



Parks, Recreation & Culture

Dear Homestay Parent/Guardian/Caregiver:

**RE: Access to Delta Recreation Centres for Delta School District Homestay Students**

Safety of patrons is the top priority of Delta's Parks, Recreation & Culture Department. Communication between our staff and patrons is the key to maintaining a safe, enjoyable place to learn and recreate. Therefore, until your homestay child knows enough English for basic communication and they become familiar with the rules and expectations at Delta Recreation Centres, we require an English speaking parent, guardian or caregiver to accompany them when using the facility. This adult must be with the child.

The first time you bring your homestay student, you will need to bring proof of their birth date (a passport is the most commonly presented document for foreign students) and proof of your address to obtain a photo ID Facility Admission Card. If you do not yet have such a card for yourself, you will be required to get one as well. These cards are required to attend and can be used at all of Delta's recreation facilities. Both you and the child will need to bring this card when attending a facility.

Once the child understands more English, they may attend by themselves, provided they:

- Are over the age of 7;
- Have their Facility Admission Card with them plus alternate contact information if no one is at home;
- Understand and abide by the Code of Conduct

If our staff believes that a child is unable to meet the requirements above, they will not be allowed to enter. If they are already in the facility, they may be asked to leave.

We ask that you explain the expectations to your homestay children as best you can and follow these requirements for the safety and enjoyment of everyone. If you have questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at 604-952-3052 or [dlacroix@delta.ca](mailto:dlacroix@delta.ca).

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "DLacroix".

Danielle Lacroix  
Recreation Complex Facility Manager

# Code of Conduct

The City of Delta wants to ensure that your visit to any Delta facility is an enjoyable experience. Delta has a Code of Conduct whereby all patrons are expected to behave in an appropriate manner and be respectful of each other, our staff and our facilities.

There will be ZERO TOLERANCE of inappropriate behaviour, which includes:

- **OFFENSIVE LANGUAGE**
- **UNSAFE ACTIONS**
- **LOITERING**
- **DAMAGE/VANDALISM/THEFT/LITTERING**
- **DISREGARDING FACILITY RULES**
- **UNDER THE INFLUENCE OF DRUGS AND/OR ALCOHOL**
- **FIGHTING/BULLYING AND/OR HARASSMENT**

**FAILURE TO COMPLY WITH THE CODE OF CONDUCT  
WILL RESULT IN BANISHMENT FROM ALL DELTA FACILITIES.**