

55+ Programs In-person and online

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# Refunds / Withdrawals / Transfers

To receive a refund, withdraw or transfer from a program or class, customers are to phone any Parks, Recreation and Culture facility or the Registration Call Centre at 604-276-4300, Monday to Friday, 8:30am to 5:00pm.

#### **Seasonal Programs**

Unless otherwise specified:

- If notice is given prior to the beginning of the third session of the class, a refund, less classes taken, will be provided.
- If notice is given after the beginning of the third session, no refund will be given.

### Private/Semi-Private Lessons (Music, Aquatics and Skating), Aquatic Leadership Courses

- If notice is given 72 hours prior to the start of the course, a full refund will be provided.
- If notice is given less than 72 hours prior to the start of the course, no refund will be provided.

### **Short Programs (1 week or less), Out Trips and Workshops** Unless otherwise specified:

- If less than one week's notice is given, 50% of the fee will be provided.
- If notice is given on or after the start date of the program, no refund will be provided.
- Transfers will be allowed with 72 hours notice prior to the start date of the program.

### Pre-Registered single sessions (Fitness Classes and Court Bookings)

- If notice is given prior to the start of the session, a full refund will be provided.
- Visit richmond.ca/register to learn how to cancel your session or contact the facility directly.

Note: Some courses and activities may have a no-refund policy for items such as art supplies or special guests.

### 3 Ways to Register



### **Online**

#### richmond.ca/register

Register online anytime.

24 hours a day, 7 days a week



#### **Phone**

604-276-4300

Phone and press "2" to speak with a Customer Service Agent.

Monday-Friday, 8:30am-5:00pm



### **In-person**

Drop-in and register at any community facility

### You will need

**▼** Your online registration account

If you have not activated your account and need assistance, call 604-276-4300 or visit **richmond.ca/reghelp**.

### Your Course ID number

You can find this eight-digit number under the course description.

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✓ Your method of payment

Pay with AMEX, Visa or MasterCard.

Note: Cash, debit and cheques are currently only accepted in-person at facilities.

5% GST will be added to all applicable programs and services.

### **Arts—Dance**

# ANCIENT ECHOES—THE SPIRIT OF CHINESE DANCING

Learn about and experience firsthand these early Chinese dance forms that burst with rich theatrical and elegant themes from the 12th century. No experience required. Suitable for all skill levels.

#### **West Richmond Community Centre**

TRY-IT Apr 26	Sa	3:00-4:15pm.	Free/1	sess	00386054
May 3-Jun 22	Sa	3:00-4:15pm.	\$57.10	)/7 sess .	00386055

#### **BALLROOM DANCING-BEGINNER**

Dance for fitness and fun in these introductory sessions that cover basic steps and foundational techniques. Designed for those new to this style of dance. Suitable for singles and pairs.

#### Seniors Centre-Minoru Centre for Active Living

Apr 9-May 7W	5:00-6:30pm	\$48.95/5 sess	00384997
May 14-Jun 18 W	5:00-6:30pm	\$48.95/5 sess	00384998

#### **Thompson Community Centre**

Apr 16-Jun 1	1W	. 9:00-10:30a	ım \$88.15/9	sess 00390774
Apr 17-Jun 1	2Th	.6:30-8:00pn	n\$88.15/9	sess 00389876

#### **West Richmond Community Centre**

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TRY-IT Apr 4	F	.3:30-4:30pm	Free/1 sess	.00395328		
TRY-IT Apr 4	F	. 4:40-5:40pm	Free/1 sess	.00395329		
TRY-IT Apr 6	Su	.11:30am-12:30pm	Free/1 sess	.00386724		
Apr 11-Jun 20.	F	.3:30-4:30pm	\$65.30/10 sess	.00395331		
Apr 11-Jun 20.	F	. 4:40-5:40pm	\$65.30/10 sess	.00395332		
Apr 13-Jun 22.	Su	.11:30am-12:30pm	\$58.75/9 sess	.00386778		

#### **BALLROOM DANCING-INTERMEDIATE**

Build skills, expand ability and learn dance variations in these next step sessions. Suitable for singles and pairs. Pre-requisite: Ballroom Dancing–Beginner.

#### Seniors Centre-Minoru Centre for Active Living

Apr 7-Jun 16 .... M .... 6:30-8:00pm....\$118.80 (45-54yrs)/9 sess... 00384232 \$88.15 (55yrs+)/9 sess

#### **Thompson Community Centre**

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Apr 12-Jun	15Sa	1:30-3:00pm	\$78.35/8 sess	00393364

#### **West Richmond Community Centre**

TRY-IT Apr 6	Su 12:3	35-1:35pm.	Free/1 sess	.00386744
Apr 13-Jun 22	Su 12:3	35-1:35pm.	\$58.75/9 sess	.00386779

#### **BALLROOM DANCING-ULTIMATE**

Experience this beautiful form of dance, learn a new style every month and enjoy the many health benefits these sessions offer. Instructed by two professional and award-winning dancers.

#### **South Arm Community Centre**

Apr 11-May 2	F	5:00-6:30p	m \$45/3	sess	00390885
May 9-May 30	F	5:00-6:30p	m\$60/4	sess	00390886
Jun 6-Jun 27	F	5:00-6:30p	m\$60/4	sess	00390887

#### **BAROQUE DANCING-LEVEL 1 AND 2**

Learn and enjoy this early form of dance that includes social, theatrical and elegant themes from the 17th and 18th centuries. Suitable for all levels.

#### **West Richmond Community Centre**

#### **BELLYDANCING-LEVEL 1**

Sweat and shimmy in these positive, fun and highly expressive dance sessions that focus primarily on movements of the hips and torso.

#### Seniors Centre-Minoru Centre for Active Living

May 1-Jun 19 ..... Th..... 3:15-4:30pm ...... \$65.30/8 sess ..... 00394975

#### CONDITIONING THROUGH DANCE

Improve overall health and body conditioning through a combination of ballet techniques and jazz dancing that focuses on core strength, posture, flexibility and increasing cardio health. No dance experience required

#### Seniors Centre-Minoru Centre for Active Living

Apr 9-May 7V	V11:45am-12:45pm.	\$32.65/5 sess	00383631
May 14-Jun 18V	V 11:45am-12:45pm.	\$39.20/6 sess	00385046

#### **DANCE AND MOTION**

Get fit while having fun in these upbeat sessions designed for new and experienced dancers. Music ranges from popular jazz, Motown, disco and pop for learning and building dance skills while making lots of social connections

#### Seniors Centre-Minoru Centre for Active Living

Apr 11-May 9	.F 12:15-1:15pm	\$26.10/4 sess	.00384866
May 16-Jun 20	.F 12:15-1:15pm	\$39.20/6 sess	.00384872

#### **DANCE MOVES**

Enjoy a great workout with fun and easy-to-follow dance routines. Suitable for all fitness and experience levels.

#### **Cambie Community Centre**

Apr 7-Jun 23 ...... M ...... 10:00-11:00am .......... \$65.30/10 sess .... 00382153

#### HAWAIIAN HULA DANCING-BEGINNER

Learn and practice the basic techniques and rhythmic patterns of this graceful and expressive cultural dance form that engages the body, mind and spirit. Some dance movements may be performed sitting down.

#### Seniors Centre-Minoru Centre for Active Living

May 2-Jun 20	F 10:00-11:0	0am \$52.25/8	sess 00389853

#### **Steveston Community Centre**

May 2-Jun 20 F 1	12:00-1:00pm	\$52.25/8 sess	00390448
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#### **HIP HOP**

Cover fundamental choreography, technique and freestyle in these positive and fun sessions that include grooving, pop and locking, krumping and street jazz movements.

#### West Richmond Community Centre

Apr 10-Jun 12 .....Th...... 2:15-3:15pm...... \$65.30/10 sess .... 00394367

#### JAZZ AND BALLET BLEND-BEGINNER

Explore some fundamental techniques of two dance styles along with choreography in these upbeat and enjoyable sessions.

#### **West Richmond Community Centre**

Apr 9-Jun 11 ...... W ...... 2:15-3:15pm ...... \$65.30/10 sess .... 00385413

#### **JAZZ DANCING**

Learn a variety of techniques and classic jazz dance steps set to fun and energetic music.

#### **City Centre Community Centre**

Apr	2-30	)	 W	3:15-4	:15	pm	 	\$32.65/5 sess	00391009
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#### Seniors Centre-Minoru Centre for Active Living

Apr 7-May 1	2M	12:00-1:00pm	\$32.65/5 sess	00383627
May 26-Jun	16M	12:00-1:00pm	\$26.10/4 sess	00383628

#### LINE DANCING-BEGINNER

Practice the fun, easy-to-learn and basic moves that make up current line dancing today. No experience required.

#### **City Centre Community Centre**

#### Seniors Centre-Minoru Centre for Active Living

Apr 15-Jun 10 .....Tu ...... 2:00-3:00pm ....... \$58.75/9 sess ..... 00384807

#### **South Arm Community Centre**

Apr 16-Jun 11 ..... W ...... 3:45-4:45pm ...... \$58.75/9 sess ..... 00387012

#### **Steveston Community Centre**

Apr 17-Jun 12 .....Th...... 2:00-3:00pm ....... \$58.75/9 sess ..... 00390466

#### LINE DANCING-BEGINNER-IMPROVER

Improve dance moves and learn more complex steps and patterns to Latin, Ballroom, country and popular music. Pre-requisite: Previous line dancing experience.

#### **South Arm Community Centre**

Apr 16-Jun 11 ..... W ...... 2:30-3:30pm ...... \$58.75/9 sess ..... 00392411

#### **Steveston Community Centre**

Apr 17-Jun 12 .....Th......3:15-4:15pm.......\$58.75/9 sess ......00390441

#### LINE DANCING-INTERMEDIATE

Improve beginner moves and learn more advanced ones in these social and physically active sessions. Pre-requisite: Previous line dancing experience.

#### Seniors Centre-Minoru Centre for Active Living

Apr 15-Jun 10 .....Tu...... 3:15-4:15pm...... \$58.75/9 sess ..... 00384808

#### LINE DANCING-INTERNATIONAL-NEW BEGINNER

Learn some of the basic, easy-to-learn steps for short dances set to popular music.

#### Seniors Centre-Minoru Centre for Active Living

Apr 2-Jun 25 ......W ...... 11:00am-12:00pm ..... \$78.35/12 sess .... 00384994

#### LINE DANCING-INTERNATIONAL-BEGINNER

Follow easy-to-learn steps for short dances set to popular music. Prerequisite: Basic line dancing experience.

#### Seniors Centre-Minoru Centre for Active Living

Apr 5-Jun 28 .... Sa ... 2:15-3:45pm.. \$158.40 (45-54yrs)/12 sess .. 00389882 \$117.55 (55yrs+)/12 sess

#### LINE DANCING-INTERNATIONAL-BEGINNER-IMPROVER

Build on easy-to-learn steps for short dances set to popular music. Prerequisite: Beginner line dancing experience.

#### Seniors Centre-Minoru Centre for Active Living

Apr 2-Jun 25 ...... W ...... 2:15-3:45pm ...... \$117.55/12 sess .. 00384996

### LINE DANCING-INTERNATIONAL-INTERMEDIATE-IMPROVER

Move to a variety of styles and popular music and cover interesting combinations, steps, patterns and movements. Pre-requisite: Strong knowledge of international line dancing steps and terminology.

#### Seniors Centre-Minoru Centre for Active Living

Apr 5-Jun 28 ......Sa..... 12:30-2:00pm ...... \$117.55/12 sess .. 00389881

### LINE DANCING-INTERNATIONAL-INTERMEDIATE/ADVANCED

Move to a variety of styles and popular music and cover interesting combinations, steps, patterns and movements. Pre-requisite: Previous line dancing experience and strong knowledge of international line dancing steps and terminology.

#### Seniors Centre-Minoru Centre for Active Living

Apr 2-Jun 25 ...... W ...... 12:30-2:00pm ...... \$117.55/12 sess .. 00384995

# LINE DANCING VARIETY-NEW BEGINNER (CANTONESE/MANDARIN)

Focus on the fundamental steps of this dance form that are adaptable to country, ballroom, rock and roll, disco, Latin and pop music. Conducted in Cantonese and Mandarin. Suitable for new dancers. No experience required.

#### Seniors Centre-Minoru Centre for Active Living

Apr 7-May 12M	12:00-1:00pm	\$32.65/5 sess	00383917
Apr 11-May 9F	9:30-10:30am	\$26.10/4 sess	00389856
May 16-Jun 20 F	9:30-10:30am	\$39.20/6 sess	00389872
May 26-Jun 16 M	12:00-1:00pm	\$26.10/4 sess	00384231

#### LINE DANCING VARIETY-BEGINNER

Focus on the fundamental steps of this dance form that are adaptable to country, ballroom, rock and roll, disco, Latin and pop music.

#### **Thompson Community Centre**

Apr 16-Jun 18 ..... W ...... 10:45-11:45am ........... \$65.30/10 sess .... 00389383

# LINE DANCING VARIETY-BEGINNER LEVEL 1 (CANTONESE/MANDARIN)

Focus on the fundamental steps of this dance form that are adaptable to country, ballroom, rock and roll, disco, Latin and pop music. Conducted in Cantonese and Mandarin. Pre-requisite: Beginner line dancing experience.

#### Seniors Centre-Minoru Centre for Active Living

Apr 7-May 12 M	.10:45-11:45am	. \$32.65/5 sess	00383914
Apr 11-May 9F	.10:45-11:45am	. \$26.10/4 sess	00389874
May 16-Jun 20 F	.10:45-11:45am	. \$39.20/6 sess	00389875
May 26-Jun 16 M	.10:45-11:45am	. \$26.10/4 sess	00383915

# LINE DANCING VARIETY-BEGINNER LEVEL 2 (CANTONESE AND MANDARIN)

Master the fundamental steps of this dance style that are adaptable to country, ballroom, rock and roll, disco, Latin and pop music. Conducted in Cantonese and Mandarin. Pre-requisite: Beginner line dancing experience.

