

Kinsmen Play Village Project Q&A

What is Kinsmen Play Village?

Kinsmen Play Village featured a paddling pool and accessible playground that provided fun for children of all ages in various forms since 1930. It is located in Kinsmen Park, at the west end of the park off 26th Street East next to the YWCA building.

What is PotashCorp Playland at Kinsmen Park?

Included in the first phase of the Kinsmen Park and Area Master Plan (Master Plan) was the development of PotashCorp Playland at Kinsmen Park, which opened to the public on August 5, 2015. In addition to the three main attractions - the Canpotex train, Ferris wheel and carousel - PotashCorp Playland has an enhanced children's play area, which is free for all to enjoy. Included in the water, sand and natural play area are:

Sand Play:	Water Play:	Climbing Area:
Double cable ride	Water engineering table	Hill slide
Log climber	Forest fountain spray feature	Dutch disc
Dome mountain	Water scale	Pyramid tower with slide
Concrete stepping stones	Jets	Spinner bowls
		Double saucer swing

What is happening to Kinsmen Play Village now that PotashCorp Playland has opened?

Kinsmen Play Village paddling pool, building structures, and old concrete are scheduled to be removed mid to late September (weather dependent) and removal of the buildings and concrete is expected to take approximately two weeks.

Following the demolition of the buildings and old concrete, revitalization of the park area will begin. This will include landscaping and planting grass to bring the area back to a natural park space. This work is scheduled to be completed by spring/summer 2017.

What will happen to the play features such as the playground equipment and Pelican slide?

The existing accessible playground structure, tot lot play structure, saucer swings, and balance beam will remain in Kinsmen Park. The rubber safety surface will be replaced spring 2017. The popular pelican slide has been donated to the Children's Discovery Museum and will be incorporated into the new Children's Discovery Museum at the Mendel building.







What public safety requirements will be in place during the demolition?

The City will position temporary fencing adjacent to the accessible play and tot lot play structures to ensure there is no access to the demolition area and that the play structures are safe to use.

How do I learn more?

For more information about the Kinsmen Park Master Plan, please visit Saskatoon.ca/potashcorpplayland

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