



The Southport Snapshot

May 2026



Last Month in Southport

Here are some highlights from the month of May in Southport.

- **Staff Updates:** Southport welcomed two new team members!
 - Connor Knott - Facilities Maintenance Summer Student
 - Ron MacLellan - ARFF Fire Chief
- **Southport Scholarships:** A key investment priority for Southport through its Corporate Stewardship Program is to support those pursuing higher education and professional development. Visit [Southport.ca](https://southport.ca) or [click here](#) to learn more about this year's scholarship opportunities.
- **Southport Corporate Stewardship:** Southport has updated the application process for its Corporate Stewardship Program. Applications are now accepted during scheduled intake periods and reviewed quarterly, rather than on a rolling basis. The deadline for events or courses taking place between July 1st and September 30, 2026, is June 15, 2026. Applicants will be notified of approval or decline at least two weeks before the start of the applicable quarter. **To apply, click here.**
- **Welcome JEM Muscle Therapy Inc. to the Southport Community:** Southport is pleased to welcome JEM Muscle Therapy Inc. as its newest tenant at the Central Plains RecPlex. Be sure to give them a warm welcome and check out their new setup!
- **Southport Proudly Sponsors Portage Poultry Pal Program:** Southport is proud to sponsor the Portage Poultry Pal Program, a six-week hands-on learning experience focused on poultry care, food sustainability, and community connection. Participation more than doubled this year, growing from approximately 15 participants in 2025 to 31 participants in 2026.
- **Southport Staff Serve Community Members at the Soup Kitchen:** As part of its commitment to community connection and giving back, Southport staff volunteered at the Highway Community Kitchen on May 12th. Working alongside the kitchen team, staff helped prepare and serve meals in a welcoming environment, supporting a positive experience for community members.
- **Southport Supports Aerospace and Aviation in Manitoba Day (AAiM) Day 2026 as Sponsor and Volunteer:** Southport was proud to sponsor and volunteer at AAiM Day on May 22nd in Winnipeg. The event welcomed approximately 700 Grade 6 students, introducing them to Manitoba's aerospace, defence, and aviation sectors through interactive, hands-on activities.
- **Southport Staff Participate in RCAF 5K Run/Walk:** On May 29th, Southport staff took part in the RCAF 5K Run/Walk, a fitness initiative organized by the Royal Canadian Air Force and supported by Canadian Forces Morale and Welfare Services. Held on the Southport runway, the event promoted health, wellness, teamwork, and community spirit while encouraging an active lifestyle within the defense community.



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Southport Staff Cultural Learning Experiences

Southport staff recently took part in two meaningful cultural learning opportunities aimed at fostering reflection, understanding, and connection.

On May 8th, staff participated in a Ribbon Skirt/Vest Workshop led by Jeanna Emms and Debbie Parker from the Portage Friendship Centre at the Eagle's Fire Youth Centre. The session provided hands-on learning in a creative and welcoming environment, while highlighting the significance, history, and teachings behind ribbon skirts and vests.

On May 29th, staff also participated in Sweat Lodge Day, a powerful experience centred on cultural learning, reflection, and Indigenous teachings. The day offered participants a deeper understanding of traditions within a respectful and supportive setting.

Southport extends sincere gratitude to the facilitators, Knowledge Keepers, and organizers for generously sharing their time, teachings, and guidance through both experiences.



The Recreation Report

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Central Plains RecPlex

Summer Day Camps

From July 13th - August 21th, Central Plains RecPlex is offering weekly summer day camps for children ages 6 to 12. Campers can enjoy a variety of activities, including rock climbing, bowling, skill-building games, and cooking lessons. Lunch will be provided on Tuesdays and Thursdays. Register online or in person, at a cost of \$100 per week. If registering through Chance 2 Camp or Jumpstart, please email: recreation@southport.ca to complete registration.

Summer Facility Rental Deal

Looking to stay active this summer? Take advantage of 50% off regular booking at the gymnasium and Rock-Climbing wall throughout July, and August! Please note that bookings take priority over drop-ins.

Summer Drink Specials

Cool down after a workout with a refreshing treat from Brews + Bites inside Central Plains RecPlex! Try the new Strawberry Sunset Smoothie, icy-cold, refreshing, and packed with sweet strawberry flavour, perfect for a hot summer day. Or grab an iced latte and take advantage of a limited-time offer: Buy one iced latte and get a second 50% off! *Buy one, get one 50% off offer valid on iced lattes only.

The Approach Golf Sim & Lounge

No Rain Delays in Sight

Book simulator time at The Approach Golf Sim & Lounge for just \$35 per hour, all week long. Enjoy hyper-realistic golf simulation, a premium lounge atmosphere, and delicious offerings from Brews + Bites, perfect for your next hangout, practice session, or casual round with friends. Rain or shine, keep your game sharp with no forecast required.

Southport Bowl

Strike & Slice at Southport Bowl

Southport Bowl invites guests to take advantage of the Strike & Slice special. For \$30, enjoy a complete bowling experience featuring a 1-hour lane rental for up to 6 people, shoe rentals, and one pizza included.

\$5 Neon Nights

The glow is on and it's here to stay! Every Tuesday, you can enjoy one game of bowling plus your shoe rental for just \$5. Deal includes: one game and a pair of shoes.

Southport Golf Club

Canada Day Deal

Celebrate our great nation on the greens this Canada Day with 50% off all tee times on Wednesday, July 1st.

Father's Day at Southport Golf Club

On Sunday, June 21st all dads will receive a FREE 1/2 bucket of driving range balls.

Stay in the Swing of Things!

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

- 204.428.6030
- @SouthportGolfClub
- @SouthportGolfMB
- SouthportGolfClub.ca

Stay on Track!

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- 204.428.6050
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FREE

YOUTH GOLF LESSONS

Wednesday Evenings
July 15 - August 19, 2026

Ages 6 - 9
4:30 PM - 5:15 PM

Ages 10 - 14
5:30 PM - 6:15 PM

Pre-Registration
First come first serve basis

Parents
Parental supervision required

Six Lessons
Commitment to all lessons is encouraged

CLICK HERE

Canada Day Holiday Hours

Southport Golf Club: 8:00 AM - 9:00 PM

Southport Bowl: Closed

The Approach: Closed

Central Plains RecPlex: Closed

Reminder: 24-hour Fitness Centre access remains available to Whole Facility Members.