#### Seniors Centre-Minoru Centre for Active Living

Apr 8-May 6	Tu	9:45-10:45am	\$32.65/5	sess	.00384377
Apr 10-May 8					
May 13-Jun 17	Tu	9:45-10:45am	\$39.20/6	sess	.00384447
May 15-Jun 19	Th	10:45-11:45am	\$39.20/6	sess	.00385700

#### TAP DANCING-BEGINNER

Tap into some fun and get some great exercise at the same time. No experience required. Tap shoes required.

#### Seniors Centre-Minoru Centre for Active Living

Apr 7-May 12	M 10:45-11:45am	\$32.65/5 sess	00385048
May 26-Jun 16l	M 10:45-11:45am	\$26.10/4 sess	00385049

#### TAP DANCING-INTERMEDIATE

Combine previously learned steps with new moves and choreography in these social sessions that also offer a fun workout. Tap shoes required. Pre-requisite: Beginner tap dancing experience.

#### Seniors Centre-Minoru Centre for Active Living

Apr 9-Jun 18 ...... W ...... 10:00-11:30am ........ \$107.75/11 sess .. 00384865

### **Arts—Music**

### DRUMMING RHYTHMS FROM AROUND THE WORLD

Venture through global rhythms, including Brazilian and African, while learning patterns and tunes on the djembe drum. Drum required at each session or available for use if required.

#### **West Richmond Community Centre**

Apr 25-May 16...F...... 6:30-8:00pm...... \$39.20/4 sess ..... 00389121

#### **GUITAR GROUP LESSONS-BEGINNER LEVEL 1**

Learn the basic fundamentals of guitar chords, tabs, basic fretting and strumming techniques while having fun. No experience required. Guitar required at each session.

#### Seniors Centre-Minoru Centre for Active Living

Apr 4-Jun 27 ...... F....... 12:30-1:30pm ............. \$95.30/12 sess .... 00384809

#### **GUITAR GROUP LESSONS-BEGINNER LEVEL 2**

Build on the basic foundation of guitar chords, tabs and strumming while learning additional techniques through easy-to-learn songs. Prerequisite: Guitar Group Lessons–Beginner Level 1 or previous guitar experience. Guitar required at each session.

#### Seniors Centre-Minoru Centre for Active Living

Apr 4-Jun 27 ......F.......1:45-2:45pm......\$95.30/12 sess ....00384811

#### HAND DRUMMING-BEGINNER

Learn how to make sounds on the djembe drum and play with a group. Emphasis is on listening, learning traditional (and other) rhythms, call and response. No musical training required. Drum provided for use during session.

#### **Steveston Community Centre**

Apr 7-Jun 16 ...... M ...... 12:30-1:30pm ............. \$58.75/9 sess ...... 00390470

#### INTRODUCTION TO PIANO-INTERGENERATIONAL

Learn how to play the keyboard piano in these one-on-one sessions taught by a volunteer instructor. Suitable for beginners up to Level 5. Lessons are individually designed for the ability of each musician. This course is not eligible for support through the Recreation Fee Subsidy Program. Find details at www.richmond.ca/subsidy.

#### **City Centre Community Centre**

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Apr 7-Jun 16 M 4:30-5:15pm \$71.50/10 sess 00390243
Apr 7-Jun 16 M 4:30-5:15pm \$71.50/10 sess 00390248
Apr 7-Jun 16 M 5:30-6:15pm \$71.50/10 sess 00390246
Apr 7-Jun 16 M 5:30-6:15pm \$71.50/10 sess 00390249
Apr 9-Jun 18 W 4:15-5:00pm \$78.65/11 sess 00390251
Apr 9-Jun 18 W 4:30-5:15pm \$78.65/11 sess 00390279
Apr 9-Jun 18 W 5:15-6:00pm \$78.65/11 sess 00390252
Apr 9-Jun 18 W 5:30-6:15pm \$78.65/11 sess 00390281
Apr 11-Jun 20F 4:00-4:45pm \$71.50/10 sess 00390302
Apr 11-Jun 20F 4:30-5:15pm \$71.50/10 sess 00390305
Apr 11-Jun 20F 5:00-5:45pm \$71.50/10 sess 00390303
Apr 11-Jun 20F 5:30-6:15pm \$71.50/10 sess 00390308
Apr 12-Jun 21Sa 10:00-10:45am \$78.65/11 sess 00390309
Apr 12-Jun 21Sa 11:00-11:45am \$78.65/11 sess 00390310
Apr 12-Jun 21Sa 11:00-11:45am \$78.65/11 sess 00390311
Apr 12-Jun 21Sa 12:00-12:45pm \$78.65/11 sess 00390312
Apr 12-Jun 21Sa 2:00-2:45pm \$78.65/11 sess 00390315
Apr 12-Jun 21Sa 3:00-3:45pm \$78.65/11 sess 00390318
Apr 13-Jun 22Su10:00-10:45am \$78.65/11 sess 00390321
Apr 13-Jun 22Su11:00-11:45am \$78.65/11 sess 00390324
Apr 13-Jun 22Su 11:00-11:45am \$78.65/11 sess 00390325

Apr 13-Jun	22Su	12:00-12:45pm	\$78.65/11	sess 00390326
Apr 13-Jun	22Su	1:00-1:45pm	\$78.65/11	sess 00390327
Apr 13-Jun	22Su	1:00-1:45pm	\$78.65/11	sess 00390330
Apr 13-Jun	22Su	2:00-2:45pm	\$78.65/11	sess 00390328
Apr 13-Jun	22Su	2:00-2:45pm	\$78.65/11	sess 00390331

#### PRIVATE SINGING LESSONS (MANDARIN)

Enhance vocal range, master breathing techniques and build a strong foundation for singing by exploring Chinese pop, folk and opera songs. Conducted in Mandarin.

#### **City Centre Community Centre**

Apr 11-May 16F	.1:00-2:00pm	\$32.65/5 sess	00390623
Apr 11-May 16F	. 2:15-3:15pm	\$32.65/5 sess	00390629
Apr 16-May 14W	.1:00-2:00pm	\$32.65/5 sess	00390609
Apr 16-May 14W	.2:15-3:15pm	\$32.65/5 sess	00390612
May 21-Jun 18 W	.1:00-2:00pm	\$32.65/5 sess	00390637
May 21-Jun 18 W	.2:15-3:15pm	\$32.65/5 sess	00390638
May 23-Jun 20 F	.1:00-2:00pm	\$32.65/5 sess	00390639
May 23-Jun 20 F	. 2:15-3:15pm	\$32.65/5 sess	00390640

#### SINGING-BEGINNER

Sing in these group sessions while learning basic knowledge of sheet music, note values, major and minor chords, scales and keys. No experience required.

#### Seniors Centre-Minoru Centre for Active Living

Apr 25-Jun 27 .....F....... 3:00-4:00pm ....... \$58.75/9 sess ..... 00384813

#### SINGING-INTERMEDIATE

Build on basic vocal techniques, sight reading, sight singing and twoor three-part harmonies. Pre-requisite: Singing–Beginner or previous choral experience.

#### Seniors Centre-Minoru Centre for Active Living

Apr 25-Jun 27 .....F....... 4:15-5:15pm...... \$58.75/9 sess ..... 00385001

#### TAIKO DRUMMING-BEGINNER

Explore this fun and exciting centuries-old type of drumming that combines music, dance, martial arts and culture for a full-body workout.

#### **South Arm Community Centre**

Apr 14-Jun 16 ..... M ...... 7:30-8:30pm ....... \$52.25/8 sess ...... 00389726

#### TAIKO DRUMMING-INTERMEDIATE

Experience this ancient Japanese percussion art that improves memory, physical skills and creativity and work on intricate rhythms, drills and vocal shouts in an enjoyable and supportive setting. Pre-requisite: Taiko Drumming–Beginner.

#### **South Arm Community Centre**

Apr 14-Jun 16 ..... M ..... 6:30-7:30pm ...... \$52.25/8 sess ..... 00390020

#### TAIKO DRUMMING-ADVANCED

Build on existing Taiko drumming skills by learning challenging complex patterns, improving hand-eye coordination and memory for a full-body workout. Pre-requisite: Taiko Drumming–Intermediate.

#### **South Arm Community Centre**

Apr 14-Jun 16 ..... M ..... 5:30-6:30pm ...... \$52.25/8 sess ..... 00389723

#### **UKULELE-BEGINNER**

Play this easy-to-learn instrument for fun and to increase cognitive abilities. Ukulele required at each session. Ukulele lending program available at the Richmond Public Library.

#### **South Arm Community Centre**

Apr 7-Jun 16 ...... M ...... 12:00-1:00pm ............. \$65.30/10 sess .... 00387790

#### **UKULELE-GET STARTED**

Learn the basics of holding, tuning, playing and note reading while exploring how the pentatonic scale unlocks music from around the world. Suitable for absolute and early beginners. Ukulele required at each session. Ukulele lending program available at the Richmond Public Library.

#### **Steveston Community Centre**

Apr 9-Jun 18 ...... W ...... 11:00am-12:15pm ..... \$89.75/11 sess .... 00390452

#### **UKULELE-KEEP GOING**

Build on the basics and expand music understanding through picking and strumming songs in the key of C and F from a variety of genres. Suitable for advanced/confident beginners. Pre-requisite: Ukulele Beginner course and experience with note reading. Ukulele required at each session. Ukulele lending program available at the Richmond Public Library.

#### **Steveston Community Centre**

Apr 2-Jun 18 ...... W ...... 1:00-2:15pm ...... \$97.95/12 sess .... 00390459

#### **UKULELE-MOVE ON UP**

Break free from the first four frets using familiar chord shapes to access and gain knowledge of the whole fretboard. Prerequisite: Intermediate knowledge of ukulele and fluency in musical notation and tablature. Ukulele required at each session. Ukulele lending program available at the Richmond Public Library.

#### **Steveston Community Centre**

May 13-Jun 18....Tu...... 1:00pm-2:15pm....... \$48.95/6 sess ..... 00398289

#### UKULELE-SKILL BUILDING-FLAT PICKING

Discover the benefits of using a little piece of plastic to add to a musical toolkit and have fun learning and connecting with others. Prerequisite: Any beginner ukulele course and experience with note reading and tablature. Ukulele required at each session. Ukulele lending program available at the Richmond Public Library.

#### **Steveston Community Centre**

Apr 1-May 6......1:00-2:15pm......\$48.95/6 sess ..... 00390464

# UKULELE-SKILL BUILDING-MAJOR AND MINOR CHORDS

Explore major and minor chords, progressions and how one note can add light, shadow and change the emotion of a song. Prerequisite: Any beginner ukulele course and experience with note reading and tablature. Ukulele required at each session. Ukulele lending program available at the Richmond Public Library.

#### **Steveston Community Centre**

May 13-Jun 18 ....Tu ...... 11:00am-12:15pm ..... \$48.95/6 sess ...... 00398290

#### UKULELE-SKILL BUILDING-PLAY IT BY EAR

Move from listening to playing with a few simple steps, connect with fun and familiar tunes, boost memory and support overall brain health. Prerequisite: Any beginner ukulele course and experience with note reading and tablature. Ukulele required at each session. Ukulele lending program available at the Richmond Public Library.

#### **Steveston Community Centre**

Apr 1-May 6......Tu......11:00am-12:15pm.....\$48.95/6 sess ......00390461

### **Arts-Performing**

#### **IMPROV-BEGINNER**

Share the joy of improv-based drama activities in a fun, safe and low-pressure environment. Come and interact and share a few laughs. No experience required.

#### Seniors Centre-Minoru Centre for Active Living

Apr 14-Jun 23 ..... M ..... 4:00-5:00pm ...... \$71.85/11 sess .... 00392538

### **Arts—Visual**

#### **ABSTRACT ACRYLIC PAINTING SERIES**

Receive personalized and step-by-step instructions from a skilled instructor in a fun, relaxed and supportive setting. Suitable for all skill levels. Supplies not included.

#### **SPRING FLOWERS**

#### **South Arm Community Centre**

Apr 1 ...... Tu ..... 10:30am-12:30pm ..... \$13.05/1 sess ..... 00388054

#### **LIGHTHOUSE**

#### **South Arm Community Centre**

Apr 8......10:30am-12:30pm.....\$13.05/1 sess ......00388322

#### **GARDEN DOOR**

#### **South Arm Community Centre**

Apr 15 ...... Tu ...... 10:30am-12:30pm ..... \$13.05/1 sess ...... 00388323

#### **WATERFALL**

#### **South Arm Community Centre**

Apr 22 ......10:30am-12:30pm ..... \$13.05/1 sess ...... 00388324

#### **TULIPS**

#### **South Arm Community Centre**

May 27......Tu......10:30am-12:30pm.....\$13.05/1 sess ......00388327

#### **FLOWERS ON THE WINDOWSILL**

#### **South Arm Community Centre**

Jun 3 ......Tu ...... 10:30am-12:30pm ..... \$13.05/1 sess ..... 00388331

#### **SPRING PATH**

#### **South Arm Community Centre**

Jun 10 ...... Tu ..... 10:30am-12:30pm ..... \$13.05/1 sess ..... 00388345

#### **ACRYLIC PAINTING**

Explore painting in a variety of styles that may include abstract, landscape and still life. Suitable for beginner and experienced painters with individual guidance provided. Supplies not included.

#### **Steveston Community Centre**

Apr 7-May 12 ..... M ..... 12:30-2:30pm ........ \$65.30/5 sess ..... 00390462 May 26-Jun 16 .... M ..... 12:30-2:30pm ......... \$52.25/4 sess ..... 00390463

#### **CHINESE BRUSH PAINTING**

Explore this beautiful ancient art through exercises that focus on basic techniques. A \$20 non-refundable supplies fee charged when registering.

