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## **Fort Erie Parks promote Optimized Health and Social Well-being in the Community**

FORT ERIE (July 6, 2022) – The Town of Fort Erie is excited to announce the recent opening of Spears Park on June 29 and the completion of Phase 2 of Crystal Ridge Park on July 1.

### **Spears Park Now Open**

Spears Park is a half-acre lot at the corner of Meadowood St. and Kerby St., in the recently constructed Spears Estate subdivision off Spears Rd., within a short walking distance of Garrison Road Public School. The park provides a multi-use facility that includes a play structure suitable for a range of ages, a basketball and play court surface, a shade pavilion, benches, and a bike rack. The park design aims to provide these amenities for a cross-section of the community.

### **Phase 2 of Crystal Ridge Park Completed**

Crystal Ridge Park is a community park located behind the Crystal Ridge Arena and Library. The park has been undergoing a phased renovation. Phase 2 improvements opened to the public on July 1, 2022, and include a 4-court pickleball facility and shade structure, two dog parks, and a new parking lot off Rebstock Road. In addition, benches, picnic tables, and bike racks are provided throughout.

Phase 1 improvements opened in 2019 and include an open-air pavilion, a senior playground, a junior playground, a tennis/pickleball court, a multi-use court for basketball and ball hockey, and a toboggan hill for winter enjoyment.

For more information please visit:

[Media Kit \(photos\)](#)

<https://www.forterrie.ca/pages/CrystalRidgeParkImprovements>

<https://www.forterrie.ca/pages/SpearsPark>

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