

Welcome to The RM of Cornwallis

RM of Cornwallis Relocation Guide

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Rural Municipality of Cornwallis

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(4:30 pm July & August)

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Welcome to the Rural Municipality of Cornwallis

Thank you for your request regarding information about the Rural Municipality of Cornwallis. The decision to relocate is often a difficult one. If you choose or have chosen Rural Municipality of Cornwallis as your new home you will not regret the decision.

The RM of Cornwallis offers a peaceful rural setting with immediate access to city amenities. Due to the our close proximity to the City of Brandon, most community services and facilities are available in Brandon. Agricultural and rural acreages, residential properties, along with commercial and industrial businesses are scattered throughout the R.M. of Cornwallis, creating a diverse landscape.

The major economic impetus in The RM of Cornwallis is agriculture. Most residents employed in Cornwallis are either employed in farming or in agricultural businesses and services. The municipality's largest employer is the Canadian Forces Base Shilo. The base employs approximately 114 local residents in various functions.

A Bit of History

Prior to 1884, the large area surrounding the City of Brandon was called Brandon County. This county was subdivided and one subdivision became known as the Municipality of Cornwallis. Settlers came to the area because of the rich soils and helped Brandon grow into a bustling centre that continues to serve the surrounding farmland and smaller settlements of the area. The RM of Cornwallis was officially incorporated in 1884.



Phone: (204) 727-7956
Internet: www.welcomewagon.ca

Call Welcome Wagon for the following occasions:

- Recently moved to Brandon / Shilo area
- Planning a Wedding
- Birth of Baby

This Free Service provides civic information and gifts from local businesses with no obligation to purchase. Our Bridal Showcase is held twice a year. Our representative visits as a guest in your home with an aim to help and welcome. Call Welcome Wagon, Canada's Neighbourhood Tradition since 1930.

The following services/amenities are serviced through Brandon. Please refer to the appropriate section of the relocation guide for detailed information.

Activity and Group Contacts

Adult Education – Basic Upgrading ~ Literacy Programs
Child Care Services
Churches
Community Events
Emergency Services
Employment Opportunities
Health Information & Health Services
Library
License Information
Moving & Storage Companies
Postal Services
Post-Secondary Education
Realtor Service & Rental Housing
Recreation
Seniors Housing & Seniors Organizations
Tourist Attractions and Tourist Information
Utility services

The Rural Municipality of Cornwallis's office is located just east of the City of Brandon on PR 457. Turn east on to Pr 457 from 1st Street (Brandon) – travel 1km - turn north on the access road. The Municipal office is located just behind the RCMP station.

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Housing

The RM of Cornwallis has a wide variety of styles and range of housing prices available. Prices range from \$ 30,000 (limited no.) to \$ 150,000+.

The RM of Cornwallis has experienced continuous growth and expansion due to its close proximity to Brandon and amenable development policies. The developers listed below own subdivisions in the RM of Cornwallis and actively market their properties. Other developers may contact Brandon Economic Development and the Municipality should they wish their development to be included on this list.

Name	Contact Person	Location of Subdivision
Birdel Acres	Don Coombs George Ranson Bill Nichols, C21 761-0141 or 725-0555	NE 27-10-17 Size: ½ to 2 1/2 acre lots Price: \$ 17,000 – 26,000 Hydro & telephone is underground and there is central water.
EagleRidge Development	Nancy Neufeld 727-3275	SW 32-10-19 9 lots available – hydro + phone service to lot Size: 2-5 Acres Price: \$28,000 - \$38,000
Gray Knight Subdivision	Don & Shirley Gray 728-7468	NE 30-10-19 7 lots available –phone service to lot Size: 2 Acres Price: \$32,000 - \$40,000
Deerridge Developers (outside CFB Shilo)	Wally Selent 763-8867	NE 12-10-17 18 lots available – (second phase 24 lots) - no service to lot Size: 2 acres Price: \$5,000 - \$7,000

There are three mobile home parks in the RM of Cornwallis. Please contact each mobile park to determine the availability of pad rentals or rental units.

Name	Contact Person	Location
Campbell's Mobile Home Park Located near Chater, 10 km from Brandon.	Elaine Campbell 728-9658	Some Mobile Rentals Pad Rental - \$129 - \$191.00 - includes water, septic, Compacting garbage truck onsite
Crang's Mobile Home Park Located in Sprucewoods just outside CFB Shilo. 28 km from Brandon	Jim Crang 763-4373	Some Mobile Rentals \$350 - \$400.00 Pad Rental - \$108.09 includes water, septic, RM garage pick up Tuesday 8 am
Sprucewoods Mobile Home Park Located in Sprucewoods just outside CFB Shilo. 28 km from Brandon	Wally Selent 763-8867	Some Mobile Rentals \$350 - \$500.00 Pad Rental - \$175.00 includes water, septic, municipal taxes RM garage pick up - Tuesday 8 am – lot size 150'x150' (1/2 Acre) or larger

Realtors serving the RM of Cornwallis
All MLS Data can be found at www.mls.ca

Century 21 West-Man Realty Ltd. Location: 244 – 10 th Street	Kit Harrison Realty Phone: (204) 729-0908
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Phone: Brandon, MB R7A 4E8 (204) 725-0555 Fax: (204) 727-0377 Website: www.c21westman.com	Website: www.kitharrisonrealty.com
Collins Realty Inc. Location: Box 21026 Brandon, MB R7B 3W8 Phone: (204) 726-0606 Fax: (204) 729-8295	Re/Max Valleyview Realty Location: 1040 Princess Avenue Brandon, MB R7A 0P8 Phone: (204) 729-3550 Fax: (204) 729-8290 Website: www.mls.ca/brokers/valleyview
Cowie Real Estate Location: 1016 Rosser Avenue Brandon, MB R7A 0L6 Phone: (204) 727-2388 Fax: (204) 727-3405	Roland Weir Realty & Appraisal Location: 30 A – 1015 26 th Street Brandon, MB R7B 2B9 Phone: (204) 727-7100 Fax: (204) 727-1563
Fred Miller Real Estate Location: 1034 – 4 th Street Brandon MB R7A 3J3 Phone: (204) 728-0265	Royal LePage / Martin-Liberty Realty Location: 633 – 18 th Street Brandon, MB R7A 5B3 Phone: (204) 725-8800 Fax: (204) 726-1378 Website: www.marlib.com or www.royallepage.ca
Homelife Home Professional Realty Inc. Location: 108 – 18 th Street Brandon MB R7A 5A4 Phone: (204) 726-5340 Fax: (204) 726-8293 Website: www.homelifepro.com	Wheat City Home Inspections Location: 36 Wakomma Drive Brandon MB R7B 3A5 Phone: (204) 724-2911 Fax: (204) 728-1112 Email: dfmiles@westman.wave.ca

Brandon Personal Care Homes

Brandon has five personal care homes offering a wide selection of services and amenities. A list of personal care homes along with their amenities is available by calling 729-2132 or by emailing econdev@brandon.ca

Central Park Lodge	728-2030	3015 Victoria Avenue, Brandon, MB R7B 2K2
Dinsdale	727-3636	510-6 th Street, Brandon, MB R7A 3N9
Fairview Home	728-6696	1351-13 th Street, Brandon, MB R7A 4S6
Hillcrest Place	728-6690	930-26 th Street, Brandon, MB R7B 2B8
Rideau Park	727-1734	525 Victoria Avenue E, Brandon, MB R7A 6S9

Moving & Storage Companies Serving the RM of Cornwallis

Canada Moving & Storage 938 Douglas Street (204) 729-8647 phone or Email: unicume@mb.sympatico.ca offers local, long distance, U.S.A. and International moving service. Custom packing and crating services are available. Container service is

available. Short and long term storage is available. Fully-trained bonded professional moving personnel. Offers Air Miles.

Howard's Van & Storage Ltd 1440 Park Avenue (204) 728-6019 phone, (204) 726-1433 fax , Email: dhoward@mb.sympatico.ca or visit their website: www.howardsvan.com Howard's Van & Storage Ltd. is a family owned and operated relocation service. Services offered are packing/unpacking, office and electronics moving, container and government approved warehouse storage options.

Spare Closet 1035 – 20th Street (204) 728-1811
Mini warehouse where you “store it, lock it, and you keep the key.” Sizes range from 5x5 to 10x20. Short term and long term leasing is available.

Tim's Transfer D-620 Richmond Avenue E (204) 728-1614 phone & fax.
Locally owned and operated. Will move within a 20 mile radius of Brandon.

Trans Can Mini-Stor 355 Park Avenue E (204) 727-7876 phone, Toll free 1-888-737-0793, Email: ministor@netscape.net offers a variety of sizes ranging from between 5x5 to a 20x20. The storage units complement all seasons and provide climate control units. An electronic gate access and an on-site resident manager protect secure and sensible units. Ask about their courtesy trailer.

Allied Van Lines Agents	398 Park Avenue East	(204) 726-4346
Dinsdale Cartage & Storage	372 Park Avenue East	(204) 728-3307
G&B Movex Ltd.		(204) 728-1132
Lawrence Moving & Storage		(204) 729-9292
Smooth Movers	1604 Moreland Avenue	(204) 726-1900
Gaurdian Storage	342 Park Avenue East	(204) 728-7867
Lone Star Rentals	323 Park Avenue East	(204) 725-0901

Education

****Division Boundaries:** The RM of Cornwallis boundaries include three separate school Divisions. To determine which School Division your children will attend, please call one of the Municipal offices listed below. Please have the Section; Township & Range of your property available when you place the call.

