### Manitoba 55+ Games 2021

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55+ Games
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Virtually, until we can meet again.

Virtually June 14 - July 16, until we can meet again.

## Count yourself in!

Join us virtually June 14 – July 16, 2021



#### What are the 55+ Games and how do I participate?

The Manitoba 55+ Games have been in existence since 1983, encouraging older adults to participate, try new activities and have fun. Amid a pandemic, hosting a large-scale in-person event was not possible. AAIM has pivoted and re-focused the Manitoba 55+ Games virtually for 2021.

Safety is our top priority; we are bringing the games to you, close to home. Events have been selected based on what we are able to do safely within our communities and individual 'bubbles' while abiding by the current public health orders.

#### **Featured events:**

- Walk or run at your own pace
- Cycle at your own pace
- Bocce Ball
- Nordic Pole walk at your own pace
- 9 Hole Golf or 18 Hole Golf
- Bocce Ball
- Horseshoes

- Arts & Craft
- Pickleball
- Badminton
- Tennis
- Cribbage
- Whist
- Scrabble





Participate at your own pace while safely following current public health guidelines.

Join many other Manitobans, to connect virtually in the 2021 MB 55+ Games – it's simple, free and FUN!



When: Monday, June 14 – Friday, July 16, 2021. You have an entire month to participate!

Where: Close to home, safely in your community with the people in your 'bubble.'

**Registration is FREE!** 

\*Registration is required to be eligible for prizes



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Be part of something GREAT! Commit to a healthier, more active YOU this summer and COMMIT TO PARTICIPATE with these 3 easy steps:

#### 1. REGISTER

Select which Virtual Games event or activity that you would like to enjoy during June 14 – July 16, 2021 from the enclosed list.

Fill out the attached registration form with your information and send it to the MB 55+ Games office:

By Mail: Email:

Active Aging in Manitoba (AAIM) 1075 Leila Avenue, Winnipeg MB R2P 2W7 manitoba55plusgames@gmail.com

You can also call us at the MB 55+ Games office (**204-261-9257** or toll-free at **1-866-202-6663**) and let us know that you are taking the pledge.

#### 2. TRACK

Keep track of your event or activity during **June 14 – July 16, 2021** with the enclosed activity tracker. Count yourself in. Celebrate your personal achievements!

#### 3. SHARE

After the participation period (June 14 - July 16) share your personal participation story with us and be entered to WIN some amazing prizes! Email or mail us a story, photo or video of you participating and tell us about your experience! Please see the contact information listed above.

#### You don't need to be an athletic superstar to participate.

Our 55+Games are all about participation, fun and engagement. Check out the Games Event guide for more information about how to play an activity or event. There is something for everyone!

#### For more information:

- Check out our Frequently Asked Questions (FAQ) sheet
- Contact our games office at 204-261-9257
- Email Games Coordinator: manitoba55plusgames@gmail.com
- Visit the Active Aging in MB website: www.activeagingmb.ca



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#### We want to know how you are staying active!

Register with us and your name will be entered in a draw for some active aging prizes. You could win a set of Urban Poles (walking poles), T-Shirts, Exercise bands or gift certificates.

#### Fill out this registration form and send it to Active Aging in Manitoba:

By mail:	Active Aging in Manitoba (AAIM) 1075 Leila Avenue Winnipeg, Manitoba R2P 2W7	By email: ma	nitoba 55 plus games@gmail.com
My name is (	please print):		
(First Name)	(Last Name	e)	
Mailing add	ress:		
(Apt/Street #)	(Street)	(Town/City)	(Postal Code)
Phone numb	per:		
Email addre	55:		
(Optional) B	irthdate:		
(Month / Day	/ Year)		
What 55+ Ga	ames event(s) are you participating in t	to help you stay act	cive and connected?
			Active Aging In Manitoba

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### Share your experience with us!

#### **Congratulations**

You did it! Now, tell us about your experience. After the participation period (June 14 - July 16) share your personal participation story with us and be entered to WIN some amazing prizes!

Along with your completed Activity Tracker, email or mail us a **story, photo or video** of you participating and tell us about your experience.

By mail: Active Aging in Manitoba (AAIM)

1075 Leila Avenue

Winnipeg, Manitoba R2P 2W7

By email: manitoba55plusgames@gmail.com

#### Reflection - some thoughts to get you started:

- What event/activity did you enjoy?
- How did it make you feel?

- What did you discover?
- Were there any obstacles you had to overcome?

Tell us about your Virtual Games experience: (Please use other side if you need more space)				
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#### **How to share your digital pictures**

- 1. Find the picture you want to share on your cellular phone, tablet, or digital camera.
- 2. If you are using a digital camera, you can print your picture or download it to a computer.
- 3. Attach the photos you wish to share to an email along with your story and activity tracker and send to: manitoba55plusgames@gmail.com

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\*If you need assistance, please give us a call at the Games office at (204) 261-9257