



PRESS RELEASE

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Berry Nice Spray Park shares grand opening with Canada Day

Come have some fun on July 1 when Woodlands County celebrates the grand opening of the Berry Nice Spray Park in Blue Ridge in conjunction with the Blue Ridge Community League's Canada Day festivities.

A toonie pancake breakfast at Mama Gray's Kitchen will kick off the day, followed by the grand opening celebrations at the spray park site. Families will enjoy an assortment of games, along with free face painting, a magic show, a Woodlands County fire truck display, a barbecue and, of course, fun under the sun in the cool waters of the park.

"The community of Blue Ridge has taken great pride in the local spray park, and we are thrilled to share the park's grand opening with the community league's Canada Day festivities," said Dean Bradford, Woodlands County Director of Community Services. "This is a great event to bring the entire community together to kick off the summer season and celebrate a park that will become a recreational staple for present and future residents."

Bradford added that support for the project has been tremendous from local groups such as the Blue Ridge Community League. A donation from Blue Ridge Lumber in the amount of \$10,000 was also received toward the park's development.

Planning for the Blue Ridge Spray Park has been in the works for two years, while project construction wrapped up in 2008.

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Events Schedule

9 a.m. – 11 a.m. Toonie Pancake Breakfast (Mama Gray's)

11 a.m. Spray Park Grand Opening

11 a.m. – 1 p.m. Spray Park Fun & Games:

- Free Face Painting
- Singing of 'O Canada'
- Magic Show
- Woodlands County Fire Truck Display
- Kids' Games
- Barbecue – sponsored by Woodlands County