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Phone: 204-725-8686

Fax: 204-725-3659

Email: info@gov.cornwallis.mb.ca

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1. Brandon School Division

Brandon School Division No. 40 – Information for New Residents

Location: 1031 – 6th Street
Brandon, MB R7A 4K5

Phone: (204) 729-3100

Fax: (204) 727-2217

E-mail: info@brandonsd.mb.ca

Website: <http://www.brandonsd.mb.ca/bsd>

It is also important that you check with the Secretary-Treasurer's Dept. (204) 729-3114 to confirm if your property falls within Brandon School Division boundaries.

Brandon School Division has approximately 8,000 students, 900 staff members and operates 23 schools. The division is large enough to offer the wide range of educational and student support services found in larger centres, but at the same time, it is small enough to recognize individual needs. Brandon is the 7th largest division in the Province in terms of pupil enrolment and its budget exceeds \$42 million. There are 3 high schools and 20 early and middle years schools in Brandon School Division. French Immersion programming is offered from K-S4 at 3 division schools, O'Kelly School at CFB Shilo, New Era School and Neelin High School. The division also offers Vocational Training, at Crocus Plains Regional Secondary School.

Information for New Residents

To Register During the School Year: Students are requested to appear at their nearest school. Assistance with school identification is available from the School Division Administration Office, telephone (204) 729-3100.

Measles Immunization: A regulation of the Manitoba Department of Health requires that each student have an immunization form filled out and signed by a medical doctor or registered nurse stating that the student has been immunized for measles. For more information contact the Public Health Unit, Provincial Building, 340 – 9th Street. (204) 726-6215

School Catchment Areas: Kindergarten to Grade 8 students are requested to visit their neighborhood school to enroll. Catchment area boundaries apply at the K-8 levels and information to that regard is available at your local school or at the division's Administration Office, 1031-6th Street. Catchment boundaries do not apply at the S1-S4 level. Students are eligible to apply at any of the 3 high schools. Senior 1 – 4 Vocational programming is offered at Crocus Plains Regional Secondary School. Assistance with

school identification is available from the Brandon School Division Administration Office, (204) 729-3100.

Outside Brandon City Limits:

Students residing more than one mile from school are eligible for transportation to and from school. NOTE: Other exceptions apply.

For further details regarding eligibility for transportation please check with the Supervisor of Transportation – (204) 729-3975.

The Brandon School Division Schools

www.brandonsd.mb.ca

School	Address	Phone	Grades
Alexander	Box 21, Alexander	(204) 752-2251	K-8
Beecher	Spring Valley Hutterite Colony	(204) 728-3840	K-S4
Betty Gibson	701-12 th St.	(204) 729-3965	K-6
Crocus Plains	1930-1 st St.	(204) 729-3900	Senior 1 to Senior 4
Earl Oxford	540-18 th St.	(204) 729-3270	7-8 Middle Years SSP
Fleming	2320 Louise Ave.	(204) 729-3242	K-6; Junior & Senior Learning Assistance Classes
George Fitton	1129-3 rd St.	(204) 729-3220	K-5; Primary Life Skills
Green Acres	335 Queens Ave E.	(204) 729-3265	K-6
Harrison	415 Queens Ave.	(204) 729-3200	6-8; Middle years SSP
J.R. Reid	813-26 th St.	(204) 729-3955	K-8; Primary/Junior/Senior Learning Assistance Classes
King George	535 Park St.	(204) 729-3990	K-8; Middle Years SSP
Kirkcaldy Heights	10 Knowlton Dr.	(204) 729-3290	K-8
Linden Lanes	49 Silverbirch Drive	(204) 729-3260	K-8
Meadows	1220-22 nd St.	(204) 729-3988	K-8
Neelin	1020 Brandon Ave.	(204) 729-3180	Senior 1 to Senior 4 English & French Immersion Senior Life Skills & Community Access Community Transition Classes; SSP
New Era	527 Louise Ave.	(204) 729-3161	K-6 English K-8 French Immersion
O'Kelly	Box 70, CFB Shilo	(204) 765-7900	K-8 English K-4 French Immersion
Riverheights	32E. Fotheringham Dr	(204) 729-3210	K-8; Middle Years Life Skills
Riverview	1105 Louise Ave E.	(204) 729-0330	K-6; Junior & Senior Learning Assistance Classes
St. Augustine	308 Lorne Ave.	(204) 729-3285	K-8
Valleyview	65 Whillier Dr.	(204) 729-3950	K-6
Vincent Massey	715 McDiarmid Dr.	(204) 729-3170	Senior 1 to Senior 4; SSP
Waverly Park	3800 Park Avenue	(204) 729-3250	K-8

Christian Heritage School

Summary: Christian Heritage School is an independent Christian school offering classes from Junior K to grade eight. The curriculum is consistent with the Department of Education standards.

The mission statement states that the school provides a quality education in which the Lordship of Jesus Christ and Biblical Principles permeate all instruction and activity to prepare students to serve God.

Christian Heritage School Society of Brandon Incorporated is a parent run organization. The staff and students represent over 20 church congregations. All of the teachers are certified by the Manitoba Department of Education and the courses are consistent with department standards.

Some government funding is received and the rest is made up through tuition and donations. Tuition costs are as follows:

Kindergarten	\$ 1,500*
First regular grade student	\$ 2,600*
Two regular grade students	\$ 3,850*
Three or more students	\$ 4,350*

* Prices are subject to change, please confirm the annual tuition fees with the Heritage Campus office.

Junior Kindergarten costs of \$90/month, two sessions per week, are not covered in the family plan.

For more information contact:

*Christian Heritage School
2025 – 26th Street, Brandon MB R7B 3Y2
Phone: (204) 725-3209 Fax (204) 728-9641
Email: chs@westman.wave.ca www.chsbrandon.ca*

2. Rolling River School Division

Rolling River School Division covers approximately 3000 square kilometers and includes four high schools, nine elementary schools and five colony schools. The Division Office is located in Minnedosa (www.minnedosa.com), Manitoba.

Superintendent – Neil Whitley

Address: 154 Main Street
Minnedosa MB,
Phone: (204) 867-2754 Fax: 867-2037
Email: rrsd@rrsd.mb.ca
Web Address: <http://www.rrsd.mb.ca>

It is also important that you check with the School Division Office (204) 867-2754 to confirm if your property falls into the Rolling River School Division's boundaries.

3. Southwest Horizon School Division

Contact: Lloyd Paulson, Consultant
100 2nd Street
Souris MB R0K 2C0
Phone: (204) 483-2128
Fax: (204) 483-2296

It is also important that you check with the School Division Office (204) 483-2296 to confirm if your property falls into the Souris Valley School Division's boundaries.

Adult Education

ADULT EDUCATION - BASIC UPGRADING~LITERACY PROGRAMS

Please note: The following three adult literacy programs receive provincial funding grants. Consequently, there are no student tuition fees associated with these programs.

Brandon Friendship Centre Adult Education Program

Location: 303-9th Street
Brandon, MB R7A 4A8

Phone: 727-1407

Website: www.webspawner.com/users/adultupgrading

The Brandon Friendship Centre adult education program provides upgrading in reading, writing, math and computers. This adult program assists adults in their preparation for other forms of education and training - like the Adult Learning Centre. The program operates Monday to Friday from 9:30 a.m. - 3:30 p.m. between the months of September - June. Drop-in service is available in July. The program also delivers instruction two evenings per week. Call for more information.

Brandon Literacy Council

Location: Unit 5C - 2048 Currie Boulevard
Imperial Square Business Park

Mail: 138 Madison Crescent
Brandon, MB R7A 2H1

Brandon

Phone: 729-9964

The Brandon Literacy Council (BLC) provides literacy and life skills services to students with diverse needs. Community-based literacy classes offer individualized and group instruction to adults who wish to improve their reading, writing and numeracy skills, to learn job search skills, prepare to write the GED, and/or develop better study skills. The program uses computers as a learning tool. The program runs Monday through Friday during the day and also offers two evening classes as well. Interested adults are encouraged to call the program to discuss their learning needs.

Samaritan House Training Centre

Location: 1610 Pacific Avenue
Brandon, MB R7A 7L9

Phone: 727-1268 Website: www.nald.ca/shouse/sam.html

Office Hours: Monday – Friday 8:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m. (closed from 12:00 – 1:00 p.m.)

Samaritan House Training Centre offers upgrading in reading, writing, and numeracy/math, GED preparation, computer skills, and employment development programming. Students needing upgrading for entry into the Brandon Adult Learning Centre can be assisted in this program. Individuals can be assisted with either individual or group instruction, depending on the need. Classes are offered during the day. Please call for additional program information.

Assiniboine Community College

Location: 1430 Victoria Avenue East
Brandon, MB R7A 2A9

Phone: (204) 725-8700

Fax: (204) 726-6753

Website: <http://www.assiniboine.net>

Assiniboine Community College (ACC) has been in the business of providing quality education and training for more than 35 years. ACC has a staff of 240 full-time and 300 part-time employees. The college first opened its doors in 1961. ACC offers 30 programs full-time, on-campus, day programs and seven apprenticeship programs. There are 1700 full-time, 600 apprenticeship students and about 6,000 community learning, distance education and contract training students.

There are five Divisions:

- ▣ Agriculture and Rural Enterprise
- ▣ Business and Tourism
- ▣ Health and Human Services
- ▣ Information Technologies
- ▣ Trades

All programs are designed around the needs of business and industry, and a number of co-operative education work programs are available. The College also is responsible for agriculture training for the entire province and offers market driven training programs throughout southwestern Manitoba.