#### Seniors Centre-Minoru Centre for Active Living

Apr 7-Jun 16 ...... M ...... 9:30-11:30am ...... \$117.55/9 sess .... 00383606

#### **Steveston Community Centre**

# CHINESE CALLIGRAPHY (CANTONESE AND MANDARIN)

Learn basic techniques, strokes and words in this beautiful and timely art form and cultural experience widely practiced as a way of relaxing. Instructed by a calligraphy master. Course conducted in Mandarin and Cantonese. Supplies list provided.

#### **Steveston Community Centre**

Apr 1-Jun 17 ...... Tu..... 9:30-11:30am ........ \$156.70/12 sess .. 00390460 Apr 3-Jun 19 ...... Th..... 9:30-11:30am ......... \$156.70/12 sess .. 00390786

#### **COLLAGE AND JOURNALING**

Use mixed media to create unique compositions that can be applied to a variety of projects. Supplies included.

#### Seniors Centre-Minoru Centre for Active Living

Apr 7-May 12M	. 12:30-2:00pm	\$48.95/5 sess	00383607
May 26-Jun 16 M	. 12:30-2:00pm	\$39.20/4 sess	00383609

#### **CREATIVE CLAY**

Make unique pieces and designs to take home, gain social connections and build confidence while exploring this tactile and creative outlet. Supplies included.

#### **West Richmond Community Centre**

Apr 4-Jun 13 ......F....... 10:30-11:30am ........ \$65.30/10 sess .... 00386006

#### **CREATIVE CRAFT SERIES**

Unleash creativity making art using different mediums, including everyday items to repurpose. Experience the joy of hands-on activities that spark imagination and help maintain and improve fine motor skills. A \$5 non-refundable supplies fee charged when registering.

#### **PAPER FLOWERS**

#### **South Arm Community Centre**

Apr 3 ......Th......10:30am-12:30pm.....\$13.05/1 sess ......00388064

#### **EGG CARTOON FLORAL WREATH**

#### **South Arm Community Centre**

Apr 17......Th......10:30am-12:30pm.....\$13.05/1 sess ......00388336

#### **CREATIVE CURTAIN TIE**

#### **South Arm Community Centre**

Apr 24......Th......10:30am-12:30pm.....\$13.05/1 sess ......00388340

#### FLORAL PICTURE FRAME

#### **South Arm Community Centre**

Jun 5 ......Th..... 10:30am-12:30pm .... \$13.05/1 sess ..... 00388342

#### **PEG BOARD**

#### **South Arm Community Centre**

Jun 12 ......Th...... 10:30am-12:30pm..... \$13.05/1 sess ..... 00388343

#### **CREATIVE PAINTING**

Explore new ideas and have fun creating amazing designs and patterns without the fear of messing up or experiencing the pressure to create something perfect. Supplies list provided.

#### **Thompson Community Centre**

TRY-IT Apr 13	Su	9:30-11:30am .	\$13.05/1	sess 00393015
Apr 27-Jun 15	Su	9:30-11:30am.	\$91.40/7	sess 00393013

#### **DRAWING BASICS**

Capture on paper simple objects, images and still lifes while learning basic concepts and techniques to eventually progress to drawing from imagination with improved understanding and confidence. Supplies list provided.

#### **Cambie Community Centre**

Apr 9-Jun 11 ...... W ...... 2:45-4:45pm ...... \$130.60/10 sess .. 00391373

### FLORAL ARRANGEMENT-ARTISTIC ASYMMETRIC WORKSHOP

Learn to create captivating floral arrangements that spark visual interest and embrace asymmetry as a guiding principle. A \$15 non-refundable supplies fee charged when registering. No refunds within 7 days of session.

#### Seniors Centre-Minoru Centre for Active Living

May 2...... F ..... 2:30-4:00pm....\$13.20 (45-54yrs//1 sess..... 00391281 \$9.80 (55yrs+)/1 sess

### FLORAL ARRANGEMENT-CENTREPIECE MAKING WORKSHOP

Learn the basics of floral design and create a stunning display to use as home decor. A \$15 non-refundable supplies fee charged when registering. No refunds within 7 days of session.

#### Seniors Centre-Minoru Centre for Active Living

Apr 25......F .... 2:30-4:00pm....\$13.20 (45-54yrs)/1 sess..... 00391301 \$9.80 (55yrs+)/1 sess

#### FLORAL ARRANGEMENT-CRESCENT-SHAPED FLORAL DESIGN WORKSHOP

Design a one-of-a-kind floral arrangement in this hands-on session, focusing on curved lines and flow for improved floral design skills. A \$15 non-refundable supplies fee charged when registering. No refunds within 7 days of session.

#### Seniors Centre-Minoru Centre for Active Living

Jun 21 ......Sa ... 1:00-2:30pm....\$13.20 (45-54yrs)/1 sess.... 00391261 \$9.80 (55yrs+)/1 sess

### FLORAL ARRANGEMENT-DRIED AND PRESERVED FLOWER MAKING WORKSHOP

Create long lasting arrangements by learning the art of maintaining and preserving florals through air-dry methods. A \$15 non-refundable supplies fee charged when registering. No refunds within 7 days of session.

#### Seniors Centre-Minoru Centre for Active Living

May 23......F .... 2:30-4:00pm....\$13.20 (45-54yrs)/1 sess..... 00391265 \$9.80 (55yrs+)/1 sess

# FLORAL ARRANGEMENT-FLORAL HAIR CLAW AND DERBY HAT DESIGN WORKSHOP

Create a wearable floral creation and learn how to incorporate personal style and theme into everyday pieces. A \$10 non-refundable supplies fee charged when registering. No refunds within 7 days of session.

#### Seniors Centre-Minoru Centre for Active Living

Jun 27 ...... F ..... 2:30-4:00pm....\$13.20 (45-54yrs)/1 sess..... 00391293 \$9.80 (55yrs+)/1 sess

#### FLORAL ARRANGEMENT-HAND-TIED BOUQUET WORKSHOP

Explore fundamental florist principles including colour theory and textures to create a full and airy display. A \$15 non-refundable supplies fee charged when registering. No refunds within 7 days of session

#### Seniors Centre-Minoru Centre for Active Living

Jun 6 ......F ..... 2:30-4:00pm....\$13.20 (45-54yrs)/1 sess..... 00391303 \$9.80 (55yrs+)/1 sess

#### PAINT IN THE PLAZA WORKSHOP

Re-create an art piece to take home through step-by-step guided instructions while also enjoying a charcuterie box with cheese, meats and fruits. A \$15 non-refundable supplies fee charged when registering.

#### Seniors Centre-Minoru Centre for Active Living

May 26 M	10:30am-12:00pm	\$9.80/1 sess	00386961
Jun 16 M	10:30am-12:00pm	\$9.80/1 sess	00387620

#### **PAINT NIGHT**

Create a magnificent painting to take home with step-by-step instruction. Instructed by Party with Laura. No experience required. Supplies included.

#### **Cambie Community Centre**

May 8.......530-8:30pm......\$35/1 sess .........00385218

#### PAINT, SIP AND SNACK

Learn to recreate a painting through step-by-step instructions while enjoying a glass of wine (non-alcoholic option available) and a charcuterie box with cheese, meat and fruit. A \$22 non-refundable supplies fee charged when registering.

#### Seniors Centre-Minoru Centre for Active Living

Apr 25F 6:00-7:30pm\$13.20 (45-54yrs)/1 sess 00385275
\$9.80 (55yrs+)/1 sess
Jun 13 F 6:00-7:30pm\$13.20 (45-54yrs)/1 sess 00385277

\$9.80 (55yrs+)/1 sess

#### PHOTOGRAPHY FUNDAMENTALS-LEVEL 1

Explore a camera's functions and learn some basic photographic techniques. A digital camera, DSLR or mirrorless camera required at each session.

#### Seniors Centre-Minoru Centre for Active Living

Apr 12-Jun 21 ..... Sa...... 11:30am-12:30pm ..... \$71.85/11 sess .... 00392529

#### WATERCOLOUR PAINTING

Work on personal projects to further develop voice and style in these loosely structured, enriching and supportive studio sessions. Suitable for all levels. Supplies list provided.

#### Seniors Centre-Minoru Centre for Active Living

Apr 10-May 29....Th......12:00-2:00pm......\$104.50/8 sess .... 00385654

# WATERCOLOUR PAINTING TECHNIQUES AND STYLES

Explore still lifes, landscapes and figure studies using different styles and a variety of brushes. Suitable for all levels. Supplies list provided.

#### **Steveston Community Centre**

Apr 2-Apr 30	W	. 10:00am-1	2:00pm	.\$65.30/5 s	ess	00390451
May 7-Jun 11	W	.10:00am-1	2:00pm	\$78.35/6 s	ess	00390467

### WREATH MAKING-SPRING THEME WORKSHOP

Discover the art of floral design and craft a seasonal decor piece to take home, featuring a blend of textures and layers. A \$15 non-refundable supplies fee charged when registering. No refunds within 7 days of session.

#### Seniors Centre-Minoru Centre for Active Living

Apr 12 ...... Sa ... 1:00-2:30pm.... \$13.20 (45-54yrs)/1 sess..... 00391299 \$9.80 (55yrs+)/1 sess

# **Computers, Technology and Social Media**

### SMART PHONES, TABLETS AND LAPTOPS-LEARN FROM A YOUTH

Meet one-on-one and get help from a friendly and informative youth member to learn about text messaging, apps, taking photos, Google maps and more. Personal device required at each class. Registration required.

#### **South Arm Community Centre**

FREE Apr 10	Th	3:30-4:00pm	Free/1	sess	. 00387922
FREE Apr 10	Th	4:00-4:30pm	Free/1	sess	. 00387927
FREE Apr 24	Th	3:30-4:00pm	Free/1	sess	. 00387935
FREE Apr 24	Th	4:00-4:30pm	Free/1	sess	. 00387936
FREE May 8	Th	3:30-4:00pm	Free/1	sess	. 00387937
FREE May 8	Th	4:00-4:30pm	Free/1	sess	. 00387953
FREE May 22	Th	3:30-4:00pm	Free/1	sess	. 00387955
FREE May 22	Th	4:00-4:30pm	Free/1	sess	.00387958
West Richmond Community Centre					
FREE Apr 24	Th	3:30-4:15pm	Free/1	sess	.00386544
FREE May 29	Th	3:30m-4:15pm	Free/1	sess	.00386547

#### SMARTPHONES, TABLETS AND LAPTOPS-LEARN FROM A VOLUNTEER

Meet one-on-one and get help from a friendly and informative volunteer to learn how to use text messaging, email, camera, browsers, downloading and using apps and more. Bring questions. Personal device required at each session or iPad provided for use. Registration required.

### Seniors Centre-Minoru Centre for Active Living FREE Apr 5 .......... Sa...... 1:30-2:00pm ............. Free/1 sess ............ 00387581

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	FREE Apr 5	Sa	2:30-3:00pm	Free/1	sess	00387583
	FREE Apr 5	Sa	3:00-3:30pm	Free/1	sess	00387584
	FREE May 3	Sa	1:30-2:00pm	Free/1	sess	00387585
	FREE May 3	Sa	2:00-2:30pm	Free/1	sess	00387586
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FREE Apr 9	W	11:00-11:30am	Free/1 sess	00385397
FREE May 14.	W	10:00-10:30am	Free/1 sess	00385383
FREE May 14.	W	10:30-11:00am	Free/1 sess	00385390
FREE May 14.	W	11:00-11:30am	Free/1 sess	00385400
FREE Jun 11	W	10:00-10:30am	Free/1 sess	00385385
FREE Jun 11	W	10:30-11:00am	Free/1 sess	00385394
FREE Jun 11	W	11:00-11:30am	Free/1 sess	00385403

### **Cooking**

#### 12 HUNGRY MEN COOKING

Participate in this fun, all-men cooking group to make delicious food and enjoy engaging conversations over lunch. Supplies, recipes and instructions included.

#### **South Arm Community Centre**

Jun 3-Jun 24.......Tu......10:00-11:30am........\$94.40/4 sess ......00388415

#### COOK AND CREATE WORKSHOP— CHINESE STYLE DUMPINGS

Discover the traditional art of dumpling folding through step-bystep instructions, complete with a demonstration of preparing an accompanying sauce. A \$15 non-refundable supplies fee charged when registering.

#### Seniors Centre-Minoru Centre for Active Living

May 28.......W......2:30-4:00pm...........\$23.60/1 sess ..... 00388252

#### COOK AND CREATE WORKSHOP-VIETNAMESE SALAD ROLLS

Learn how to recreate a healthy and customizable meal through stepby-step instructions, complete with a demonstration of preparing an accompanying peanut sauce. Supplies included.

#### Seniors Centre-Minoru Centre for Active Living

#### **HEALTHY WORLD COOKING**

Learn how to make healthy and nutritious recipes from around the world. After cooking, enjoy eating together and take home some items to enjoy later. Supplies included.

#### **ITALIAN**

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Apr 1 ...... Tu ..... 4:00-5:30pm ...... \$23.60/1 sess ..... 00388503

#### **ASIAN**

#### **South Arm Community Centre**

Apr 8.......Tu.....4:00-5:30pm......\$23.60/1 sess .....00388504

#### **INDIAN**

#### **South Arm Community Centre**

Apr 15 ...... Tu ..... 4:00-5:30pm ...... \$23.60/1 sess ..... 00388505

#### **JAPANESE**

#### **South Arm Community Centre**

Apr 22......Tu.....4:00-5:30pm.....\$23.60/1 sess .....00388507

#### **MIDDLE EASTERN**

#### **South Arm Community Centre**

May 6......Tu......4:00-5:30pm......\$23.60/1 sess ......00388508

#### **GREEK**

#### **South Arm Community Centre**

May 13.......Tu......4:00-5:30pm......\$23.60/1 sess ......00388509

#### **SPAIN**

#### **South Arm Community Centre**

May 20......Tu......4:00-5:30pm......\$23.60/1 sess ......00388511

#### JAPANESE COOKING

Learn to make simple Japanese dishes that includes sushi rolls and teriyaki chicken in this hands-on session that focuses on basic cooking skills. Supplies included.

