

## Sunny Lake Forestry Base Camp

Kitchen and Dining area, generator and propane stove/fridge, sleeping facilities. Main building has been recently renovated including winterized sleeping area, bedrooms and wood stove. Tent frames.



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### **Owner**

[Government of the Northwest Territories, Department of Environment and Natural Resources](#)

### **Membership**

Regular Member

### **Latitude**

67.849992

### **Longitude**

-132.585825

### **Location**

Sunny Lake

### **Nearest Community**

Inuvik

### **Territory/ Province**

Northwest Territories

### **Aboriginal Government/ Homeland**

Gwich'in Tribal Council [www.gwichintribalcouncil.com](http://www.gwichintribalcouncil.com)

### **Facility Type**

Seasonally Operated Field Camp

### **Research Hinterland**

Continuous Permafrost, Lake, Lichen, Taiga / Boreal forest, Woodland Tundra

**Main Research Disciplines**

Climatology, Environmental Sciences, Geocryology, Geomorphology, Glaciology, Limnology, Paleocology, Paleolimnology, Soil Science, Terrestrial Biology/Ecology, Traditional/Aboriginal Knowledge

**Power**

Generator, Solar

**Communications**

Satellite phone, VHF

**Local Transportation**

Helicopter or fixed wing in summer, snow machine in winter.

**Equipment Storage**

Storage is available

**Dormitory/Sleeping Facilities**

Winterized sleeping area with wood stove.

**Dining/Kitchen Facilities**

Dining area Kitchen with propane stove, fridge, sinks.

**Laboratory Facilities**

N/A

**Fuel Availability**

Fuel cache on site for Jet A

**Research Requirements**

Licenses through: Dept. of Environment and Natural Resources (ENR) in Inuvik (867) 678-6691. Contact Aurora Research Institute for permit advice (867) 777-3298

**Special Rules and Regulations**

Must comply with all GNWT fishing and hunting regulations

**Local External Resources**

Inuvik (73 km by air)

**Nearest Medical Service**

Inuvik (73 km by air)

**Safety Considerations**

Grizzly Bears in area, isolation

**Cost**

Free, but must get permission from ENR in Inuvik.

**Other Information**

Inuvik is a small town on the east channel of the Mackenzie River Delta, 117 km south of the Beaufort Sea in the North West Territory (NWT) of Canada. Inuvik is located on a small wooded plateau within the northernmost reaches of the treeline east of the Richardson Mountains. It is the main supply base for petrochemical exploration activities in the Beaufort Sea with strong infrastructure facilities in mining, oil and gas, manufacturing, construction, transportation and storage. Wholesale and retail trade, finance, real estate and insurance services support local businesses and tourism. The Inuvik Aurora Research Centre is

located next to the Post Office building near the only traffic signal light in town. About 10 km from the airport and a 10 minute walk to the Mackenzie River. Current development includes all-season road to Tuktoyuktuk and the Beaufort Sea as well as a new fibre optic link with south.

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