In addition to being the first college in Canada to have a home page, ACC has 19 computer labs with up-to-date software, giving it the best ratio of computers to students of any post secondary institution in Manitoba. Business and technology labs, and trades workshops are also well equipped. Assiniboine Community College is recognized as a leader in distance-delivered education, is the exclusive provider of training for practical nurses in Manitoba and offers a wide variety of Continuing Education courses, both credit and general interest.

Brandon University

Location: 270 – 18th Street
Brandon, MB R7A 6A9

Phone: (204) 728-9520

Website: <http://www.brandonu.ca>

Brandon University is *something special*. It is our people, our facilities, our programs and services, our personalized learning environment, and our warm prairie hospitality that set us apart from other universities.

Founded in 1899, BU attracts students interested in obtaining an excellent education in an environment geared to the individual. The combination of small classes, faculty who are easily accessible to students, a compact campus, a rural focus, and a diverse student population contribute to a stimulating, supportive, and personalized learning experience.

Brandon University offers undergraduate degrees in such areas as Business Administration, Music, Arts, General Studies, Science, Nursing, Psychiatric Nursing, and Education as well as graduate programs in Music, Education, and Rural Development. Brandon University is also home to the innovative Applied Disaster and Emergency Studies program – the only program of its kind in Canada.

The university has a longstanding commitment to First Nations and Aboriginal citizens, and with the First Nations and Aboriginal Counselling degree program, is a recognized leader in the field of Aboriginal studies and education.

The Bobcats have a tradition of excellence in interuniversity sport, and the School of Music and affiliated Conservatory are considered among the finest in Canada.

Brandon University faculty receives national awards for research in physics, astronomy, geology, mathematics, and social sciences.

The university offers a number of distributed learning courses using a variety of technologies including video, audio, and computer-mediated communication. BU is also a co-participant in Campus Manitoba, a distance education program offering university courses in numerous rural Manitoba communities.

In an age when university education is orientated towards mass consumerism, utility and specialization, Brandon's liberal arts curriculum stands out as a refreshing alternative. We deliver rich content but we also teach students how to know, how to apply knowledge as well as how to perform and communicate, innovate, and be critical thinkers.

Nursing Program

Location: Brandon Regional Health Centre
150 McTavish Avenue East
Brandon, MB R7A 2B3

Phone: (204) 726-1122

The University of Manitoba currently offers a four-year Nursing degree program at the Brandon Regional Health Centre Complex. Nursing students can complete the University of Manitoba's undergraduate nursing degree and graduate with a Bachelor of Nursing from the University of Manitoba, but are able to take all their courses in Brandon. Students do not have to travel to Winnipeg to complete the degree. Residence accommodation for out-of-town students is available at a reasonable cost.

Academy of Learning

Location: 144-12th Street
Brandon, MB R7A 4L7

Phone: (204) 729-9225 Fax: (204) 729-9235

www.academyol.com

Brandon's foremost computer college offers career programs in today's most used business applications. Our Microsoft certified courses are delivered through our unique

Integrated Learning System. Students of the Academy have the advantage of being able to start their program at any time and to pace their program to their own needs.

The following diplomas are available: Administrative Assistant, Business Office Assistant, Computerized Accounting Assistant, Computerized Accounting, Microcomputer Operator-Business Applications, Office Administration, Microcomputer Operator-Software support, Computer Service Technician, P.C. Support Technician as well as a variety of software applications.

Brandon Adult Learning Centre

Location: 725 Rosser Avenue
Brandon, MB R7A 0K8
Phone: (204) 726-7134

The Brandon Adult Learning Centre (BALC) programming is designed for individuals who want to achieve a high school diploma in order to meet entrance requirements for post-secondary education or to increase their competitiveness in the labour force. Individuals who already have Grade 12, but need a different level of Mathematics, Physics, English or other discipline, will also find programming to meet their needs. As part of the Mature Student High School diploma, students can take dual credit courses towards their high school diploma and credit in college courses. The centre is equipped with two computer labs, 33 computers and a wide range of software. In addition, all students are provided with access to both the internet and the computer labs at Assiniboine Community College. Counseling is available for course selection, career advice and personal matters. BALC students do not pay tuition fees, but do pay Student Association Fees

Manitoba Emergency Services College

Location: 1601 Van Horne Avenue East
Brandon, MB R7A 7K2
Phone: (204) 726-6855
Toll Free: (888) 253-1488

The Manitoba Emergency Services College is committed to providing superior emergency response programs that meet the needs of emergency services and industry. The College offers a full time program for persons interested in a career in the Emergency Services field.

Program areas include:

- ▣▣▣▣► Fire and Rescue
- ▣▣▣▣► Hazardous Materials Response

- ▣▣▣▣ Building and Fire Code Use and Application
- ▣▣▣▣ Fire Inspector
- ▣▣▣▣ Fire Officer
- ▣▣▣▣ Investigations
- ▣▣▣▣ Emergency Services Management
- ▣▣▣▣ Industrial Fire and Rescue
- ▣▣▣▣ Industrial Response to Hazardous Materials
- ▣▣▣▣ Emergency Medical
- ▣▣▣▣ Public Safety

The Learning Company - Midwestern School of Business & Technology

Location: 800 Rosser Avenue
Brandon MB R7A 6N5

Phone: (204) 725-7210 Toll free: 1-877-757-7575

Website: www.thelearningcompany.ca

The Midwestern School of Business & Technology is a fully licensed Private Vocational School operated by The Learning Company of Brandon. The school is registered with MB Education and Training and as such qualifies for access to funding for approved students. The school operates 6 and 11 month courses. Students completing requirements and exams can become Microsoft Office User Specialists, Microsoft Certified Professionals, A+ Certified and Microsoft Certified System Engineers. The school also operates a Sylvan Prometric Testing Centre as well as a VUE Testing Centre open to anyone requiring certification testing for Microsoft Novell, A+ and more!

The Learning Company offers one and two day computer training courses in all applications as well as customized group and private training. In addition, personal and professional development courses are offered regularly covering a vast number of topics relevant to today's work environment. Seniors course on the Internet and a CAP (Community Access) site offering free Internet access 20 hours a week is also offered through The Learning Company.

1Classic Hairstyling Academy

Classic Hairstyling Academy offers year round training in hairstyling, cosmetology, nail technology and aesthetician training as well as assisting in apprenticeship placements.

Classic Hairstyling Academy
118-10th Street
Brandon, Manitoba R7A 4E6
(204) 728-8843
www.classic-hairstyling.com

Advanced School of Hairstyling

The Advanced School of Hairstyling offers a diploma program that includes training in cutting, perming, coloring, styling, manicuring and facials. The school also offers refresher courses throughout the year.

Advanced School of Hairstyling
603 Princess Avenue
Brandon, Manitoba R7A 0P2
(204) 727-0358

Vehicle Licensing Information

Vehicle insurance is available through Haubrick Marnock & Scott Insurance Agencies at CFB Shilo (765-4412) or in Brandon.

Brandon

Address: 621-1st Street
Brandon, MB R7A 6K5
Phone: (204) 726-6263
Hours: 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Address changes need to be reported within three months of taking up residence in The RM of Cornwallis.

To license a vehicle in Manitoba, the following is required:

-A current out of Province license and any one of the following: Birth Certificate, Certificate of Baptismal, or Passport.

Driver's License Information

Vehicle insurance and driver's license renewal is available through Haubrick Marnock & Scott Insurance Agencies at CFB Shilo (765-4412) or in Brandon.

Address: 621-1st Street
Brandon, MB R7A 6K5
Phone: (204) 726-6263

Hours: 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

An out of province license is valid up to three months after taking up residence in The RM of Cornwallis. If the out of province license expires you will be required to complete both a written examination and a road test.

To obtain a Manitoba driver's license the following items are required: A valid out of Province license, and any one of the following: Birth Certificate, Certificate of Baptismal, or Passport. The maximum cost (not including merits or demerits) per year for a driver's license is \$ 60.00.

Driver's license higher than class 5 (private vehicle) or 6 (motor cycle) require a medical examination.



Manitoba Health Information

Address: Rural Municipality of Cornwallis (Distributes forms)
Site 500, Box 10, R.R. #5
Brandon, MB R7A 5Y5

Phone: (204) 725-8686

Hours: 8:30 am to 12:00 pm and 1:00 pm to 5:00 p.m.

When applying for a Manitoba health card:

- *Persons from Out-of-Province require: Social Insurance Number and Health Card representing the province you have moved from.*
- *Persons from Out-of-Country require: Social Insurance Number*
- *(if applied for), Passport, photocopy of landed immigrant paper or Canada Employment form.*
- The Manitoba Health card takes approximately four–six weeks to arrive.
- There is no cost to apply for a Manitoba health card and no monthly fees.
- The Manitoba Health card is required when visiting a doctor, obtaining services from the hospital, or filling a prescription.

Pharmacare is a drug benefit program for any Manitoban, regardless of age, whose income is seriously affected by high prescription drug costs. Coverage is based on both your total family income and the amount you pay for eligible prescription drugs. Each year, you are required to pay a portion of the cost of your eligible prescription drugs. This amount will be your annual Pharmacare deductible. Your deductible is set based on your annual family income.

You qualify if:

- You are eligible for Manitoba Health Coverage.
- Your prescriptions are not paid through another provincial or federal program.
- Your prescription drug costs are not fully covered by a private drug insurance program.
- Your eligible prescription drug costs exceed your Pharmacare deductible.

Application forms are available at any retail pharmacy.