#### **Steveston Community Centre**

Apr 17	Th	10:00-11:30am	\$23.60/1	sess	00390453
May 15	Th	10:00-11:30am	\$23.60/1	sess	00390468
Jun 19	Th	10:00-11:30am	\$23.60/1	sess	00390450

### MASON JAR SALADS AND SALAD DRESSING WORKSHOP

Learn to prepare and assemble these popular meals or sides and homemade dressing for simple and healthy meals at home. Supplies included.

#### Seniors Centre-Minoru Centre for Active Living

Apr 30	W	.2:30-4:00pm.	\$23.60/1	sess	.00393011
Jun 25	W	.2:30-4:00pm.	\$23.60/1	sess	.00393012

#### **SOUP AND SALAD MAKING WORKSHOP**

Join this hands-on workshop to learn how to make a nutritious, delicious and comforting soup, and prepare a side dish to take home and enjoy. A \$5 non-refundable supplies fee charged when registering.

#### Seniors Centre-Minoru Centre for Active Living

Apr 16	W	2:30-4:00pm	\$23.60/1	sess 00391296
May 14	W	2:30-4:00pm	\$23.60/1	sess 00393010
Jun 4	W	2:30-4:00pm	\$23.60/1	sess 00392713

# **Events and Seasonal Programs**

#### **APRIL**

#### **CHEF'S DINNER**

Enjoy a decadent three course dining experience created by the chef of the Seniors Centre at Minoru Centre for Active Living. \$20 (90yrs+)/1 sess No refunds within 7 days of event.

#### Seniors Centre-Minoru Centre for Active Living

Apr 8	Tu	. 5:00-7:30pm	\$32	(55-89yrs)/1 sess.	00387033
			\$20	(90yrs+)/1 sess	

#### **VAISAKHI CELEBRATION**

Celebrate this colourful festival that marks the beginning of a new solar year in the Indo-Canadian culture. Light refreshments included. No refunds within 7 days of event.

#### **Cambie Community Centre**

Apr 11	F 12:00-2:00pm	\$16.50/1 sess	00387571

#### **PUZZLE SWAP**

Swap, purchase and share new and used jigsaw puzzles with fellow enthusiasts. Registration required.

#### Seniors Centre-Minoru Centre for Active Living

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#### **SPRING TEA PARTY**

Choose a favourite hat to wear and come celebrate spring at this festive and elegant tea party. Homemade treats included.

#### **Steveston Community Centre**

Apr 16	W	1:00-3:00pm	\$16.50/1 s	ess 00391379

#### **MAY**

#### **BIRTHDAY PARTY SOCIAL-MAY AND JUNE**

Celebrate with others born in the same months with a birthday treat and coffee or tea together. Those wanting to celebrate that aren't born in either month are very welcome. Registration required.

#### Seniors Centre-Minoru Centre for Active Living

#### **MOTHER'S DAY TEA**

Celebrate this special day by spending a wonderful afternoon together enjoying a tasty high tea and other yummy treats.

#### **Steveston Community Centre**

May 21......W......1:00-3:00pm.......\$16.50/1 sess ..... 00391384

### DINNER AND DANCE-"ELVIS AND BEATLEMANIA"

Enjoy an evening of live music paying tribute to Elvis Presley and The Beatles while enjoying delicious British-style food. Round trip transportation (\$5) and home drop off (\$3) available. Registration begins in-person only at the Seniors Centre at Minoru Centre for Active Living on Mar 26, 2025 at 9:00am.

#### Seniors Centre-Minoru Centre for Active Living

#### **JUNE**

#### **CHEF'S DINNER**

Enjoy a decadent three course dining experience created by the chef of the Seniors Centre at Minoru Centre for Active Living. No refunds within 7 days of event.

#### Seniors Centre-Minoru Centre for Active Living

Jun 10 .......Tu......5:00-7:30pm....\$32 (55-89yrs)/1 sess .... 00387035 \$20 (90yrs+)/1 sess

#### **BARBEQUE**

Socialize and enjoy a tasty BBQ meal, a refreshing drink and a sunny patio. \$20 (90yrs+)/1 sess

#### **Steveston Community Centre**

Jun 18 ......W......12:30-3:00pm.........\$22/1 sess .........00391388

#### **MULTICULTURAL DAY SOCIAL**

Celebrate Canada's diverse cultures with friends and neighbours while enjoying entertainment and refreshments. Registration required.

#### **Cambie Community Centre**

FREE Jun 27 ...... F....... 1:00-3:00pm ...... Free/1 sess .......... 00391691

### **Fitness**

# INFORMATION SESSION FOR CHOOSE TO MOVE™ AND ACTIVAGE™

Learn all the details to decide if these two programs align with personal goals for an active and healthy lifestyle. Registration required.

#### **South Arm Community Centre**

FREE Apr 16 ....... W ...... 12:30-1:30pm ...... Free/1 sess .......... 00392795

#### **ACTIVAGETM**

Join this three-month group-led program designed for inactive older adults. Participants are introduced to a progressive approach to physical activity and encouraged to make it a daily commitment. Before registering, register for the April 16 INFORMATION SESSION FOR CHOOSE TO MOVE AND ACTIVAGE<sup>TM</sup> (#00392795) to learn if the ActivAge<sup>TM</sup> program aligns with personal goals for an active and healthy lifestyle. Registration required.

#### **South Arm Community Centre**

FREE Apr 23-Jun 25...... W....... 1:30-2:30pm.... Free/10 sess...... 00392718

#### CHOOSE TO MOVE™

Join this free three-month motivational coaching program designed for older adults wanting to be more physically active. Discussion groups combine educational and social elements only, not a fitness class. Before registering, register for the April 16 INFORMATION SESSION FOR CHOOSE TO MOVE AND ACTIVAGE™ (#00392795) to learn if the Choose to Move™ program aligns with personal goals for an active and healthy lifestyle. Registration required.

#### **South Arm Community Centre**

FREE Apr 23-Jun 25...... W........ 12:30-1:30pm.. Free/8 sess....... 00392712

#### **ACTIVE AND FIT**

Maintain or attain an active lifestyle by increasing cardiovascular fitness and building and preserving muscular strength, endurance, coordination, balance and flexibility.

#### Seniors Centre-Minoru Centre for Active Living

Apr 4-Jun 27F	10:15-11:15am	\$83.15/12 sess 00392509
Apr 8-Jun 24Tu	10:15-11:15am	\$83.15/12 sess 00392273

#### **South Arm Community Centre**

Apr 17-Jun 19 .....Th...... 11:00am-12:00pm..... \$69.30/10 sess .... 00389413 Apr 22-Jun 24 .....Tu...... 11:00am-12:00pm..... \$69.30/10 sess .... 00387768

### A.M.B.S. (AGILITY MOBILITY BALANCE STRENGTH)

Combine 'personalize' with 'socialize' in this small group training that focuses on agility, mobility, balance and strength with instruction and programming at personal fitness levels.

#### **Steveston Community Centre**

Mar 31-May 12M	11:30am-12:30pm.	\$64.30/6 sess	00389394
Apr 2-May 7W	1:30-2:30pm	\$64.30/6 sess	00389430
Apr 4-May 9F	12:30-1:30pm	\$53.60/5 sess	00389404
May 14-Jun 18 W	1:30-2:30pm	\$64.30/6 sess	00389437
May 16-Jun 20 F	12:30-1:30pm	\$64.30/6 sess	00389417
May 26-Jun 23 M	11:30am-12:30pm .	\$53.60/5 sess	00389399

#### BETTER BACKS AND BALANCE

Learn ways to strengthen the mid section and lower back to improve balance. Suitable for those with osteoporosis.

#### **South Arm Community Centre**

Apr 9-Jun 11 ...... W ...... 10:30am-11:30am ..... \$60.10/10 sess .... 00387763

#### **Steveston Community Centre**

Apr 1-May 6.......Tu...... 11:45am-12:45pm..... \$36.05/6 sess ...... 00389471 May 13-Jun 17 .... Tu...... 11:45am-12:45pm..... \$36.05/6 sess ...... 00389481

#### **Thompson Community Centre**

Apr 7-Jun 16 ...... M ...... 11:00am-12:00pm ..... \$54.10/9 sess ..... 00384764

#### CHAIR FITNESS

Manage chronic conditions and pain more effectively both in and out of the chair. Focus on simple exercises, deep breathing and gentle stretches in these basic fitness sessions. Suitable for older adults and those with physical limitations.

#### **Cambie Community Centre**

Apr	1-May 1	3	Tu	1:15-2:00	om	\$42.05/7	sess	00391873
May	20-Jun	24	Tu	1:15-2:00	om	\$36.05/6	sess	00391874

#### Seniors Centre-Minoru Centre for Active Living

Apr 10-Jun 26 ..... Th...... 11:45am-12:45pm..... \$72.10/12 sess .... 00392507

#### **CHAIR FITNESS (CANTONESE/ENGLISH)**

Manage chronic conditions and pain more effectively both in and out of the chair. Focus on simple exercises, deep breathing and gentle stretches in these basic fitness sessions. Suitable for older adults and those with physical limitations. Conducted in Cantonese and English.

#### Seniors Centre-Minoru Centre for Active Living

Apr 2-Jun 25 ...... W ...... 11:30am-12:30pm ..... \$60.10/10 sess .... 00392501

#### **CHAIR YOGA**

Find length in the spine in this unique fitness program that opens the hips and moves the shoulders and neck. Suitable for those with mobility challenges.

#### Seniors Centre-Minoru Centre for Active Living

Apr 8-Jun 26 ...... Tu ...... 9:15-10:15am ....... \$83.90/12 sess .... 00392522

#### **Thompson Community Centre**

Apr 9-Jun 18 ...... W ...... 1:15-2:15pm ...... \$76.90/11 sess .... 00390018

#### CYCLE AND STRENGTH-SILVER

Combine cycling and strength training to age-appropriate music to become stronger, more balanced and energized. These results-oriented sessions cover cadence, balance and strength. Suitable for beginners 55+ years.

#### **Steveston Community Centre**

Mar 31-May 12 M	10:30-11:30am	\$41.60/6 sess	00389619
Apr 2-May 7W	9:00-10:00am	\$41.60/6 sess	00389643
May 14-Jun 18 W	9:00-10:00am	\$41.60/6 sess	00389644
May 26-Jun 23 M	10:30-11:30am	\$34.65/5 sess	00389628

#### CYCLE AND STRENGTH-GOLD

Combine cycling and strength training to become stronger, more balanced and energized. This results-oriented class covers cadence, balance and strength and is done to age-appropriate music. Suitable for beginners 75+ years.

#### **West Richmond Community Centre**

Mar 31-Jun 23..... M ...... 1:00-2:00pm ...... \$69.30/10 sess .... 00383694

#### CYCLE FIT-SILVER

Cycle to age-appropriate music to become stronger, more balanced and energized. These results-oriented sessions cover cadence and balance. Suitable for beginners 55+ years.

#### **West Richmond Community Centre**

Apr 2-Jun 25	W12	:10-12:50pm	\$90.10/13	sess 00383218
Apr 4-Jun 27	F 1:1	0-1:50pm	\$69.30/10	sess 00383219

#### **EXERCISES FOR THOSE WITH PARKINSON'S**

Improve function and reduce some of the physical limitations of this degenerative neurological disorder with targeted and instructor-led

#### Seniors Centre-Minoru Centre for Active Living

Apr 1-Jun 26 ......Tu/Th.12:45-1:45pm.....\$156.25/26 sess ..00392464

#### **South Arm Community Centre**

Apr 22-Jun 24 .....Tu...... 12:30-1:30pm...... \$60.10/10 sess .... 00390368

#### **Steveston Community Centre**

Apr 3-May 08......Th......11:45am-12:45pm.....\$36.05/6 sess ......00389512 May 15-Jun 19....Th...... 11:45am-12:45pm..... \$36.05/6 sess ...... 00389536

#### **GET UP AND GO!**

Improve strength, balance, coordination, functional ability, independence and quality of life in this entry-level exercise program. Suitable for older adults with balance and mobility challenges.

#### Seniors Centre-Minoru Centre for Active Living

Apr 3-Jun 19 ...... Th..... 9:15-10:15am ....... \$72.15/12 sess .... 00392472

#### GROUP WEIGHT TRAINING (MANDARIN/ENGLISH)

Learn to weight train and properly use machines, free weights, medicine balls and strength tubes all in a supervised setting. Conducted in Mandarin and English.

#### **Thompson Community Centre**

Apr 7-Jun 16 ...... M ...... 1:00-2:00pm ....... \$96.50/9 sess ..... 00390474

#### HATHA YOGA-SILVER

Aim to achieve a healthier body and clearer mind in these slowerpaced and age-appropriate music sessions that cover stretching, breathing techniques and meditation.

#### **West Richmond Community Centre**

Apr 1-Jun 24	Tu	2:05-3:05pm	1\$139.35/13 sess 00382183
Apr 3-Jun 19	Th	2:05-3:05pm	1\$128.65/12 sess 00382184

#### **JOINT MOVES**

Increase range of motion, strength and flexibility and learn ways to minimize stiffness and pain. Suitable for older adults and those with arthritis

#### Seniors Centre-Minoru Centre for Active Living

Apr 8-Jun 24	Tu	10:30-11:30am .	\$72.10/12 sess .	00392460
Apr 10-Jun 26	Th	10:30-11:30am.	\$72.10/12 sess	00392503

#### KICKBOXING-DRILLS AND SKILLS

Improve cardiovascular strength and conditioning using a variety of boxing equipment and techniques for a full body workout. Suitable for all fitness levels.

