

# Pictures in the Park

Update your  
family wall!

by *Photo Expressions*

## Special Package Offerings:

### Package 1:

1 pose

(1) 8x10  
(4) 5x7  
(3) 4x6

**\$95**

(\$25 Savings)

### Package 2:

2 Poses

(2) 8x10  
(6) 5x7  
(6) 4x6

**\$150**

(\$60 Savings)

### Package 3:

2 Poses

(2) 8x10  
(4) 5x7  
(6) 4x6  
(25) Cards (Christmas)  
(1) 2' x 3' Canvas Wrap

**\$250**

(\$170 Savings – 40%!)

### Package 4:

3 poses

(3) 8x10  
(6) 5x7  
(9) 4x6  
(50) Cards (Christmas)  
(1) 2' x 3' Canvas Wrap  
Entire Proof Album

**\$500**

(\$280 Savings)

## A La Carte Pricing (Available after a Package Purchase)

Cards: (25) \$50

Sheet: (1) \$30 (A sheet is 1 8x10, or 2 5x7, or 3 4x6)

2'x3' Canvas wrap \$250

Proof Album: \$160

## FAQ:

### Do I have to make an appointment or can I show up at the park?

These portraits are by appointment only to allow each family their own session without a long waiting period. Call 604-463-3654 to book your appointment time to get your treasured family portrait on your wall!

### How long is my session?

You will have a 30 minute session. Please arrive 15 minutes early so that you are ready to go when your session starts. We suggest parking at the Fern Crescent parking lot for Maple Ridge Park Photos, and in the regular parking lot for Meadow Gardens.

### What is the session cost?

There is a \$50 nonrefundable session fee for your appointment. This is payable at time of booking.

### What if it rains?

If it rains, the date will be rescheduled. If you are unable to attend the rescheduled session, you will receive a \$50 gift card to Photo Express that you can use in our Portrait studio, or on any merchandise in the store.

### Can I bring extended family members?

Yes, absolutely! This portrait is going to go up on your wall so include whomever you wish. Keep in mind, your session is 30 minutes, so the more family members there are, the less time there is for extra shots as each setup takes longer.

### Can I bring my dog or other pets?

Absolutely! We love dogs and know that they are part of your family. Just make sure that your dog is well exercised that day and is on a leash. Please bring baggies to clean up any mess made. Treats are also a good idea to help get the dog's attention. You are welcome to bring other pets as long as they are on a leash or can be contained so there are no escapees! You don't want to spend your session chasing after your pet.

### Can I take my own photos?

Our photographer will need the entire 30 minutes to ensure your family is captured in the best possible way. You are more than welcome to take your own photos once your session is finished.

### I have young children. What is the best way to prepare them?

You know your child best. Decide if it is best to give them lots of notice that you will be having fun family photos taken at Maple Ridge Park or Meadow Gardens, or if it is best to tell them shortly before leaving. If you child has a favourite "security" blanket or toy, bring it along. They will be more comfortable holding it, and you will cherish that item being in the portrait as they grow older. If you bring treats or snacks, make sure they are not messy...no orange cheesies or melting chocolate! Make sure your child is well rested, this is not the day to run 50 errands with the kids in tow. Let them know ahead of time, that playing in the park will happen after their photos are taken. This is a good incentive for them to co-operate. If they play before, they might get dirty. We will be taking a variety of poses from a few formal to casual and fun playing ones so your children will have lots of fun. Our photographers have lots of experience with kids, so don't stress out. Just let them know that they will be having their picture taken and then let us do the rest.

### What should we wear?

There are many different schools of thought on this one! Our best advice is to wear what makes you feel like a million bucks and you are comfortable in. If you are uncomfortable or self conscious, that will show up in your portrait. This usually means that mom gets to pick her outfit first and then the rest of the family gets to coordinate around her ;). We recommend solid colors and classic styles for a timeless quality. The clothing should not be the focal point of any family portrait - avoid bright colors and bold patterns or stripes; graphic tees or large lettering and sports jerseys. The focus of your photos is on you so you want it to be fun but not eye catching. The trend now is not too "matchy matchy". We recommend picking colours that complement but aren't the exact same. You don't have to go out and buy new clothes (unless of course you want to). Wear what you already own. If you would like some ideas to draw from, check out our [Pinterest board What to Wear for Portraits](#) for some great ideas and colour combos. We can't stress it enough – be comfortable!

### When will I see my portraits?

A proof album will be available for you to view at Photo Express a week following your session. Your proofs will be fully professionally edited to show you in the best possible way. You will be able to place your order at the store. If you wish to take home the proofs to have more time to make your decision or need other family member's input, there is a \$160 deposit charge that is refunded when you return them.

### Once I order, when will my portraits be ready for pickup?

Your order will be ready approx. 1 week after you order to allow for professional editing and production. We will give you a more specific date once you place your order.