Transportation

Brandon Air Shuttle

Phone: (204) 729-3333

Toll Free: (888) 884-5533

Website: www.brandonairshuttle.com

Ground transportation service between Brandon and Winnipeg International Airport. Home pick-up and drop-off available in Brandon. Licensed to transport passengers and companions for medical appointments.

Please call Brandon Air Shuttle's direct line or your travel agent for reservations, departure times and fares.

Highways

- The Trans Canada Highway passes through Brandon for east-west traffic and the Provincial Trunk Highway #10 connects Brandon north and south, joining U.S. Highway #281, 100 kilometres south.
- The Canada / U.S. border crossing (Hwy. #10 at the International Peace Gardens) is open 24 hours a day, seven days a week.

Rail Services

CP Rail (Canadian Pacific) and CNR (Canadian National Railway) provide rail freight service while VIA Rail offers rail passenger service

Via Rail Canada Inc.

Phone: (800) 561-8630

Provides passenger service north of Brandon along Hwy. #10 (approximately a 20 minute drive). It is highly recommended that transportation from the VIA Rail stop to Brandon be arranged prior to your arrival.

Please call the Via Rail direct line for rates and scheduling information.

Bus Lines

Greyhound/Grey Goose Canada Bus Lines

Location: **141 – 6th Street**
 Brandon, MB R7A 6P1

Phone: **(204) 727-0643**

Toll Free: (800) 661-8747

Please call the Greyhound direct line for rates and scheduling information.

Transportation... While in The RM of Cornwallis

The taxi companies listed below service the RM of Cornwallis.

ABC Cabs 726-1600
Brandon Luxury Limousines 726-5466
4-WAY TAXI 727-2500
WALLY'S UNITED TAXI LTD 727-2323
Wheat City Elite 726-1000

Car Rentals – arrangements can be made in Brandon

Budget Rent-a-Car of Brandon
215-6th Street, Brandon
Phone: (204) 725-3550

National Car Rental
1500 Richmond Avenue, Brandon
Phone: (204) 728-0130
1-800-227-7368

A Enterprise Rent-a-Car
759-1st Street
Phone: (204) 725-1300

Hertz Rent-a-car
Phone: 1-800-263-0600

Western Manitoba Regional Library

Address: 701 Rosser Avenue
 Brandon, MB R7A 0K8

Phone: (204) 727-6648
Web Address: www.wmrlibrary.mb.ca

Hours: Monday & Thursday: 10:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m.
Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday, and Saturday: 10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.
Closed on Sundays
(July and August: Closed on Saturdays)

To obtain a library card: Persons living within city limits: Free of charge
Persons living outside city limits: \$55 / year
I.D. Required: some piece of I.D. with name and current address and a contact person

- Library cards are computerized and there is a \$3.00 charge if you require a replacement.
- An adult library card is required to borrow movies from the library.
- Photocopying by a per use charge is available at the library.
- Books may be reserved. Please ask the librarian for the fee for reserving books.

Landfill Services for The RM of Cornwallis

The RM of Cornwallis operates two **Waste Transfer Stations:**

Wyton Road - 3 miles south of PR 457 – No Fees

Summer (Apr 1-Oct 31) Tuesday and Thursday - 6:00 pm - 9:00 pm
Saturday - 10:00 am - 2:00 pm

Winter (Nov 1-Mar 31) Saturday Only - 10:00 am - 2:00 pm

Richmond Ave. East – 1 ½ miles east of 17th Street East - No Fees

Summer (Apr 1-Oct 31) Wednesday 6:00 pm – 9:00 pm
Saturday 9:00 am – 1:00 pm

Winter (Nov 1-Mar 31) Saturday Only - 9:00 am - 1:00 pm

There are contracts for garbage pick up in the communities of Sprucewoods, Cottonwoods, and Chater. Currently garbage is picked up on Tuesdays and garbage must be ready for pick up by 8:00 am. Please contact the RM of Cornwallis office if you move to the RM for current garbage pick up days/times.

Residents who take waste directly to the City of Brandon landfill site will be responsible for paying the City of Brandon's landfill charges.

Brandon Landfill Phone: (204) 729-2161

Location: Proceed East on Victoria Avenue until you see the Land Fill Sign on the South side of the road

Hours: **Summer** (April 1 – Oct 31)
Monday – Saturday: 8:00 a.m. to 7:45 p.m.
Sunday & Statutory Holidays: 11:00 a.m. to 6:45 p.m.

Winter (November 1 – March 31)
Monday – Friday: 8:00 a.m. to 5:45 p.m.
Saturday: 8:00 a.m. to 4:45 p.m.
Sunday – Closed

Residential refuse: \$ 2.00 fee per trip

Commercial refuse: \$31.00 / tonne (minimum ½ tonne charge per trip)

Charge for collection of commercial refuse: \$13.36 / cubic meter (per pick-up)

Concrete and fill commercial: \$1.20 / tonne

-manure: \$18.20 / load

-recyclable wastewater sludge: \$6.70 / tonne

-industrial fill material: \$1.20 / tonne or portion (minimum charge / trip)

-fridges – not allowed (nothing with freon)

-contaminated soil – needs permit from the City

- Everyone that does not pay taxes to the City has to pay the commercial rates
- Everyone is asked his or her name and address upon entering
- Remember to tarp your refuse

Recycling – Is Available in the Rural Municipality of Cornwallis

▮▮▮▮▶ Recycling will be collected from the road side for households within the Municipal Roadside Collection Area.

▮▮▮▮▶ Recycling can be placed in the bins locations at the two Waste Transfer Stations.

For households within the **Municipal Roadside Collection Area** sort your recycling as follows and place out with your garbage on your collection day:

Blue Bag One:

Containers (all plastic bottles and containers, milk or juice cartons, tin or aluminum cans). **No glass or Styrofoam, please.**

Blue Bag Two:

All paper and cardboard (Larger cardboard pieces do not have to be in a bag as long as they are bundled).

Clear Bag:

Yard waste such as leaves, grass, and garden waste. (Note: no tree trimmings, please. Tree trimmings must be placed at the burn pile at one of the Waste Transfer Stations).

Black or Green Bag:
Waste that is **not** recyclable.

All **Glass** bottles, jar, etc. can only be disposed of in the glass collection bin at one of the two Waste Transfer Stations. Glass **cannot** be collected from the roadside collection program.

For households who use one of the two **Waste Transfer Stations** (see page 19 for locations and hours of operation) the following can be recycled and placed in the appropriate bins located on-site.

❖ **Containers**

- ◆ Milk & Juice Cartons (all); *rinse & flatten*
- ◆ Aluminum and Steel cans
- ◆ All plastic bottles and containers, *except styrofoam*.

❖ **Boxboard/Cardboard**

- ◆ Boxboard (cereal-type boxes)
- ◆ Corrugated cardboard
- ◆ Paper bags
- ◆ Egg cartons (paper)
- ◆ All newsprint, flyers, magazines, catalogues, books, junk-mail.

❖ **Yard Waste**

- ◆ Yard waste may consist of leaves, grass and garden wastes, as well as tree trimmings.
- ◆ Yard waste may be placed at the burn pile at one of the Waste Transfer Stations.

❖ **Metallic Waste**

- ◆ Most bulky metals can be recycled. Bins are conveniently located at the Waste Transfer Stations for this purpose.

❖ **Waste Oil**

- ◆ Waste Oil can be taken directly to the waste oil recovery facility at the City of Brandon landfill.

❖ **Ozone Depleting Substances**

- ◆ **Appliance Disposal** - Prior to disposal, please ensure that ozone depleting substances have been properly removed and the appliance tagged by a qualified technician.

SPRING AND FALL CLEAN-UP

- ◆ Areas served by the **Municipal Roadside Collection Program** will receive two special Spring and Fall collections of general yard, garden and household waste (e.g. televisions, floor coverings, toys, small appliances, etc.)
- ◆ Items for special collection cannot exceed 50 kg. in weight per item or 150 kg. in total.
- ◆ No item may exceed 2 meters in any dimension.
- ◆ Call the Municipality for dates for the Spring and Fall Clean-up.

Utilities

Water – Sewer

Residents or Businesses in the RM of Cornwallis have private wells and septic tanks and fields. A water co-operative provides service to the residents of Chater.

Manitoba Telecom Services Inc. (MTS)

Location: 517 – 18th Street
Brandon, MB R7A 5Y9

Phone: 225-5687 (no charge dial)

Manitoba Telecom Services Inc. provides a full range of services to citizens with competitive products and services. www.mts.mb.ca

In order to acquire telephone service, you can:

- Go to the MTS Connect Store in the Shoppers Mall (1570 Richmond Avenue) with two pieces of I.D. or
- Call 225-5687 (no charge dial)

Manitoba Hydro www.hydro.mb.ca

Location: 235 – 10th Street
Brandon, MB R7A 7J8

Phone: (204) 727-9233

Hours: 8:00 a.m. – 4:30 p.m. (Mon – Fri)

Manitoba Hydro has abundant resources of renewable energy, enabling Manitoba to have one of the lowest hydro rates in North America.

- ▣▣▣▣ New residents are instructed to go to the Manitoba Hydro District Office (235 – 10th Street) and fill out an application form to request Hydro hookup.
- ▣▣▣▣ Manitoba Hydro offers same day hookup.
- ▣▣▣▣ There is no connection fee at this time, however a security deposit may be required.
- ▣▣▣▣ Hydro bills will be issued on a monthly basis.
- ▣▣▣▣ Equalized billing is available.