#### **Thompson Community Centre**

Apr 10-Jun 19 ..... Th...... 11:45am-12:45pm ..... \$76.25/11 sess .... 00389904

#### **LADIES WHO LIFT**

75vrs+

Develop lean and functional muscle tone with foundational lifts and learn how to create a fitness program for the gym while working on posture alignment and progressive overload. Suitable for beginners.

#### **Steveston Community Centre**

Apr 1-May 6Tu. May 13-Jun 17Tu.			
West Richmond Co	ommunity Centre		60yrs+
Mar 31-Jun 23M.	10:45-11:45am	\$117.90/11 sess	00383216
Mar 31-Jun 23M.	9:30-10:30am	\$117.90/11 sess	00383217

#### M.I.I.T. (MODERATE INTENSITY **INTERVAL TRAINING)**

Reach new fitness levels with this specific training that works on functional strength and has shown to increase resting metabolic rates for up to 24 hours after a workout. Sessions are based on High Intensity Interval Training (H.I.I.T.) and adapted for older adults or those new to this type of training.

#### **South Arm Community Centre**

Apr 7-Jun 16 ...... M ...... 10:30-11:30am ........... \$62.35/9 sess ...... 00389328

#### MIND TO MUSCLE

Improve overall fitness and well-being by focusing on mobility to stability work that includes balance, agility, flexibility, rehabilitation, core, cardio and overall strengthening. Suitable for beginners.

#### **West Richmond Community Centre**

Apr 2-Jun 18 ...... W ...... 1:00-2:00pm ...... \$83.90/12 sess .... 00382176

#### MINDS IN MOTION

Enjoy light exercise conducted by a certified fitness instructor, followed by activities or games and social time in a relaxed atmosphere. Designed for people living with early-stage memory loss due to Alzheimer's disease and other dementias and a friend, family member or care partner. Light refreshments provided. PAR-Q+ form must be completed at the start of the program. One person with dementia and one care partner covered in fee.

#### **South Arm Community Centre**

Apr 3-May 8Th	1:30-3:00pr	n\$34.80/6 ses	s 00389961
May 22-Jun 26 Th	1:30-3:00pr	n\$34.80/6 ses	s 00390884

#### **MINDS IN MOTION (CANTONESE)**

Enjoy light exercise conducted by a certified fitness instructor, followed by activities or games and social time in a relaxed atmosphere. Designed for people living with early-stage memory loss due to Alzheimer's disease and other dementias and a friend, family member or care partner. Light refreshments provided. PAR-Q+ form must be completed at the start of the program. One person with dementia and one care partner covered in fee. Must be referred by the Alzheimer's Society. Conducted in Cantonese.

#### **Cambie Community Centre**

Apr 2-Jun 25 ...... W ...... 1:30-3:30pm ...... \$75.40/13 sess .... 00381980

#### MINDS, MUSCLES AND MOBILITY

Improve strength, balance and agility using mindful training principles in these basic fitness sessions that aim to improve movement issues common to those with chronic conditions.

#### **Steveston Community Centre**

Apr 1-May 6	Tu	. 10:30-11:30am .	\$36.05/6 sess	. 00389459
Apr 3-May 8	Th	.10:30-11:30am.	\$36.05/6 sess	.00389501
May 13-Jun 17	Tu	.10:30-11:30am.	\$36.05/6 sess	.00389465
May 15-Jun 19	Th	.10:30-11:30am.	\$36.05/6 sess	.00389505

#### **STAY STRONG**

Exercise safely with gentle movements that focus on increasing range of motion, strength, balance and agility to better manage daily activities.

#### **Hamilton Community Centre**

Apr 2-Jun 25 ...... W ...... 10:15-11:15am .......... \$66.10/11 sess .... 00390674

#### Seniors Centre-Minoru Centre for Active Living

Apr 2-Jun 25	W	.10:15-11:15am	\$60.10/10 sess	.00392465
Apr 7-Jun 30	M	.10:15-11:15am	\$66.10/11 sess	.00392271
Apr 8-Jun 24	Tu	1:15-2:15pm	\$72.10/12 sess	.00392524

#### **Thompson Community Centre**

Apr 11-Jun 20 .....F....... 10:30-11:30am........ \$60.10/10 sess .... 00384765

#### STAY STRONG CIRCUIT WORKOUT

Exercise safely with gentle movements in these circuit sessions that focus on increasing range of motion, strength, balance and agility to better manage daily activities.

#### **West Richmond Community Centre**

Mar 31-Jun 23..... M ..... 2:15-3:05pm ...... \$76.25/11 sess .... 00382173

# STAY STRONG CIRCUIT WORKOUT (MANDARIN/ENGLISH)

Exercise safely with gentle movements in these circuit sessions that focus on increasing range of motion, strength, balance and agility to better manage daily activities. Conducted in Mandarin and English.

#### **Thompson Community Centre**

Apr 8-Jun 17 ...... Tu ...... 11:45am-12:45pm ..... \$76.25/11 sess .... 00390232

#### **WOMEN ON WEIGHTS**

Build confidence, strength and knowledge in this small group program designed for women. Focus on developing strength and toning muscles using machines, free weights and other fitness equipment in a supportive setting led by a personal trainer.

#### Seniors Centre-Minoru Centre for Active Living

Apr 22-May 20Tu2:15-3:15pm	\$53.60/5 sess 00392350
Apr 23-May 21W1:00-2:00pm	\$53.60/5 sess 00392370
May 27-Jun 24 Tu 2:15-3:15pm	\$53.60/5 sess 00392355
May 28-Jun 25 W 1:00-2:00pm	\$53.60/5 sess 00392375

#### **South Arm Community Centre**

Apr 24	-May 22	Th	12:30-1:30	pm\$	53.60/5	sess	00389645
May 2	9-Jun 26	Th	12:30-1:30	om\$	53.60/5	sess	00389646

#### **ZUMBA®-GOLD**

Move gently with low impact exercises designed for older adults with slight mobility issues. Experience all of the fun, zesty Latin music and easy-to-follow routines of traditional Zumba®! Suitable for all fitness levels.

#### Seniors Centre-Minoru Centre for Active Living

Apr 8-Jun 24Tu	12:30-1:30pm	\$83.15/12 sess	00392513
Apr 11-Jun 27F	12:15-1:15pm	\$76.25/11 sess	00392518

#### South Arm Community Centre

Apr 11	-Jun	13.	F	10:3	0-1	1:30am	\$62.3	5/9 9	sess .	0	038/	/56
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#### **Steveston Community Centre**

Apr 2-May 7	W 1	2:15-1:15pm	\$41.60/6	sess	00389653
May 14-Jun 18	W1	2:15-1:15pm	\$41.60/6	sess	00389655

#### **West Richmond Community Centre**

Apr 1-Jun 24	Tu 1:00-2:00pm	\$90.10/13 sess	00383220
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### **Gardening**

#### WELLNESS IN THE GARDEN WORKSHOP

Join others to learn about some of the therapeutic benefits of gardening and creating a relationship with plants. Presented by Urban Bounty. Registration required.

#### **Cambie Community Centre**

FREE Apr 22	Tu1:00-2:30pm	Free/1 sess	00395196
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#### **BIKE SKILLS-BEGINNER**

Build skills and confidence with other seniors and learn basic maneuvering, maintenance and safe routes in a comfortable, off-road session. Bicycles and helmets provided. Presented in partnership with HUB Cycling.

#### **Thompson Community Centre**

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May 16-Jun 20	. F `	. 10:00am-12:00pm	\$30/6 sess	00391441

#### BRIDGE-LEVEL 1-BEGINNER

Learn the basics of this very popular, classic and group card game that offers a wonderful social opportunity. No experience required.

#### Seniors Centre-Minoru Centre for Active Living

Apr 10-May 8	Th 2:00-3:30pm.	\$42.50/5 sess .	00385663
May 15-Jun 19	Th 2:00-3:30pm.	\$51.05/6 sess	00385666

#### **BRIDGE-LEVEL 3-BEGINNER**

Master the game of Contract Bridge, learn more advanced techniques for playing with partners and gain confidence through hands-on experience. Pre-requisite: Bridge–Level 2–Beginner or previous Bridge experience.

#### Seniors Centre-Minoru Centre for Active Living

Apr 10-Jun 19 .....Th...... 3:45-5:15pm ....... \$93.55/11 sess .... 00385672

# COFFEE AND CHAT FOR THOSE LIVING WITH DEMENTIA (CANTONESE)

Enjoy the company of others while socializing and sharing. Suitable for those living with early symptoms of dementia. Presented by the Alzheimer Society of BC. Conducted in Cantonese. Registration required.

#### Seniors Centre-Minoru Centre for Active Living

FREE Apr 8-Jun 24..... Tu .......... 1:30-3:00pm...... Free/12 sess.... 00382680

#### **EASTER EGG PAINTING WITH YOUTH**

Celebrate the Easter spirit by painting eggs alongside fellow seniors and youth volunteers. Enjoy vibrant craft activities, exchange treasured stories and build lasting connections coming together to embrace the season. Supplies included.

#### **Thompson Community Centre**

FREE Apr 17 ...... Th..... 4:00-6:00pm ...... Free/1 sess .......... 00391074

### EASY RIDERS-TRANSIT CONFIDENCE WORKSHOP

Gain confidence navigating on transit, and learn about route planning, HandyDART and transitioning from driving to transit. This interactive session includes a bus ride on the 406 and the Canada Line to practice learnings. Vouchers provided. Presented by Better Environmentally Sound Transportation (BEST)—Seniors On The Move. Registration required.

#### **Thompson Community Centre**

FREE Jun 12 ...... Th..... 1:00-3:00pm ...... Free/1 sess ........ 00391079

### FATHER'S DAY JOHNNY ROCKETS INSPIRED BBQ

Celebrate this special day with friends and a delicious diner-style BBQ, games, rock music and fun. Lunch and entertainment included.

#### **South Arm Community Centre**

Jun 24 ......Tu ......11:00am-1:00pm ......\$22/1 sess ..........00388434

#### FRAUDS AND CONS PREVENTION WORKSHOP

Learn tips on how to recognize, avoid and prevent frauds and cons that seem too good to be true. Presented by the RCMP. Registration required.

#### **Cambie Community Centre**

FREE Jun 12 ...... Th..... 1:00-2:00pm ...... Free/1 sess ...... 00390337

#### JEOPARDY GAME

Compete against other participants to answer general knowledge clues in this fun game based on the popular TV show. Offered through Zoom. Registration required.

#### **Cambie Community Centre**

FREE May 16-Jun 20 .. F ............. 12:45-1:45pm ..... Free/2 sess ...... 00385463

#### **MAPQUEST TRAVEL**

Sit back, relax and sip on a favourite beverage while "travelling" to exciting destinations. Offered through Zoom. Held on the second Tuesday of each month. Registration required.

#### **Cambie Community Centre**

FREE Apr 8-Jun 11..... Tu .......... 12:45-1:45pm..... Free/3 sess...... 00381971

#### **MOTHER'S DAY LUNCH PARTY**

Celebrate this special day with friends at this '50s and '60s themed party. Light lunch, games and DJ music included.

#### **South Arm Community Centre**

May 20......Tu......11:30am-2:00pm......\$16.50/1 sess ......00388378

### SENIORS CENTRE AT MINORU CENTRE FOR ACTIVE LIVING TOURS

Experience the Seniors Centre vibe, and find the perfect personal fit of programs and services all year round. Tour highlights include specialized spaces, and the Fitness and Aquatics Centres at Minoru Centre for Active Living. Light refreshments included. Registration required.

#### Seniors Centre-Minoru Centre for Active Living

FREE May 21...... W...... 10:30-11:30am....... Free/1 sess.......... 00385466

### **Health and Wellness**

#### ACTIVE LIVING WITH DIABETES SELF-MANAGEMENT PROGRAM

Recognize the signs and symptoms of diabetes and learn to manage low and high blood glucose, nutrition, activity, stress and medications to prevent complications. Also learn core self-management skills including problem-solving, making action plans and decision-making. Family members and caregivers welcome. Presented by Self-Management BC, University of Victoria and the BC Ministry of Health. Registration required.

#### **South Arm Community Centre**

FREE Apr 8-May 13 .... Tu ...... 10:30am-12:30pm.. Free/6 sess..... 00387727

#### ADVANCE CARE PLANNING WORKSHOP-PERSONAL AND ESTATE

Plan for the future to ensure that personal wishes are respected and implemented. Learn about planning tools such as Wills, Power of Attorney, Joint Bank Accounts and Representation Agreements. Presented by Seniors First BC staff lawyers. Registration required.

#### Seniors Centre-Minoru Centre for Active Living

FREE Apr 4 ....... F....... 10:00am-11:30am ..... Free/1 sess ........... 00384053

# AGING EYES-CATARACTS, GLAUCOMA AND MACULAR DEGENERATION WORKSHOP

Learn about the common conditions of aging eyes, the importance of routine eye exams and the signs, symptoms and treatment options. Presented by an optometrist. Registration required.

#### Seniors Centre-Minoru Centre for Active Living

FREE May 26...... M ...... 10:30am-12:00pm ..... Free/1 sess........... 00391260

#### **Steveston Community Centre**

FREE May 6......1:30-3:00pm.....Free/1 sess........00390416

#### **BONE HEALTH 101**

Cover what osteoporosis is, the risk factors, how to maintain healthy bones, fall prevention and the impact of nutrition and different types of physical activity. Presented by Osteoporosis Canada. Registration required

#### **West Richmond Community Centre**

FREE Apr 5 ..........Sa......11:00am-12:00pm ..... Free/1 sess............00385513

# CHRONIC CONDITION SELF-MANAGEMENT PROGRAM (MANDARIN)

Gain systematic knowledge of how to effectively manage different aspects of health and improve practical skills that include goal-setting, decision-making and problem-solving. Caregivers welcome. Presented by Self-Management BC, University of Victoria and the BC Ministry of Health. Conducted in Mandarin. Registration required.

