



Public Announcement

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2022 Bay Beach Pass Update

FORT ERIE (May 26, 2022)

The Town of Fort Erie has decided to pause the launch of a new electronic (online) purchasing process for Bay Beach passes until the 2023 season to ensure a high level of functionality and service is provided to beachgoers. The Town will continue with the familiar physical card system that has been in place for the past three years for residents and commercial season pass holders. To help lower costs for families, children 12 years old and under can access the beach for free all season, whether a resident or just visiting.

Residents

Until the season passes become available for purchase, we ask that residents of Fort Erie please bring proof of residency or property ownership with them to the beach, in order to receive free beach access. Once the season passes are available, sales will take place at the Bay Beach main entrance.

Non-residents

Paid admission for the 2022 beach season for non-residents will begin on Friday, June 3rd and be available on-site at the beach. The cost for a day pass is \$5.00 per person for beach access Mondays through Thursdays, and \$10.00 per person for Friday through Sundays, and on holidays.

Parking

Payment for on-street parking will also begin on Friday, June 3rd. Payment for parking in the Beach municipal parking lots was effective May 1st. For more details on parking at the beach, please visit the Town's Bay Beach Parking Page at: <https://www.forterie.ca/pages/BayBeachParking>.

Commercial Passes

Operators of Short-Term Rentals will be contacted when Commercial passes become available for the 2022 Beach Season.

Before planning a trip to the beach, residents are encouraged to visit our website to view daily beach capacity and updated information at:
<https://www.forterie.ca/pages/BayBeachAdmissionParkingRules>.

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