Centra Gas www.hydro.mb.ca

Location: 235-10th Street
Brandon, MB R7A 7J8

Phone: (204) 727-9233

Hours: 8:00 a.m. – 4:30 p.m. (Mon – Fri)

- ▣▣▣▣ New residents are instructed to go to the Manitoba Hydro office (235 – 10th Street) or call toll free 1-888-474-0707 to have service connected.
- ▣▣▣▣ Equalized billing is available.

Satellite Television

Check local telephone listings for various locations to purchase satellite television services and equipment.

Services

West-Man Multicultural Council is a non-profit organization that promotes multiculturalism and antiracism. For more information please contact their office.

Location: #2-37 11th Street
Brandon, MB R7A 4J2

Phone: (204) 725-0880

Hours: Tuesday & Thursday, 9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Applications for Citizenship and passports are available at the office.

Westman English as a Second Language Services (WESLS)

Location: 435 Rosser Avenue
Brandon, MB R7A 6S2
weslss@mb.sympatico.ca

Services provided are:

- ❖ English as a second language
- ❖ Settlement, orientation and referral services

Jeanette Howat, Settlement Coordinator (204) 727-6031

Doreen Cooper, English as a Second Language Coordinator (204) 726-8580 or
djc@westman.wave.ca

Protective Services

The RM of Cornwallis is policed by the Royal Canadian Mounted Police.

Phone: (204) 726-7522 (Administration & General Inquiries)

Phone: (204) 726-7500 (Emergencies and Complaints)

EMERGENCY TELPHONE NUMBERS are to be used **ONLY** for Emergency Situations. The 911 Centre has access to a translation service.

Emergency Operators have been trained in Emergency Medical Dispatch and Fire Priority Dispatch. They will ask a series of questions as well as tell you what to do until help arrives.

FIRE & AMBULANCE – 911

Six Things to Tell the Operator When you Need Help:

1. Who you need – Police, Fire or Ambulance
2. Where you need the help (your address)
3. What is happening now
4. How did it happen
5. When did it happen
6. Your name

Helpful Hints:

- Teach everyone in your family how to make emergency calls.
- If you accidentally call 911, stay on the line so the operator knows that help is not needed; otherwise, the operator will notify the Police to investigate.

Have the following information by your phone:

- The 911 number
- Your address
- Your phone number
- Directions to your home from the Police Station and Fire Hall

Fire Department

Emergencies: 911

<u>Address:</u>	#1 Fire Station 637 Princess Avenue Brandon, MB R7A 0P2	#2 Fire Station 1301 – 13 th Street Brandon, MB R7A 4S5
<u>General Inquires:</u>	(204) 729-2400	<u>General Inquiries:</u> (204) 729-2420

Fire services are provided to residents at no charge.

1FOR EMERGENCY CALLS PLEASE DIAL 911. THIS SERVICE IS ALSO CONNECTED TO A LANGUAGE INTERPRETATION LINE FOR THOSE PLACING CALLS THAT DO NOT SPEAK ENGLISH.

Ambulance Services

Address: 637 Princess Avenue
Brandon, MB R7A 0P2

General Inquiries: (204) 729-2400 Emergencies: 911

Ambulance rates are amended annually. For information regarding rates, please call 729-2409.

1FOR EMERGENCY CALLS PLEASE DIAL 911. THIS SERVICE IS ALSO CONNECTED TO A LANGUAGE INTERPRETATION LINE FOR THOSE PLACING CALLS THAT DO NOT SPEAK ENGLISH.

Brandon Regional Health Centre (formally BGH-Brandon General Hospital), and Assiniboine Centre are major regional health services that provide care to all of Western Manitoba. There are six walk-in clinics in the City.

New residents coming to the City looking for a family doctor are encouraged to call the various clinics throughout the city for doctors that are taking new patients.

Medical Services

Residents of the RM of Cornwallis are able to access medical services at CFB Shilo through the Western Medical Clinic 765-3202 or through the Brandon facilities listed below.

Hospitals

Address: Brandon Regional Health Centre www.brandonrha.mb.ca
150 McTavish Avenue East
Brandon, MB R7A 2B3
Phone: (204) 726-1122

Brandon Medical Clinics

Brandon Clinic

Address: 620 Dennis Street
Brandon, MB R7A 5E7
Phone: (204) 728-4440
Hours: Mon - Fri: 9:00 am -5:00 pm
Walk-In Hours : Mon – Fri: 9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.
pm

Brandon Clinic West (Walk-In)

Address: 2835 Victoria Avenue
Brandon, MB R7B 0N3
Phone: (204) 727-0900
Hours: Mon - Fri: 9:00 am-8:00 pm
Sat: 10:00 am-4:00
Sun: 12:00 pm-4:00 pm

Gallery Medical

Address: 841 Rosser Avenue
Brandon, MB R7A 0L1
Phone: (204) 729-8588
Hours: Mon - Fri: 9:00 am-6:00 pm
pm

Walk-In Hours same as above

pm

Newmount Medical Clinic (Walk-In)

Address: 738 – 18th Street
Brandon, MB R7A 5B5
Phone: (204) 726-0773
Hours: Mon - Fri: 9:00 am-8:00
Sat: 10:00 am-4:00 pm
Sun: 12:00 pm-4:00

Western Medical Clinic

Address: 144 – 6th Street
Brandon, MB R7A 3N2
Phone: (204) 727-6451
Hours: Mon - Fri: 8:00 am-6:00 pm
pm

Richmond Walk-In Clinic

Address: 1100 Richmond Avenue
Brandon MB R7A 1M6
Phone: (204) 727-0090
Hours: Mon - Fri: 9:00 am-7:00

Walk-In Hours same as above
pm

Sat: 9:00 am-2:00

When seeking a family physician, it is recommended you call all of the medical clinics throughout the City for doctor availability.

Most Frequently Called Brandon Regional Health Centre Numbers

Admitting / Registration	726-2135
Assiniboine Centre	726-2029
Brandon Regional Health Centre Foundation	726-2332
Brandon RHA Corporate Office	571-8400
Brandon RHA Employment Vacancy Line	726-2598
Brandon RHA Human Resources Department	726-2246
Emergency Department	726-2281
General Centre	726-1122
Lost & Found	726-2242
Mental Health Services	571-8300
Menu Hot-Line	726-2223
Patient Comment Line - 1-800-735-6596	726-2115
Patient Enquiry	726-1122
Patient Telephones	727-1188
Public Health Services	571-8446
Volunteer Services	726-2232

Dental Offices:

Residents of the RM of Cornwallis are able to access dental services at CFB Shilo through the Westman Dental Group 765-2802 or through the Brandon facilities listed below.

A full selection of dental services is available in Brandon. Below is a sampling. New residents to Brandon are encouraged to contact each dental office listed or refer to the MTS yellow pages for a detailed listing of dentists to determine whether they are accepting new patients and what Dental Insurance plans are accepted.

A sampling of Brandon dentists appears below. Please refer to the Manitoba Telephone Book for a comprehensive Dentist listing.

Brandon Dental Centre	1602 Princess Avenue	727-5417
Chancellor Dental Group	343A 18 th Street	727-5885
Crocus Dental Centre	708-18 th Street	728-6644
Orthodontic Specialty Centre	940 Princess Avenue	727-0401
Princess Dental Centre	1202 Princess Avenue	727-0440
Shilo Dental Centre	Bombardier Road, Shilo	765-2802
West-man Dental Group	2915 Victoria Avenue	728-9540

Emergency Dental situations that occur outside of regular dental office hours are handled through the Emergency Room at 726-2281.

Child Care Services & Pre-Schools

To obtain a full list of licensed home child care providers, please contact the Child and Family Daycare office (204) 726-6336. For registration and other information, please call each day care provider individually.

Assiniboine Kiddie Kollege (2-6 yrs) – 12 yrs)

Address: 1430 Victoria Avenue East
Brandon, MB R7A 5Z9
Phone: (204) 726-6664

Linden's Kid's Klub Inc. (K

Address: 32 Willowdale Crescent
Box 20093 Bdn South
Brandon, MB R7A 6Y8
Phone: (204) 728-1749

Brandon Kids Centre yrs)

Address: 911 – 26th Street
Brandon, MB R7B 2B7
Phone: (204) 728-3275

Victoria Day Care Centre (2-6

Address: 2227 Brandon Avenue
Brandon MB R7B 0S9
Phone: (204) 728-9845

Bran-U-Day Care Inc. (2-6 yrs)

Address: 303 – 21st Street
Brandon, MB R7B 1M8
Phone: (204) 725-0968

Southwest Day Care Centre (2-12 yrs)

Address: 656 – 6th Street
Brandon, MB R7A 4J4
Phone: (204) 726-8206

Children's Den Inc. (12 wks-12 yrs)

Address: 535 Park Street
Brandon, MB R7A 5M6
Phone: (204) 729-8175

Time Out For Kids (K – 12 yrs)

Address: 1011 – 5th Street
Brandon, MB R7A 4J4
Phone: (204) 727-3003

Fuzzy Bears Inc. (12 wks-12 yrs)

Address: 10 Knowlton Drive
Brandon, MB R7A 6N7

Phone: (204) 726-5321

3-4-5 Nursery

Address: 1129 – 3rd Street
Brandon MB R7A 3E7

Phone: (204) 725-2415

Toy Box Day Care

Address: 344 – 10th Street
Brandon MB R7A 4G1
Phone: (204) 571-6053

Beginnings Pre-School Inc.

Address: 3101 Victoria Avenue
Brandon MB R7B 3P3
Phone: (204) 728-8407

Brandon Nursery School

Address: 451 – 18th Street
Brandon MB R7A 5A9
Phone: (204) 725-2226

Brandon Riverview Pre-School Inc.