#### **City Centre Community Centre**

FREE Apr 16-May 21 .. W......... 9:30am-12:00pm Free/6 sess..... 00391852

#### CHRONIC PAIN SELF-MANAGEMENT PROGRAM

Learn coping strategies to help take control or better manage pain and to work more effectively and confidently with health care providers. Caregivers welcome. Presented by Self-Management BC, University of Victoria and the BC Ministry of Health. Registration required.

#### **Thompson Community Centre**

FREE Apr 28-Jun 9..... M........... 12:30-3:00pm..... Free/6 sess..... 00389657

### D.I.Y. (DO-IT-YOURSELF)—ECO-FRIENDLY DISHWASHING TABLET WORKSHOP

Craft natural tablets infused with essential oils and discover how these oils boost cleaning efficiency while being kind to the environment. A \$10 non-refundable supplies fee charged when registering.

#### **City Centre Community Centre**

May 2......F....... 10:30am-12:00pm..... \$9.80/1 sess ....... 00389409

# D.I.Y. (DO-IT-YOURSELF)-ESSENTIAL MASSAGE OIL WORKSHOP

Discover the various benefits and the art of blending essential oils to customize a relaxing massage oil for relaxation and rejuvenation. A \$15 non-refundable supplies fee charged when registering.

#### **City Centre Community Centre**

Apr 4......F.......10:30am-12:00pm.....\$9.80/1 sess .......00389503

### D.I.Y. (DO-IT-YOURSELF)—ESSENTIAL OIL BUG SPRAY WORKSHOP

Learn how to make effective, non-toxic and natural bug spray using essential oils. A \$10 non-refundable supplies fee charged when registering.

#### **City Centre Community Centre**

Jun 6 ...... 10:30-11:30am ........ \$6.55/1 sess ...... 00390218

#### **FOOT CARE CLINIC**

Keep feet healthy with an assessment of the feet and nails by a licensed Foot Care Nurse. Receive treatment for corns, calluses, ingrown toenails or thickened toenails.

#### **Cambie Community Centre**

Mar 31	M	9:00am-3:00pm	\$57.50/1	sess	00391031
Apr 14	M	9:00am-3:00pm	\$57.50/1	sess	00382042
May 12	M	9:00am-3:00pm	\$57.50/1	sess	00382047
Jun 9	M	9:00am-3:00pm	\$57.50/1	sess	00382051

#### **HEARING CLINICS**

Register for a hearing test appointment offered. Registration required.

#### **Cambie Community Centre**

FREE	Apr 23	.W	9:00-9:20am	Free/1	sess00382215
FREE	Apr 23	.W	9:20-9:40am	Free/1	sess00382218
FREE	Apr 23	.W	9:40-10:00am	Free/1	sess00382219
FREE	Apr 23	.W	10:00-10:20am	Free/1	sess00382220
FREE	Apr 23	.W	10:20-10:40am	Free/1	sess00382222
FREE	Apr 23	.W	10:40-11:00am	Free/1	sess00382223
FREE	May 28	.W	9:00-9:20am	Free/1	sess00382227
FREE	May 28	.W	9:20-9:40am	Free/1	sess00382229
FREE	May 28	.W	9:40-10:00am	Free/1	sess00382232
FREE	May 28	.W	10:00-10:20am	Free/1	sess00382235
FREE	May 28	.W	10:20-10:40am	Free/1	sess00382236
FREE	May 28	.W	10:40-11:00am	Free/1	sess00382237
FREE	Jun 25	.W	9:00-9:20am	Free/1	sess00382238
FREE	Jun 25	.W	9:20-9:40am	Free/1	sess00382239
FREE	Jun 25	.W	9:40-10:00am	Free/1	sess00382241
FREE	Jun 25	.W	10:00-10:20am	Free/1	sess00382242

FREE Jun 25 W 10:20-10:40am Free/1 sess 00382243
FREE Jun 25 W 10:40-11:00am Free/1 sess 00382244
Seniors Centre-Minoru Centre for Active Living
FREE Apr 14 M 2:00-2:20pm Free/1 sess 00381938
FREE Apr 14 M 2:20-2:40pm Free/1 sess 00381939
FREE Apr 14 M 2:40-3:00pm Free/1 sess 00381941
FREE Apr 14 M 3:00-3:20pm Free/1 sess 00381942
FREE Apr 14 M 3:20-3:40pm Free/1 sess 00381943
FREE Apr 14 M 3:40-4:00pm Free/1 sess 00381944
FREE Apr 14 M 4:00-4:20pm Free/1 sess 00381979
FREE Apr 14 M 4:20-4:40pm Free/1 sess 00381945
FREE May 12 M 2:00-2:20pm Free/1 sess 00381952
FREE May 12 M 2:20-2:40pm Free/1 sess 00381955
FREE May 12 M 2:40-3:00pm Free/1 sess 00381957
FREE May 12 M 3:00-3:20pm Free/1 sess 00381961
FREE May 12 M 3:20-3:40pm Free/1 sess 00381964
FREE May 12 M 3:40-4:00pm Free/1 sess 00381965
FREE May 12 M 4:00-4:20pm Free/1 sess 00381967
FREE May 12 M 4:20-4:40pm Free/1 sess 00381981
FREE Jun 9 M 2:00-2:20pm Free/1 sess 00381982
FREE Jun 9 M 2:20-2:40pm Free/1 sess 00382028
FREE Jun 9 M 2:40-3:00pm Free/1 sess 00382030
FREE Jun 9 M 3:00-3:20pm Free/1 sess 00382032
FREE Jun 9 M 3:20-3:40pm Free/1 sess 00382033
FREE Jun 9 M 3:40-4:00pm Free/1 sess 00382034
FREE Jun 9 M 4:00-4:20pm Free/1 sess 00382035
FREE Jun 9 M 4:20-4:40pm Free/1 sess 00382036

#### **HEARING HEALTH WORKSHOP**

Explore effective strategies to protect hearing, as age and several common factors can influence deterioration. Registration required. Presented by a Registered Audiologist

#### **Cambie Community Centre**

FREE May 5....... M ...... 1:00-2:30pm...... Free/1 sess......... 00389249

### HEATWAVE AND WILDFIRE SMOKE PREPAREDNESS WORKSHOP

Discover practical tips to be protected from heat and wildfire smoke, learn how to create a preparedness plan and explore tools to help keep family, friends and neighbours safer during the summer months. Presented by Vancouver Coastal Health. Registration required.

Seniors Centre-Minoru Centre for Active Living

FREE May 12...... M...... 10:30-11:30am....... Free/1 sess........... 00386620

# HEATWAVE AND WILDFIRE SMOKE PREPAREDNESS WORKSHOP (CANTONESE)

Discover practical tips to be protected from heat and wildfire smoke, learn how to create a preparedness plan and explore tools to help keep family, friends and neighbours safer during the summer months. Presented by Vancouver Coastal Health. Conducted in Cantonese. Registration required.

Seniors Centre-Minoru Centre for Active Living

FREE May 5....... M...... 10:30-11:30am........ Free/1 sess.......... 00389270

#### HOLISTIC HEALTH SERIES— DIABETES WORKSHOP

Explore this health issue characterized by sustained high blood sugar levels and the underlying contributors to insulin resistance. Presented by a naturopathic doctor. Registration required.

#### **Cambie Community Centre**

FREE Apr 7 .......... M ...... 1:00-2:30pm ............. Free/1 sess ........... 00385270

# HOLISTIC HEALTH SERIES—HEADACHES AND MIGRAINES WORKSHOP

Learn about the different types of headaches, as well as prevention and treatment measures that include lifestyle, diet, supplements and medication. Presented by a naturopathic doctor. Registration required.

#### **Steveston Community Centre**

FREE Apr 28 ...... M ..... 1:30-3:00pm ...... Free/1 sess ....... 00390399

#### HOLISTIC HEALTH SERIES— HYPERTENSION WORKSHOP

Learn how high blood pressure affects the body and how to approach this 'silent killer' from a holistic perspective. Presented by naturopathic doctor. Registration required.

#### **South Arm Community Centre**

FREE May 26...... M ...... 1:00-2:30pm ...... Free/1 sess .......... 00387036

# HOLISTIC HEALTH SERIES-MUSCLE HEALTH IS BRAIN HEALTH WORKSHOP

Learn how body composition and lean muscle mass reflect overall health by discovering the significant link between muscles and the brain. Explore this connection and learn how to maintain and build lean muscle mass to enhance cognition and increase longevity. Presented by a naturopathic doctor. Registration required.

#### **City Centre Community Centre**

FREE May 5........ M ...... 10:30am-12:00pm ..... Free/1 sess.......... 00389617

#### IKI IKI SOCIAL (JAPANESE AND ENGLISH)

Socialize and enjoy easier-paced and culturally-familiar activities in these safe and engaging sessions that focus on promoting and maintaining emotional, physical and cognitive wellbeing. Conducted in Japanese and English. Supplies, cultural lunch and refreshments included.

#### **Steveston Community Centre**

Apr 10-Jun 19 .....Th...... 12:30-3:00pm ...... \$218.35/11 sess .. 00390444

#### JUST FOR YOU-HEALTH TALK WORKSHOP

Support healthy aging with community connection, relevant presentations by healthcare providers and practical information designed specifically for seniors. Registration required.

#### **West Richmond Community Centre**

FREE Apr 16-Jun 18.... W..... 10:30am-12:00pm ... Free/3 sess..... 00385370

#### KIDNEY HEALTH, CARE AND RESOURCES

Learn about this disease, management practices and self-care tips, and find out about available support resources in BC. Presented by SUCCESS. Conducted in English with Mandarin interpretation. Online offered through Zoom Registration required.

#### **City Centre Community Centre**

FREE Apr 8	.Tu10	0:00am-12:00	pm Free/1	sess	00391241
ONLINE Apr 8	.Tu10	0:00am-12:00	pm Free/1	sess	00391243

### LIVING WELL WITH HEARING LOSS WORKSHOP

Learn how to overcome some hearing difficulties and about the current technology available to help. Hearing loss affects communication and can lead to reduced mental health and wellbeing. Presented by an Audiologist. Registration required.

#### Seniors Centre–Minoru Centre for Active Living

FREE May 6.......Tu......2:30-4:00pm.......Free/1 sess..........00390011

### MANAGING STRESS, ANXIETY AND DEPRESSION WORKSHOP

Learn the causes and explore strategies to manage and reduce symptoms from these health issues and how to minimize the impact on daily and social life. Presented by Pathways Clubhouse. Registration required.

#### **West Richmond Community Centre**

FREE May 8.......Th......10:30am-12:00pm.....Free/1 sess........00386004

### OSTEOARTHRITIS SERIES-NORDIC POLE WALKING FOR ARTHRITIS

Learn about the benefits of using poles while walking and techniques to support joints. Presented by Vancouver Coastal Health's Osteoarthritis Service Integration System. Registration required.

#### **South Arm Community Centre**

FREE Apr 15 .......Tu......11:30am-1:00pm...... Free/1 sess..........00392060

#### SENIORS FIRST BC PROGRAM INTRODUCTION

Join this overview of the Seniors First BC programs that provide information, legal advocacy and support with issues affecting seniors' well-being such as elder abuse. Learn about recent trends and common issues. Presented by Seniors First BC. Registration required.

#### Seniors Centre-Minoru Centre for Active Living

FREE Jun 10 ...... Tu ..... 2:30-4:00pm ...... Free/1 sess ...... 00383406

# THRIVING AND SURVIVING CANCER SELF-MANAGEMENT PROGRAM

Learn techniques on managing the health of those living with or affected by cancer and find out ways to stay active in life and relationships. Caregivers welcome. Presented by Self-Management BC, University of Victoria and the BC Ministry. Registration required.

#### Seniors Centre-Minoru Centre for Active Living

FREE Apr 23-Jun 4..... W...... 10:00am-12:30pm....Free/6 sess ... 00381639

# UNDERSTANDING PARKINSON'S AND LOCAL RESOURCES WORKSHOP

Discover the latest information about this degenerative neurological disorder, and find out about local resources in Richmond to help individuals manage stress. Presented by Parkinson Society British Columbia. Registration required.

#### Seniors Centre-Minoru Centre for Active Living

FREE Apr 7 .......... M ...... 11:00am-12:00pm ..... Free/1 sess ........... 00390924

#### WELLNESS CONNECTIONS

Connect with others in this outreach program designed to reintegrate frail, at risk and isolated seniors back into the community. Special programming, lunch and transportation included. Registration, intake interview and instructor approval required. Call the Seniors Wellness Coordinator at 604-238-8460 for details.

#### Seniors Centre-Minoru Centre for Active Living

Apr 10-May 29....Th...... 10:30am-1:30pm...... \$210/8 sess ....... 00391679

# WELLNESS CONNECTIONS (CANTONESE/MANDARIN)

Connect with others in this outreach program designed to reintegrate frail, at risk and isolated seniors back into the community. Special programming, lunch and transportation included. Conducted in Cantonese and Mandarin. Registration, intake interview and instructor approval required. Call the Seniors Wellness Coordinator at 604-238-8460 for details.

#### Seniors Centre-Minoru Centre for Active Living

Apr 8-May 27......10:30am-1:30pm......\$210/8 sess ........00391670

#### WELLNESS WEDNESDAYS WORKSHOPS

Create connections and try wellness activities that focus on different facets of overall health and wellbeing. Transportation and lunch included. Program funded by Hamilton Community Association. Registration required.

