy sessions. He aims to regain his lost weight and stay consistent with his gym visits.

Congratulations Curran, for your success using the Central Plains RecPlex facility!