Address: 1105 Louise Avenue East
Brandon MB R7A 1Y2
Phone: (204) 727-1778

Brandon University Jr. Kindergarten

Address: 270 – 18th Street

Pre-School Enrichment Program

Address: 2227 Brandon Avenue

Phone: *Brandon MB R7A 6A9*
(204) 727-7420

Phone: *Brandon MB R7B 0S9*
(204) 727-6650

Wee Wisdom Nursery School

Address: 142 – 28th Street
Brandon MB R7B 2G3
Phone: (204) 727-8080

www.gov.mb.ca/childcare for online availability in home based daycares.



The Resource Centre (Elspeth Reid Centre): is an informal welcoming facility for the entire community, which emphasizes strengthening families through parenting education and support. The philosophy is that parenting is one of the most challenging responsibilities with the least amount of training. There are a variety of parenting courses, workshops, support groups and life skill programs for all ages of children, such as:

- a) How To Talk So Kids Will Listen, a popular introductory course, which promotes positive, clear communication.
- b) Nobody's Perfect, is a program focusing on young parents of children under the age of two.
- c) Parenting Preschoolers targets children ages 2 – 5.
- d) Ready or Not focuses on parenting children between the ages of 8 and 12.
- e) Effectively Parenting Teens, which is a program, geared to the special issues concerning the parenting of teenagers.
- f) Life skills programs include anger management, money management and cooking and sewing. Children's needs, child development, ways children learn, positive discipline, cooperation, life skills and communication skills are some of the topics of discussion in groups.
- g) Parents can join in Family Circle or Drop-in Play Time. These programs offer support and ideas on how to play and have fun with your children.

Transportation and childcare are provided for daytime programming. The Resource Centre also provides parenting programs in the community and with other organizations. Parents can visit the Resource Centre and have a cup of coffee in the comfortable drop-in area. Parents are given the opportunity to discuss parenting education and resources, seek guidance or information or use the phone made

available for local calls. The Elspeth Reid Family Resource centre is a facility of Child & Family Services of Western Manitoba. For a full calendar of parenting, support and life skill programs contact the Resource Centre at (204) 726 – 6280.

Senior's Organizations

Prairie Oasis Senior Centre is a charitable organization and a community focal point on aging where persons fifty plus come together for services and activities, which enhance their dignity, support their independence and encourage their involvement in and with the community. These programs consist of a variety of services and activities in such areas as education, creative arts, recreation, advocacy, leadership development, health, nutrition, information referral and counseling as well as other supportive services.

Location: 241 – 8th Street
Brandon, MB R7A 3X2

Phone: (204) 727-6641 Fax: (204) 725-0669

Hours: Monday to Friday
9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Prairie Oasis Senior Centre offers a variety of programs and services including:

- ❖ Educational programs including demonstrations and displays, seminars, courses, choir, painting class and crafts
- ❖ Outreach including advocacy, suppers, programming malls and community events
- ❖ Recreational activities including bingo, scrabble, cribbage, bridge, clog dancing, floor and table shuffleboard, dances, golfing, aerobics, bus trips, bean bag toss, Tai Chi, and special events.
- ❖ Meals on wheels, in house tray service and noon lunch
- ❖ Well Health Clinics including Exercise programs, blood pressure clinic, meal program – nutrition clinics and flu shot clinics
- ❖ Hall rentals, banquets and catering

Seniors for Seniors is an organization of seniors in the City of Brandon. As a cooperative made up of seniors 55-plus, their purpose is to assist seniors to remain independent and active members of their community.

Location: 311 Park Avenue East
Brandon, MB R7A 7A4

Phone: (204) 571-2050

Fax: (204) 726-4691

Email: sfors@westman.wave.ca

Hours: Monday to Friday
9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Seniors for Seniors offer a variety of programs and services including:

- ❖ Well Health Clinics and Services (foot care, aerobics, blood pressure and hearing clinics, home services for fragile elderly, weekly lunches)
- ❖ Education (monthly information sessions, demonstrations / displays, seminars, courses, computer, retirement planning, senior housing)
- ❖ Outreach (advocacy, friendly visiting, potluck suppers, seniors in schools, tea room)
- ❖ Recreation (bus tours, quilting, crafts, music, bridge, golf, writing, painting, drop-ins, special events)
- ❖ Annual Events (February Frolics, Grandmother's Tea & Fashion Show, Grandpa's Coffee Hour, Traveller's Day Parade, A Well-Health Exposition, Christmas at City Hall)
- ❖ Help at Home (small household jobs/repairs, lawn mowing, snow removal, shopping, transportation, light house cleaning, laundry, making meals, yard maintenance)

YWCA – Westman Women's Shelter

The Brandon YWCA Westman Women's Shelter is an emergency shelter offering a short-term safe and supportive environment for physically, emotionally or sexually abused women and their children 24 hours a day, 365 days of the year. In addition to a safe environment the following services are offered:

- Individual and Group Counselling
- Crisis intervention and referrals
- Support / information for medical, housing, financial, legal, and employment needs

Phone: (204) 727-3644 or Crisis Line 1-877-977-0007

All Services are provided free of charge and are completely safe, private & confidential.

Places of Worship

Residents of The RM of Cornwallis have the opportunity to attend church services at CFB Shilo or in Brandon.

CFB Shilo


Catholic - Our Lady of Sorrow
765-3000 ext 3091
L-102, room 204, CFB Shilo Headquarters Building

Protestant - St Barbara's Chapel
765-3000 ext 3091

L-102, room 204,

The Duty Chaplain may be contacted through the Military Police at 765-3337/

Brandon Places of Worship

<p>Alliance: Grand Valley Church, 504 – 22nd Street, 728-4822 McDiarmid Drive Alliance Church, 635 McDiarmid Drive, 728-2473</p>	
<p>Anglican: Saint George's Anglican Church, 1011 – 5th Street, 728-6542 St. Mary's Anglican Church, 401 – 1st Street, 727-3393 Saint Matthew's Anglican Cathedral, 403 – 13th Street, 727-2380</p>	
<p>Baptist: Bible Baptist Church, 1203 – 4th Street, 726-5806 Faith Fellowship Baptist Church, 4 Willowdale Cres, 728-9702 First Baptist Church, 3881 Park Avenue, 727-5557 Keystone Baptist Church, Riverheights School, 725-2606 New Life Community Church, 159 Madison Cres, 728-1060</p>	
<p>Christian Reformed: Christian Reformed Church, 1509 Victoria Avenue, 727-4652 Church of Christ, 943 – 7th Street, 728-0957</p>	
<p>Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, 107 Queens Ave E., 728-3935</p>	
<p>Church of Nazarene: 411 – 9th Street, 727-8021</p>	
<p>Evangelical Free Church, 728-7420</p>	
<p>Jehovah's Witnesses 3434 Park Ave., 725-3434</p>	
<p>Presbyterian: First Presbyterian Church, 339 – 12th Street, 727-5874 Saint Andrew's Presbyterian Church, 361 Russell Street, 727-1414 Southminster Presbyterian Church, 1260 – 5th Street, 728-5130</p>	
<p>Lutheran: Grace English Lutheran Church LCC, 3101 Victoria Avenue, 728-9080 Redeemer Lutheran Church ELC/C, 114 Ashgrove Blvd, 728-6206</p>	
<p>Mennonite: Evangelical Mennonite Church, 1931 Van Horne Ave, 727-4397 Grace Mennonite Church, 951 – 10th Street, 728-4515 Jubilee Mennonite Church, 529 – 4th Street Richmond Park Mennonite Church, 1525 – 26th Street</p>	
<p>National Catholic: Saint Joseph's Polish National Catholic Church, 1111 Assiniboine Ave, 727-8294</p>	
<p>Pentecostal: Christian Life Centre, 155 – 16th Street, 727-8174 Bethel Christian Assembly, 440 Richmond Avenue, 727-0639 Calvary Temple, 620 – 34th Street, 728-8500</p>	
<p>Roman Catholic: St. Augustine's Roman Catholic Church, 327 – 4th Street, 727-4728 Saint Hedwig's Roman Catholic Church, 223 – 11th Street, 727-8525</p>	
<p>Salvation Army, 9 Princess Ave. E., 727-6271</p>	
<p>Seventh Day Adventist, 3319 Park Avenue, 725-2066</p>	
<p>Tabernacle of the Lord, 834 – 10th Street, 725-0930</p>	
<p>United Church: Central United Church, 325 – 8th Street, 727-0577 Knox United Church, 451 – 18th Street, 727-6975 Trinity United Church, 1515 – 6th Street, 728-4796</p>	
<p>Ukrainian Catholic, St. Mary's Ukrainian Catholic Church, 927 Assiniboine Avenue, 727-2233</p>	
<p>Ukrainian Orthodox, 59 – 11th Street N., 727-3253</p>	
<p>Vineyard, The Brandon Vineyard Fellowship, 1037 Lorne Avenue, 728-4108 or 728-4937</p>	
<p>Word of Life Church, 31 – 10th Street, 727-2531</p>	

Postal Services: Brandon has four postal outlets in the City where people are able to access all services provide by Canada Post (www.canadapost.ca). Most outlets accept cash, debit card and major credit cards but some operate solely on a cash basis.

7-Eleven –729-0225

Corner of 34th Street and Victoria Avenue
Monday – Saturday: 8:00 a.m. – 11:00 p.m.
Sunday: 12:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.