#### **Hamilton Community Centre**

FREE Apr 16-Jun 4......... W......11:30am-1:30pm ..... Free/8 sess ... 00389983

### Languages

#### **CANTONESE-BEGINNER**

Explore basic sentence structures, vocabulary and the six distinctive tones through interactive methods of this popular language. Instructed by a fluent Cantonese speaking instructor.

#### Seniors Centre-Minoru Centre for Active Living

Apr 15-Jun 17 ..... Tu ...... 10:00-11:30am ........... \$97.95/10 sess .... 00387828

#### **ENGLISH-BEGINNER**

Develop basic conversation skills, grammar, sentence structure and everyday vocabulary through engaging, hands-on interactive methods.

#### Seniors Centre-Minoru Centre for Active Living

Apr 10-Jun 19 .....Th...... 10:00-11:30am ....... \$107.75/11 sess .. 00387881

#### FRENCH-BEGINNER

Learn basic words and sentences, intonations and interactive methods to be able to have some limited conversations in this popular language. Instructed by a fluent French speaking instructor.

#### Seniors Centre-Minoru Centre for Active Living

Apr 12-Jun 21 ..... Sa..... 9:00-10:00am ...... \$71.85/11 sess .... 00389115

#### FRENCH-INTERMEDIATE

Build on current language skills through conversation, games and topical discussions. Instructed by a fluent French-speaking instructor. Pre-requisite: Beginner knowledge of French.

#### Seniors Centre-Minoru Centre for Active Living

Apr 12-Jun 21 .....Sa...... 10:15-11:15am .......... \$71.85/11 sess .... 00389116

#### **MANDARIN-BEGINNER**

Learn some of this language through basic conversations and engaging with new people. Simplified written forms of Chinese characters and pinyin phonetics are also taught to complement this unique learning experience.

#### Seniors Centre-Minoru Centre for Active Living

Apr 16-Jun 18 ..... W ...... 9:30-11:00am ...... \$97.95/10 sess .... 00388109

#### **SPANISH-BEGINNER**

Learn basic words, sentences and intonations while using interactive methods to develop conversational fluency in this popular language. Instructed by a fluent Spanish speaking instructor.

#### Seniors Centre-Minoru Centre for Active Living

Apr 11-Jun 27 .....F....... 10:30am-12:00pm..... \$107.75/11 sess .. 00385286 Apr 11-Jun 27 .....F...... 12:30-2:00pm...... \$107.75/11 sess .. 00385287

#### **CONVERSATIONAL SPANISH-LEVEL 1**

Meet others and converse in these fun and interactive sessions. Prerequisite: Minimum basic knowledge of Spanish.

#### Seniors Centre-Minoru Centre for Active Living

Apr 9-Jun 25 ...... W ...... 10:30am-12:00pm ..... \$117.55/12 sess .. 00385282

#### CONVERSATIONAL SPANISH-LEVEL 2

Build on current language skills through conversation, games and topical discussions. Instructed by a fluent Spanish-speaking instructor. Pre-requisite: Intermediate knowledge of Spanish.

#### Seniors Centre-Minoru Centre for Active Living

Apr 9-Jun 25 ...... W ...... 12:30-2:00pm ...... \$117.55/12 sess .. 00385284

### **Martial Arts**

#### HEALTH QIGONG-MA WANG DUI DAO YIN SHU

Improve physical and mental well-being with these exercises that help regulate the flow of energy through the body's meridians, the network of energetic passageways that run throughout the body, and stimulate energy flow through the lungs, stomach, heart and kidneys. Instructed by a certified Qigong instructor.

#### **City Centre Community Centre**

Apr 9-Jun 18 ...... 9:15-10:15am ....... \$71.30/11 sess .... 00390170

#### **HEALTH QIGONG-TAI CHI STICK**

Twist, turn, bend and stretch around the waist as a centre to strengthen and stretch muscles and bones. Stick required at each session. Instructed by a certified Qigong instructor.

#### **City Centre Community Centre**

Apr 11-Jun 20 .....F....... 10:00-11:00am ......... \$71.30/11 sess .... 00390213

#### **HEALTH QIGONG-YI JIN JING-BEGINNER**

Focus on the upper body, arms and spine to learn basic harmonious standing movements along with breathing techniques that help to strengthen muscles and tendons, improve flexibility and balance. Instructed by a certified Qigong instructor.

#### **South Arm Community Centre**

Apr 10-May 15....Th...... 1:00-2:00pm............. \$38.90/6 sess ...... 00387015 May 22-Jun 26....Th...... 1:00-2:00pm............. \$38.90/6 sess ...... 00387017

#### **QIGONG FOR HEALTH-ALL LEVELS**

Maintain health, increase vitality and experience inner peace and healing with this ancient form of Chinese medicine that includes gentle physical movements, breathing techniques and meditation. Instructed by a certified Qigong instructor.

#### **West Richmond Community Centre**

Apr 4-Jun 13 ......F....... 2:00-3:00pm ....... \$64.80/10 sess .... 00386011

#### TAI CHI-BEGINNER

Learn basic movements in these Yang-style sessions.

#### **City Centre Community Centre**

Apr 9-Jun 18 ...... W ...... 11:45am-12:45pm ..... \$71.30/11 sess .... 00387738

#### Seniors Centre-Minoru Centre for Active Living

Apr 11-Jun 20 ..... F....... 11:15am-12:15pm..... \$64.80/10 sess .... 00389855 Apr 12-Jun 21 ..... Sa...... 11:15am-12:15pm..... \$71.30/11 sess .... 00389878

#### **Steveston Community Centre**

Apr 3-Jun 19 ...... Th...... 11:30am-12:30pm..... \$77.75/12 sess .... 00390455

#### TAI CHI-INTERMEDIATE

Increase flexibility, relaxation and balance with this popular form of martial arts. Pre-requisite: Tai Chi experience.

#### **City Centre Community Centre**

Apr 7-Jun 16 ...... M ..... 10:45-11:45am ....... \$64.80/10 sess .... 00387734

#### TAI CHI-ADVANCED

Experience improved balance, increased flexibility and relaxation with movements that include Form 24, 42 and 48. Pre-requisite: Tai Chi experience.

#### **City Centre Community Centre**

Apr 9-Jun 18 ...... W ...... 10:30-11:30am ....... \$71.30/11 sess .... 00387735

#### Seniors Centre-Minoru Centre for Active Living

Apr 12-Jun 21 ..... Sa..... 10:00-11:00am ........ \$71.30/11 sess .... 00389877

#### **Steveston Community Centre**

Apr 1-Jun 17 ...... Tu ...... 11:30am-12:30pm ..... \$77.75/12 sess .... 00390456

#### TAI CHI-FAN-BEGINNER

Practice this elegant and popular form of martial arts that also improves flexibility and balance. Fan provided for use during session.

#### **City Centre Community Centre**

TRY-IT Apr 7 M	. 12:45-1:45pm	Free/1 sess	00389243
Apr 14-Jun 16 M	. 12:45-1:45pm	\$58.30/9 sess	00387737

#### TAI CHI-FAN-INTERMEDIATE

Practice this elegant and popular form of martial arts that enhances flexibility and balance. Fan provided for use during session. Prerequisite: Tai Chi–Fan–Beginner.

#### **City Centre Community Centre**

Apr 7-Jun 16 ...... M ...... 11:45am-12:45pm ..... \$64.80/10 sess .... 00387736

#### TAI CHI-SWORD-BEGINNER

Strive to perfect the core principles of this form of martial arts, improve balance and develop proper breathing all while learning this beautiful sword routine. Instructed by a qualified martial arts instructor.

#### **City Centre Community Centre**

Apr 11-Jun 20 .....F....... 8:50-9:50am ...... \$71.30/11 sess .... 00387740

#### Seniors Centre-Minoru Centre for Active Living

Apr 10-Jun 12 .....Th...... 12:45-1:45pm...... \$64.80/10 sess .... 00385706

#### **Steveston Community Centre**

Apr 7-Jun 16 ...... M ..... 1:30-2:30pm ...... \$58.30/9 sess ..... 00390442

#### TAI CHI-SWORD-INTERMEDIATE

Advance beginner Tai Chi sword skills by learning more complex techniques, improving balance and developing proper breathing, all while mastering this beautiful sword routine. Instructed by a qualified martial arts instructor.

#### **Steveston Community Centre**

Apr 7-Jun 16 ...... M ...... 11:45am-1:15pm ...... \$87.50/9 sess ..... 00390457

#### TAI CHI-SWORD-YANG STYLE-INTERMEDIATE

Strive to perfect the core principles, improve balance and develop proper breathing all while learning this beautiful sword routine. Instructed by a qualified martial arts instructor.

#### **City Centre Community Centre**

Apr 11-Jun 20 .....F........11:15am-12:15pm.....\$71.30/11 sess .... 00387743

### **Out Trips and Tours**

#### **APRIL**

# GATEWAY THEATRE-BEHIND THE SCENES TOUR

Take a tour of this well-known Richmond theatre, learn what goes into a theatre production and try a play reading of a character from the "Pride and Prejudice" script.

#### Seniors Centre-Minoru Centre for Active Living

FREE Apr 3 ........... 1:30-4:30pm ............ Free/1 sess ........... 00392158

#### ABBOTSFORD TULIP FESTIVAL TRIP

Explore 10 acres of stunning fields and a flower market, u-pick tulips, views of Mount Baker and more. Bring lunch or purchase from on-site food trucks. Transportation and admission included. Home drop-off (\$3) available.

#### **City Centre Community Centre**

Apr 12 ...... Sa..... 10:15am-4:15pm ...... \$40/1 sess ......... 00386937

#### **South Arm Community Centre**

Apr 12 ...... Sa..... 10:00am-4:00pm ...... \$40/1 sess ...... 00386337

#### HARRISON TULIP FESTIVAL TRIP

Take in the more than 10 million tulips at this vibrant festival set amidst breathtaking mountain views, and enjoy scenic pathways, fragrant blooms and a new show garden. Transportation and admission included.

#### **Thompson Community Centre**

Apr 16......W......9:45am-4:00pm.......\$40/1 sess ..........00390223

#### PAINT AND SIP AT LULU ISLAND WINERY TRIP

Visit Greater Vancouver's largest winery located in Richmond and learn how to paint with step-by-step instructions by a local artist with live entertainment and happy hour at Vibes and Vino. Transportation and painting supplies included. No refunds within 30 days of trip.

#### Seniors Centre-Minoru Centre for Active Living

Apr 18......F......4:30-8:30pm............\$76.10/1 sess ..... 00391841

### GATEWAY THEATRE-PRIDE AND PREJUDICE SHOW

Walk together from the Seniors Centre to enjoy some pre-show refreshments before watching a fresh and vibrant theatre show performance of Jane Austen's classic novel, "Pride and Prejudice". Admission, tea and treats included. No refunds within 30 days of trip.

#### Seniors Centre-Minoru Centre for Active Living

#### LOMBARDO'S RESTAURANT TRIP

Tantalize the senses with Italian favourites at this family-owned Vancouver restaurant that serves up wood oven pizzas, house made pastas and other authentic dishes. Transportation only included. Home drop off (\$3) available.

#### Seniors Centre-Minoru Centre for Active Living

Apr 24......Th......4:30-8:30pm......\$22.50/1 sess ..... 00387018

### HIGH TEA AT THE DICKENS SWEETS AND BRITISH MUSEUM TRIP

Explore over 10,000 square feet of this Chilliwack destination that features all things British including a grocery store, museum, bakery and sweet shop. Transportation and high tea included.

#### **Steveston Community Centre**

Apr 25......F......9:45am-3:15pm.......\$66.20/1 sess ......00390419

#### PAT OUINN'S AT TSAWWASSEN SPRINGS TRIP

Savour the flavours from this classic steak and seafood restaurant and bar set in a contemporary West Coast atmosphere overlooking the golf course fairways. Transportation only included.

#### **Thompson Community Centre**

Apr 25 ......F...... 4:30-8:00pm ....... \$18.50/1 sess ..... 00390320

#### **West Richmond Community Centre**

Apr 25 ...... F...... 4:15-7:45pm ....... \$18.50/1 sess ..... 00390334

### HATLEY CASTLE AND GARDENS VICTORIA TRIP

Explore this historic castle and spectacular gardens at Royal Roads University followed by shopping or lunch in downtown Victoria. Transportation and admission included. No refunds within 30 days of trip.

#### **Thompson Community Centre**

Apr 30 ...... W....... 7:30am-7:00pm.. \$110.10 (55-64yrs)/1 sess ... 00393197 \$93.10 (65+yrs)/1 sess

#### **MAY**

### VSO TEA AND TRUMPETS-SONGS MY MOTHER TAUGHT ME TRIP

Enjoy tea and biscuits followed by the Vancouver Symphony Orchestra's Assistant Concertmaster, the sensational violinist David Lakirovich performance of Tchaikovsky's Souvenir d'un lieu cher, alongside Dvořák's Songs My Mother Taught Me, one generation's hopes and teachings lovingly passed to the next. Transportation and admission included. No refunds within 30 days of trip.

#### Seniors Centre-Minoru Centre for Active Living

May 1......Th......12:00-4:30pm..........\$73.75/1 sess ......00391838

#### WHITE ROCK NIGHT MARKET TRIP

Explore this lively and vibrant evening market that includes live music and street performances, food trucks and an artisanal shopping marketplace and art walk. Transportation only included. Free admission.

#### Seniors Centre-Minoru Centre for Active Living

May 2......F......3:30-8:00pm......\$24/1 sess ........00392070

# SQUAMISH LIL'WAT CULTURAL CENTRE AND WHISTLER TRIP

Dive deep into the richness of Indigenous culture with a guided tour of this special cultural centre. Experience captivating stories, fascinating artifacts and informative exhibits followed by free time in the scenic charm of Whistler Village. Bring or buy lunch in Whistler Village. Transportation and admission included.

