

Science North and Dynamic Earth extend hours for the summer and bring in new experiences

(SUDBURY, ON) – Science North and Dynamic Earth are now open from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. seven days a week until September 2, 2024. All summer, Science North will feature the special exhibition, Extreme Sports, new IMAX movies, and Planetarium shows. Dynamic Earth's recently renovated lapidary lab will compliment returning favourites like the underground mine tour and outdoor science park.

At Science North, Extreme Sports: Beyond Human Limits features 16 sports that bring science and adventure together in a way that sparks curiosity. Visitors can look forward to challenging their balance on a high line, moving through a parkour course, or scaling a climbing wall. For a truly unique experience, feel what it's like to move on the Moon with a special harness simulating the Moon's gravity in the Moonwalk exhibit on the fourth floor of the science centre.

Over at Dynamic Earth, rocks and minerals take centre stage and rock nerds can create their own treasure to take home in the lapidary lab. For families looking to spend the day at Dynamic Earth, put on a hard hat and descend seven storeys underground to walk in the footsteps of Sudbury's miners before getting some fresh air in the outdoor science park.

New in IMAX

Trolls Band Together

July 3 to July 13

Poppy discovers that Branch and his four brothers were once part of her favorite boy band. When one of his siblings, Floyd, gets kidnapped by a pair of nefarious villains, Branch and Poppy embark on a harrowing and emotional journey to reunite the other brothers and rescue Floyd from a fate even worse than pop culture obscurity.

Kung Fu Panda 4

July 17 to July 27

After Po is tapped to become the Spiritual Leader of the Valley of Peace, he needs to find and train a new Dragon Warrior, while a wicked sorceress plans to re-summon all the master villains whom Po has vanquished to the spirit realm.

Fungi: Web of Life

July 1 to November 2024

Much of life on Earth is connected by a vast, hidden network that we are only just beginning to understand. Out of sight, between the world of plants and animals, another world exists — the kingdom of fungi.

T.REX

July 1 to March 2025

For over a hundred years, dinosaurs have inspired and thrilled audiences, commanding blockbuster status in museums and at the box office. But among them towers a king—a tyrant lizard king. With leaps in CGI wizardry and revolutions in tyrannosaur paleontology over the past twenty-five years, the time has come to revisit Rex.

Planetarium Features

For fans of Pink Floyd, the Planetarium is featuring the iconic album Dark Side of the Moon set to stunning visuals for a truly immersive experience. Stargazing enthusiasts can also enjoy a live show with a Science North Bluecoat who will guide them on a solar system tour. Outdoor star parties are also taking place on July 19 and August 9 and are now happening rain or shine with special activities in the Planetarium beforehand.

To buy tickets to Science North or Dynamic Earth or to learn more about summer offerings, visit sciencenorth.ca

About Science North

Science North is Northern Ontario's most popular tourist attraction and an educational resource for children and adults across the province. Science North maintains the second – and eighth-largest science centres in Canada. Science North's attractions include a science centre, IMAX® theatre, digital Planetarium, butterfly gallery, special exhibits hall, and Dynamic Earth: Home of the Big Nickel. Science North, in partnership with Laurentian University, offers North America's first and only comprehensive Science Communication program, a joint master's and Graduate Diploma program. As part of its mandate, Science North provides science experiences throughout Northern Ontario including outreach to schools and festivals, summer science camps and more, and has a permanent base in Thunder Bay providing outreach to the Northwest. Science North is an agency of the Government of Ontario. For more information, visit sciencenorth.ca.

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