Christie's Office Supply Post Office – 727-1423

705 Pacific Avenue
Monday – Friday: 8:30 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.
Saturday: 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Sunday: Closed

Shoppers Mall Guest Services –

727-3059
18th Street & Richmond Avenue
Monday – Saturday: 9:00 a.m. – 9:00 p.m.
Sunday: 12:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Mac's Convenience Store – 727-0162

855 1st Street
Monday – Friday: 8:00 a.m. – 11:00 p.m.
Saturday: 10:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m. Sunday: Closed

Brandon Media Outlets

FM Stations

94.7 – STAR FM (Alternative)
96.1 – KX 96 (Classic rock)
101.1 – Hot 101 (Alternative)
97.9 – CBC Radio One
92.7 – CBC Radio Two
- NCI (Aboriginal)

www.mymanitoba.com
www.kx96online.com
www.hot101.ca
<http://winnipeg.cbc.ca>
<http://winnipeg.cbc.ca/>
www.ncifm.com

AM Stations

880 – CKLQ (country)

www.mymanitoba.com

Newspapers

Brandon Sun (Daily newspaper)
Wheat City Journal (Weekly newspaper)

www.brandonsun.mb.ca
website under construction

Community Television

Channel 12 - WCGtv

www.westmancom.com/access.htm

Community Connections Access Sites

These sites are locations where residents are able to access the Internet free of charge. Please call each organization to determine their hours of operation and the process for booking time on the computers.

<p>Western Manitoba Women's Regional Resource Centre Town Centre C7-800 Rosser Avenue Brandon, MB R7A 6N5 Tel: 726-8632</p>	<p>DAWN Canada Disabled Women's Network Canada The Learning Company Town Centre 800 Rosser Avenue Brandon, MB R7A 6N5 Tel: 726-1406</p>
<p>Fitness Sports & Recreation Building 1-100 CFB/ASU Shilo Box 177 Shilo, MB R0K 2A0 Tel: 765-2590</p>	<p>Manitoba Industry, Trade and Mines Western Regional Office Room 107, 340-9th Street Brandon, MB R7A 6C2 Tel: 726-6250</p>
<p>Hi-Way Esso 1825 Middleton Avenue Brandon, MB R7C 1A7 Tel: 725-0246</p>	<p>YWCA of Brandon 148-11th Street Brandon, MB R7A 4J4 Tel: 571-3680</p>
<p>YWCA of Brandon Westman Women's Shelter Tel: 571-3680</p>	<p>CNIB 354-10th Street Brandon, MB R7A 4G1 Tel: 727-0631</p>
<p>Career Connections 710-3rd Street Brandon, MB R7A 3C8 Tel: 728-9594</p>	<p>Brandon Seniors for Seniors Co-op Incorporated 311 Park Avenue East Brandon, MB R7A 7A4 Tel: 571-2054</p>
<p>Western Manitoba Regional Library Town Centre Unit 1, 710 Rosser Avenue Brandon, MB R7A 0K9 Tel: 727-6648</p>	<p>Wheat Belt Community Futures 141 Rosser Avenue Brandon, MB R7A 0J6 1st hour is free, each hour thereafter is \$5.00 for a maximum daily usage of 3 hours. Tel: 726-1513</p>

Recreation

Whatever the season, Brandon offers a host of recreational facilities within the city to keep you active. Whether you are looking for a cultural experience, a recreational adventure or a historical voyage through time, Brandon has something for everyone. Brandon's promotional brochure, The Guide to the Wheat City (available from Brandon Tourism at the Riverbank Discovery Centre, #1 – 545 Conservation Drive) has a full listing of recreational activities available throughout the City.

Snowmobiling

In 1996, the City of Brandon in cooperation with the Municipality of Cornwallis and a local Snowmobiling club created a snowmobile access trail leading into and around the city. Snowmobiling is prohibited within City limits unless on designated trails. The snowmobile trail system within the Municipality has expanded considerably since 1996, and snowmobile enthusiasts can contact local snowmobile clubs for more information. Trail maps and other information may be available by calling the City of Brandon Engineering Department (204) 729-2214.

Canada Games Sportsplex

Location: 30 Knowlton Drive
Brandon, MB R7A 6N7
Phone: (204) 729-2470
Email: cpr@city.brandon.mb.ca **Web:** www.city.brandon.mb.ca

The Canada Games Sportsplex is a section of Community Services, City of Brandon. Public Swim and Skate times are available by calling the above number. Some of the numerous programs and services offered include:

- Aquatic Programs (Aquafitness, Learn to Dive, Synchro, Swim lessons, Junior Lifeguard Club, Canadian Swim Patrol, Lifesaving courses)
- Arena Programs (Learn to Skate, Prepare for Hockey, Public Skating)
- Leadership Programs (AquaLeaders, Instructor Courses, National Lifeguard Award, Examiner Courses and Re-certification Courses)
- Facility Programs (Babysitter's course, Birthday Party packages, First Aid Courses, Karate, Racquetball lessons, Daycamps & Sportscamps)

Please call the number listed above for program information and registration fees or consult the City of Brandon leisure guide for all Community Services recreation programs.

Kidsport is a children's charity which assists financially disadvantaged children get access to sport in Manitoba. The Kidsport fund assists children in need who want to participate in a sporting activity that provides coaching or instruction to the child. For more information, contact Westman Sport Association at (204) 726-6072.

Y.M.C.A.

Location: 231 – 8th Street
Brandon, MB R7A 3X2

Phone: (204) 727-5456
www.ymcabrandon.mb.ca

The Brandon Family YMCA is a charitable association dedicated to providing quality programs and services for all individuals in the development of “Spirit, Mind and Body.” Some of the many Programs and services offered include:

- Swim Programs (Adult & Youth swim lessons, Lifesaving Programs, Aqua fitness, Adult Rehabilitation Programs)
- Facility Programs (Computer Classes, Racquetball, Birthday Party packages, First Aid / CPR Programs, Babysitting courses, Youth Programs such as leadership training, gymnastics, youth sport programs)
- Life fitness Centre, Weight Room and Adult Fitness Programs
- Community Programs (Y and School, Food For Thought, Operation ID School Zone Program)
- Summer Outdoor Pool programs

Please call 727-5456 for program information and registration / membership fees.

Activity / Community Listings: A sampling of some of the community lists available through the Economic Development office appears below. To obtain copies of these lists, please phone 729-2132 or email: econdev@brandon.mb.ca

Service Clubs

Support Groups

Clubs / Hobbies

Sports Organizations

Not For Profit Organizations

Community websites

Tourist Attractions

Brandon lies at the heart of the southwest region of Manitoba – a land of breathtaking beauty, wondrous adventure and spectacular sites to see. Be sure to take some time out to discover the many historical sites and natural wonders found along Brandon’s Walking Tours. Also, be sure to explore the scenic southwest. You’ll make some unexpected discoveries within only a short drive of Brandon.

Assiniboine Riverbank Trail System

Suggested starting point is the Riverbank Discovery Centre. Trail maps and a self-guided pond tour brochure are available to help you plan your walk. Spanning approximately 17 kilometers of the river, the Assiniboine Riverbank Trail System is comprised of numerous trails linked together with the intent to enhance both recreational and ecological opportunities. The corridor includes a network of parks and pathways linked by the Red Willow Pedestrian Bridge. The trail system ranges from

natural river bottom forest to paved, lit walkways and links formal sports venues to downtown shopping and dining. Enjoy an afternoon stroll along the riverbank or a picnic in one of the many parks and shelters along the way. Be sure to take in the Riverbank Discovery Centre and interpretive ponds. These ponds have become a haven for a variety of geese, ducks and waterfowl. To obtain a complete map of the Assiniboine Riverbank Trail System, stop in at Brandon Tourism at the Riverbank Discovery Centre #1 - 545 Conservation Drive.

Brandon Tourism @ the Riverbank Discovery Centre

Located along the Assiniboine Riverbank Trail System and overlooking Eleanor Kidd Park is the Riverbank Discovery Centre. Home to the Brandon & Region Tourism Centre and the Ducks Unlimited Regional Offices, the Riverbank Discovery Centre contains information on the city, the southwest MB region and parts of Canada and the United States. The Centre also offers souvenirs and interpretive information on the natural beauty of the area. There are special displays at various times of the year, covering themes such as special events, heritage, parks, cultural activities and regional communities. An excellent asset to the southwest corner of Manitoba, be sure to visit the Riverbank Discovery Centre at #1-545 Conservation Drive.

Phone: (204) 729-2141 Fax: (204) 729-2139
brandontourism@westman.wave.ca

Summer Hours: Monday – Friday: 8:30 a.m. – 8:00 p.m.
Saturday & Holidays: 11:00 a.m. – 7:00 p.m.
Sunday 11:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.

Winter Hours: Monday – Friday: 8:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.
Saturday & Sunday: 12:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.
(subject to change)

For more information on tours, attractions, and scenic sights to see in the Brandon area, call Brandon Tourism @ 1-888-799-1111 or (204) 729-2141.

Eleanor Kidd Gardens

The Assiniboine River Corridor's newest attraction is located adjacent to Eleanor Kidd Park, just off 18th Street on the south side of the Assiniboine River. Eleanor Kidd Gardens offer a beautiful setting, featuring a Performance Plaza with a small stage and seating area for community arts performances. There is also a Fountain Plaza featuring a life-sized bronze sculpture of a doe and two fawns by local artist Peter Sawatzky. The Gardens also boast a beautiful Stroll Garden area with a variety of annual and perennial flowerbeds. For more information on Eleanor Kidd Gardens or for bookings, please call Brandon Tourism at 204-729-2141 or 1-888-799-1111.

