

LAYRITZ PARK

Area: Rural Saanich

Location: Layritz Avenue

Size: approx. 29.1 ha

Amenities:



Dog Restrictions



Naturescape



Trails



Picnic Areas



Green Space



Parking



Baseball



Disc Golf



Interpretive Signs



Playground



Soccer

About the Park:

In 1953, Richard Layritz donated 15.5 acres (6.27Ha) to the Saanich with the stipulation that they be fenced in and used as a park for children. A plaque commemorating this donation is on a rock near the parking lot. Today, this large community park is home to [Layritz Little League](#), the [Prospect Lake Soccer Club](#) and the [Layritz Intermediate Baseball Association](#).



Accessed primarily from Layritz Place, the park is also accessible from Markham Road at the [Vancouver Island Technology Park](#) (VITP). Although this is a pay parking lot, Layritz Park users can park for free Monday to Friday 5:30 p.m. to 10 p.m. and Saturday, Sunday and Holidays 7 a.m. to 10 p.m.

With seven ball diamonds (T-ball, softball and baseball), one artificial turf soccer field, walking trails, picnic area and a playground, there is lots to do in the park! Want to reserve a space in the park? Submit a [park permit request application](#).

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The large playground includes a climbing net, bouldering rocks, swings and a separate structure for the younger 2 to 5 year old children.

Remember, [dogs must always be under effective control](#) as well as be leashed if within 10m of the playground. Dogs are not allowed in fenced baseball fields from March 1 to October 31.



In 2018 the parking lot was updated with new drainage, fully paved and lined. It now has 111 parking stalls, including dedicated accessible parking spots and a drop off/pick up zone.



New in 2018 is a disc golf course! This 9 hole course starts near the VITP side of the park and weaves through an open field full of small trees and shrubs.



Google map link: <https://goo.gl/maps/FfgQAU8812t>

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