Brandon Hills Wildlife Management Area

Located 10 km (6 miles) south of Brandon on Hwy. #10, then left at the antique store heading west along a gravel road or 3 km (2 miles). Then turn south 1 km to the parking area.

The Brandon Hills have long been a haven for outdoor recreation and wildlife. With gentle rolling hills and aspen-oak parkland this beautifully forested area offers the perfect setting for nature lovers and photographers. The trail system is comprised of a variety of pathways ranging in distance from 2 km to 7.5 km. A map at the starting point outlines each loop. The Brandon Hills were originally formed by glaciers that left behind a long ridge spanning several kilometers east and west. They are often nicknamed, the “Blue Hills of Brandon” because of their distinct colour seen from a distance in the summer time. A variety of birds can be found in these hills including grouse, finches, gamebirds and the occasional great horned owl. Red squirrels, white tailed deer and coyotes also roam the area. In the wintertime, the trails are a cross-country skiers’ paradise offering a quiet and picturesque white wonderland. For more information on the Brandon Hills Wildlife Area, contact Manitoba Natural Resources at 1-800-214-6497.

Stott Site – “On the Trail of the Buffalo Chase”

Located in Grand Valley Provincial Park, approximately a 10-minute drive west of Brandon along Grand Valley Road. The Park is also accessible along the Trans Canada Highway heading west.

In 1945, local farmer Frank Stott made a magnificent discovery while working on his Grand Valley land. As he began to dig into what seemed to be an untouched mound of dirt, he surprisingly unearthed an enormous deposit of bison bones, pottery and native arrowheads that would prove to be one of the largest archaeological discoveries in the region. Today, the Stott Site, named in Frank’s honour, is marked by a historical plaque detailing the exact excavation area. Adjacent to the site is an interpretive trail and lookout tower that describes the great buffalo hunt and the method that was used to kill these large animals. An actual “pound” or “trap” has been recreated along with life-size tipi structures. Archaeologists have determined this area to be one of the largest kill sites in southwestern Manitoba and it is indeed a reminder of the great aboriginal tribes that once roamed the prairie landscape.

Touring Scenic Southwest Manitoba

Riding Mountain National Park Located 100 km (60 miles) north on Hwy. #10

As one of Canada’s 34 National Parks, Riding Mountain provides visitors with an opportunity to interact with wildlife and learn a little bit more about the natural wonders of the area. There are over 400 kilometers of trails marking the park’s diverse landscape. One can travel through mystical boreal forest, picturesque aspen parklands, vast open grassland and wild prairie meadows. The park offers interpretive programs, camping and picnic sites. *Clear Lake* is the main waterbody and the townsite is *Wasagaming* offering a variety of tourist amenities.

Souris Located 47 km (28 miles) southwest of Brandon on Hwy. #10 and Hwy. #2

Souris boasts *Canada’s longest suspension bridge* that was built in 1904. Measuring a length of 177 meters (582 feet), the swinging bridge is located in the heart of the town and adjacent to the *Hillcrest Museum*. During your visit to the town, be sure to test your luck at rock hounding in the nearby *Souris Agate Pits* where the largest varieties of semi-precious stones exist in North America. *Victoria Park* and

the *Souris Bird Sanctuary* are a relaxing way to spend a day. Be sure to visit the *Old Oak Tree* and the town's friendly peacock!

Spruce Woods Provincial Park Located 65 km (39 miles) east on Hwy. #1 and Hwy. #5

Explore the mystical "*Spirit Sands*" of Spruce Woods with towering sand dunes of up to 30 meters in height. This desert-like region is surrounded by stands of spruce trees and offers many interpretive hiking trails to unique places as the "*Devils Punch Bowl*" – a pond formed from a system of underground streams. You can also enjoy visiting the "*Spirit Sands*" by a guided horse-drawn wagon. The park offers a variety of other activities including camping, hiking, fishing, mountain biking and cross-country skiing in the winter.

Turtle Mountain Provincial Park Located 90 km (54 miles) south on Hwy. #10

This park is designed with the recreational enthusiast in mind and visitors will enjoy exploring the region by foot, bike or horseback. An extensive trail system includes some paved portions as well as natural pathways to such places as the "*Turtle's Back Summit*". Canoeing across the cool, pristine waters of the many lakes is also a popular activity along with snowmobiling and cross-country skiing in the winter. Turtle Mountain also offers numerous campsites located around *Adam, Bower, and William Lakes*.

Boissevain

Located 45 km (27 miles) south of Brandon on Hwy. #10

As gateway to the International Peace Gardens, Boissevain is an inspiring community of living colour and often noted as the town with the "Outdoor Art Gallery". 25 hand-painted murals can be found on a variety of local buildings throughout the town, which depict the area's history, culture, and lifestyle. While in Boissevain, be sure to visit "*Tommy the Turtle*", a 28-foot statue representing the annual "*Canadian National Turtle Derby*", as well as the *Beckoning Hills Museum* and *Moncur Gallery*.

Carberry

Located 51 km (30 miles) east of Brandon along Hwy #1

Experience "*King Spud Country*", the town that is known for its extensive agricultural production of potatoes. Situated next to *Spruce Woods Provincial Park*, visitors will discover the wonders of the "*Spirit Sands*", a desert like region marked with a variety of interpretive trails. The Carberry Plains Museum explores Manitoba's past from its earliest settlements to present day life. Also be sure to visit the *Seton Center* which explores the life of Ernest Thomas Seton, the world famous naturalist, writer, and artist.

International Peace Gardens

Located 90 km (54 miles) south of Brandon on Hwy. #10

This is the world's largest garden (2,339 acres) that is dedicated to peace. It shares a border with the United States and Canada and offers visitors the chance to walk amidst a flourishing garden of flowers and scenic landscape stretching 2.4 km (1.5 miles). At the end of the walkway lies the *Peace Tower* 36.6 meters (120 feet) tall with four columns representing the

Four Corners of the earth. The garden also features the *Peace Chapel*, the *Carillon Bell Tower* which chimes every 15 minutes, a variety of water fountains, the sunken garden and *Arboretum*.

Killarney

Located 108 km (65 miles) south of Brandon on Hwy. #10, then east on Hwy. #3

Killarney is truly an Irish town boasting a green fire truck, a blarney stone and a leprechaun. Situated on a lake, the town offers a mix of recreational opportunities year round including swimming, boating, hiking and fishing. Be sure to visit some of the historic buildings including the *Heritage House* and the *J.A.V. David Museum*.

Minnedosa

Located 48 km (29 miles) north of Brandon on Hwy. #10

Minnedosa is nestled around a beautiful lake offering a mix of recreational opportunities year round. Be sure to visit *Minnedosa beach*, a perfect place to spend a relaxing afternoon. Along the lakeshore, enjoy the town's *Historic Walking Tour* that explores the early beginnings of the area. Visualize the great glacier that once covered the area and its meltwaters that carved out the valley. The tour also includes one of the town's newest attractions, a 35-acre *bison enclosure*.

Neepawa

Located 75 km (45 miles) northeast of Brandon along Hwy. #10 and Hwy. #16

Experience the "*Lily Capital of the World*" and the colourful splendor of the "*Lily Nook*". Neepawa has more varieties of lilies growing than any other place in the world and is truly a city in bloom. The best months to visit and see the flowers in bloom are July and August. Neepawa also boasts the *Margaret Laurence House*, now a provincial heritage site and living memorial to one of Canada's most famous authors. The *Beautiful Plains Museum* is also an interesting place to visit offering three floors of pioneer exhibits and artifacts.

For more information on tours in southwest Manitoba, call Brandon Tourism at (204) 729-2141, Toll Free: 1-888-799-1111 or The Southwest Trails Association at (204) 726-1513, www.southwestmanitoba.ca.

Events

In addition to the Annual Events Calendar, Brandon Tourism produces a monthly events calendar listing most of the events taking place in the City of Brandon.

Additional information or copies of the monthly or annual events calendar may be obtained by calling the Brandon Tourism Office at (204) 729-2141 or emailing brandontourism@westman.wave.ca

Employment Opportunities

If you are looking for employment in the Brandon area, opportunities can be accessed by calling the Human Resources Development Canada Telemessage at the number listed below. The Brandon Sun displays employment opportunities in the classified section. Listed on the next page are some suggestions to assist you with finding employment in the City of Brandon.

Human Resources Development Canada

Location: 1039 Princess Avenue
Brandon, MB R7A 6E2
Phone: (204) 726-7700 (General Office)
(204) 726-7763 (Employment Opportunities Telemessage)
Toll Free: (800) 663-4276

Employment Opportunities: <http://www.mb.hrdc-drhc.gc.ca/menu/work.shtml#job>

Brandon Sun

Location: 501 Rosser Avenue
Brandon, MB R7A 0K4
Phone: (204) 727-2451

www.brandonsun.mb.ca

Brandonjobs.com (Connecting Careers & Communities)

Location: 1 – 940 Princess Avenue
Brandon MB R7A 0P6
Phone: (204) 729-8223
Email: info@brandonjobs.com
Website: www.brandonjobs.com

Thank you for your interest in the RM of Cornwallis

For More Information or Assistance, please contact:

Rural Municipality of Cornwallis

Site 500, Box 10 RR # 15

Brandon MB R7A 5Y5

Phone: 204-725-8686

Fax: 204-725-3659

Email: info@gov.cornwallis.mb.ca

Office Hours: Monday – Friday, 8:30 am – 12:00 pm and 1:00 pm – 5:00 pm
(4:30 pm July & August)