#### **Thompson Community Centre**

May 6......5:30pm.......\$54.75/1 sess ..... 00391126

#### **RENFREW COMMUNITY CENTRE LUNCH TRIP**

Enjoy a full meal along with entertainment and a chance to win door prizes at this active East Vancouver community centre. Transportation, lunch and entertainment included.

#### **Cambie Community Centre**

May 7.......W...... 11:15am-3:00pm...... \$31.20/1 sess ..... 00387977

#### **BRITANNIA MINING MUSEUM TRIP**

Take a trip through history at this historic copper mine in Squamish that has been in operation since the early 20th century. Transportation and admission included. No refunds within 30 days of trip.

#### **Thompson Community Centre**

#### **NEW FUJI RESTAURANT TRIP**

Embark on a foodie adventure to this casual, retro-themed Japanese fusion restaurant in Vancouver's Kitsilano neighbourhood. Savour the taste of nostalgic Japanese dishes with a modern twist. Transportation only included.

#### Seniors Centre-Minoru Centre for Active Living

May 14.......W......4:30-8:30pm......\$22.50/1 sess ......00392055

#### **SEA LION BOAT TOUR**

View California sea lions up close on this 90-minute exhilarating cruise aboard a 40-foot semi-covered vessel. Meet at Vancouver Whale Watch in Steveston Harbour. Dress for weather as trip runs in all weather. Nature presentation and transportation included.

#### **Richmond Nature Park**

May 16......F....... 8:30-10:30am........... \$40/1 sess ........... 00390856

#### **BOWEN ISLAND TRIP**

Take a 20-minute ferry ride from Horseshoe Bay to Snug Cove to explore village shops and the wooded trails of Killarney Lake. Bus and ferry transportation included. No refunds within 30 days of trip.

#### **Thompson Community Centre**

May 22...... Th ...... 9:15am-5:45pm.. \$77.50 (55-64yrs) /1 sess .... 00393029 \$60.50 (65+yrs)/1 sess

#### IONA BEACH BIRD WATCHING TRIP

Walk through this picturesque park near the airport watching for and learning about birds and other local wildlife from an experienced quide. Walking long distance required. Transportation only included.

#### **Steveston Community Centre**

May 23.......F.......9:45am-2:30pm.......\$20.50/1 sess .....00390425

### BASEBALL AND FIREWORKS SHOW AT NAT BAILEY STADIUM TRIP

Cheer on the Vancouver Canadians at this historical and picturesque outdoor stadium and watch a special fireworks show after the game. Transportation and admission included. Home drop off (\$3) available. No refunds within 30 days of trip.

#### **Thompson Community Centre**

May 27......Tu......6:00-10:30pm.........\$45/1 sess .........00390217

#### **West Richmond Community Centre**

May 27......Tu......5:45-10:30pm..........\$45/1 sess ..........00390317

#### **ART IN THE PARK**

Create a personal art piece with the help of an experienced instructor, drawing inspiration from the stunning landscapes of Vancouver's iconic Stanley Park. After the art session, enjoy a light lunch and take some time to explore the park. Transportation, supplies, lunch and keepsake paint set and brush included.

#### **City Centre Community Centre**

May 29......Th......10:45am-2:45pm......\$42/1 sess .........00386938 South Arm Community Centre

May 29......Th......10:30am-3:00pm......\$42/1 sess ..........00386339

#### **JUNE**

#### LADNER VILLAGE MARKET TRIP

Spend the afternoon outdoors at this buzzing market filled with fresh, locally grown produce, handmade crafts and delicious food vendors. Transportation only included.

#### **Thompson Community Centre**

Jun 8 ......Su .....11:00am-3:00pm ...... \$20.50/1 sess ..... 00392987

#### **VSO-THE PAUL SIMON SONGBOOK TRIP**

Enjoy an evening of music from the legendary Paul Simon performed by the Vancouver Symphony Orchestra at the Orpheum Theatre. Transportation and admission included. No refunds within 30 days of trip.

#### **City Centre Community Centre**

Jun 13 ......F....... 7:15-10:30pm ............ \$65/1 sess ........... 00386939

#### **South Arm Community Centre**

Jun 13 ......F....... 7:00-10:45pm......... \$65/1 sess .......... 00386100

#### **SQUAMISH SEA TO SKY GONDOLA TRIP**

Take a thrilling and picturesque ride up the mountain before walking interpretive trails and dining at the Summit Lodge or having a picnic. Walking long distance required. Transportation and gondola admission included. No refunds within 30 days of trip.

#### **Thompson Community Centre**

Jun 16 ...... 9:00am-5:15pm ....... \$78.50/1 sess ..... 00392993

#### STANDING STRAWBERRY U-PICK TRIP

Harvest fresh strawberries at this unique, naturally beautiful spot in Abbotsford, featuring elevated rows for easier berry picking. Transportation included. Cost of berries extra.

#### Seniors Centre-Minoru Centre for Active Living

Jun 16 ...... 8:30am-2:00pm ....... \$25/1 sess ........ 00392062

#### **BC HIGHLAND GAMES AND** SCOTTISH FESTIVAL TRIP

Experience solo piping and drumming, pipe bands, Highland and Scottish Country dancing and the famous Haggis Hunt at this 80-yearold event in Coquitlam. Transportation and admission included.

#### **Thompson Community Centre**

Jun 21 ......Sa......11:00am-5:30pm ...... \$44/1 sess ..........00390722

#### SCANDINAVIAN MIDSUMMER FESTIVAL TRIP

Experience this 20+ year vibrant celebration in Burnaby that highlights Danish, Finnish, Icelandic, Norwegian and Swedish cultures with live music, 50 food and craft vendors, games and a real Viking raid! Transportation and admission included.

#### **Cambie Community Centre**

Jun 22 ...... Su ..... 10:15am-3:45pm ...... \$32/1 sess ........ 00396438

#### **South Arm Community Centre**

Jun 22 ......Su ..... 10:00am-4:00pm ...... \$32/1 sess ......... 00396257

#### BUTCHART GARDENS TRIP

Stroll through Victoria's iconic 55-acre floral display that is a National Historic Site of Canada. Bring or buy lunch. Transportation, ferry fees and garden admission included. No refunds within 30 days of trip.

#### **Thompson Community Centre**

Jun 24 ......Tu .....7:30am-7:00pm .... \$127.60 (55-64vrs)/1 sess.... 00390740 \$110.60 (65+yrs)/1 sess

#### **BRENTWOOD MALL AND** FARMERS MARKET TRIP

Dine, shop and explore this revitalized shopping mall and the Artisan Farmers' Market that boasts fresh local produce, handmade goods and artisanal treats. Transportation only included.

#### Seniors Centre-Minoru Centre for Active Living

Jun 28 ...... 9:30am-2:30pm ....... \$23/1 sess ........ 00391844

### **Racquet Sports**

#### PICKLEBALL-BEGINNER

Learn the rules and basic techniques of this fun, simple and fastpaced game that combines ping pong, tennis and badminton on a badminton size court utilizing paddles and a plastic wiffle ball. Suitable for beginners. Paddles provided for use if required.

#### **South Arm Community Centre**

Apr 1-May 13Tu9:4	45-11:15am	\$68.90/7 sess	.00386986
Apr 1-May 13Tu5:3	30-7:00pm	\$68.90/7 sess	.00386987
May 20-Jun 24 Tu 9:4	45-11:15am	\$59.05/6 sess	.00387007

May 20-Jun 24 Tu 5:30-7:00pm \$59.05/6 sess 00387010	May	20-Jun	24	.Tu	.5:30-7:00pm	າ	\$59.05/6	sess	0038701	0
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#### **Thompson Community Centre**

Apr 3-May 15......Th......1:15-2:30pm.......\$57.40/7 sess ......00390001 May 22-Jun 26 .... Th...... 1:15-2:30pm ....... \$49.20/6 sess ...... 00390017

#### **West Richmond Community Centre**

Apr 7-Jun 23 ...... M ..... 12:45-2:00pm ............ \$90.20/11 sess .... 00386922

#### PICKLEBALL-BEGINNER-FOR WOMEN

Learn the rules and basic techniques of this fun, simple and fastpaced game that combines ping pong, tennis and badminton on a badminton size court utilizing paddles and a plastic wiffle ball. Suitable for beginners. Paddles provided for use if required.

#### **West Richmond Community Centre**

Apr 11-Jun 27.	F	9:30-10:45am	\$82/10 sess	00387312
Apr 11-Jun 27 .	F	10:50am-12:05pm	\$82/10 sess	00387313

#### PICKLEBALL-INTERMEDIATE

Continue to improve in these high-intensity, drill-focused sessions that focus on perfecting shots and heightening game awareness. Instructed by a certified instructor. Paddles provided for use if required. Pre-requisite: Pickleball-Beginner.

#### **South Arm Community Centre**

Apr 1-May 13Tu	8:00-9:30am	\$68.90/7 sess	00386982
Apr 1-May 13Tu	11:30am-1:00pm.	\$68.90/7 sess	00386985
Apr 1-May 13Tu	7:15-8:45pm	\$68.90/7 sess	00386984
May 20-Jun 24 Tu	8:00-9:30am	\$59.05/6 sess	00387005
May 20-Jun 24 Tu	11:30am-1:00pm.	\$59.05/6 sess	00387009
May 20-Jun 24 Tu	7:15-8:45pm	\$59.05/6 sess	00387011
Thompson Comm	unity Centre		

Apr 3-May 15......Th...... 2:35-3:50pm................ \$57.40/7 sess ...... 00390004 May 22-Jun 26 .... Th..... 2:35-3:50pm ....... \$49.20/6 sess ..... 00390030

#### **West Richmond Community Centre**

Apr 9-Jun 25 ...... W ...... 11:45am-1:15pm ...... \$118.10/12 sess .. 00386958 Apr 9-Jun 24 ...... W ...... 1:20-2:50pm ...... \$108.25/11 sess .. 00386960

#### PICKLEBALL-NON-INSTRUCTIONAL

Practice and play with fellow players in these non-instructional sessions. Suitable for all skill and fitness levels.

#### **City Centre Community Centre (Anderson School)**

### **Sports**

#### **BOCCE-OUTDOOR**

Compete against each other as a team in this fun and easy outdoor game that closely resembles bowling. Refreshments included. Registration required.

#### **Thompson Community Centre**

FREE Jun 19 ...... Th..... 6:00-7:00pm ..... Free/1 sess ......... 00391443

#### GOLF LESSONS FOR SENIORS-BEGINNER

Learn the basics of putting, chipping and pitching in this beginner 45-minute group lesson followed by a 9 hole round with the golf instructor. Rentals included if required.

#### **Richmond Pitch & Putt Golf Course**

Jun 10-Jun 12	Tu/Th . 1:00-2:30pm	\$45/2 sess	00389783
Jun 17-Jun 19	Tu/Th . 1:00-2:30pm	\$45/2 sess	00389787
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# **Richmond Wellness Clinics 55+**



# Take Charge of your Health

Clinics offer information on a wide range of programs, services and supports specifically for Richmond seniors (55+ years) and may include:

# **Health Information and Education** (Drop-in)

Information and referral services from multilingual volunteers

Booths hosted by local organizations and businesses

# **Prevention Services and Health Monitoring (Drop-in)**

- Blood pressure checks with retired volunteer nurses
- Blood glucose and blood cholesterol checks with local pharmacy staff

### **Treatments (Registration required)**

- Foot Care with a Licensed Foot Care Nurse (for a fee)
- Reflexology or Shiatsu with a Holistic Health Practitioner (for a fee)
- Chair massage with a Registered Massage Therapy student (free)\*\*

Call each centre directly to confirm the services offered at each site. Refunds for withdrawals are permitted up to three days prior to the clinic.

#### Locations

**City Centre Community Centre** 604-204-8588 (1st Thu/mth)

**East Richmond Community Hall** 604-238-8399 (2nd Wed/mth)

# **Seniors Centre—Minoru Centre for Active Living**

604-238-8450 (3rd Wed/mth)

**South Arm Community Centre** 604-238-8060 (2nd Fri/mth)

### **Steveston Japanese Canadian Cultural Centre**

604-238-8084 (1st Wed/mth)

### **Thompson Community Centre**

604-238-8422 (2nd Mon/mth)

Registration opens on the day of the current Wellness Clinic for the next month's Clinic. For Foot Care treatments, registration opens two months prior.

#### 3 ways to register

- richmond.ca/register
- 604-276-4300
   Mon Fri,
   8:30am 5:00pm



In-person at any community facility



<sup>\*\*</sup>In-person or phone registration only

# **Seniors Annual Facility Pass Programs**

The Seniors Facility Pass at the Minoru Centre for Active Living supports the Minoru Seniors Society and is \$36.00 per year. Complimentary Seniors Facility Passes are available to honour those 90+ years old.

Passes are available for individuals 55+ years old and to spouses less than 55 years old. Passes are valid for one year from date of purchase. Visit the front desk or call 604-238-8450 to purchase a pass and for more information.

Minoru Centre for Active Living (Seniors Centre)								
SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT		
<b>Billiards*</b> 8:00am–4:45pm (Drop-in)	<b>Billiards*</b> 8:00am–8:45pm	<b>Billiards*</b> 8:00am–8:45pm	<b>Billiards*</b> 8:00am–8:45pm	<b>Billiards*</b> 8:00am–8:45pm	<b>Billiards*</b> 8:00am-8:45pm	<b>Billiards*</b> 8:00am–4:45pm (Drop-in)		
<b>Wood Carving***</b> 9:30am—12:00pm 1:00—4:30pm	Woodworking* 8:30am-2:00pm	Tai Chi Practice** 9:00–10:00am	Woodworking* 8:30am-2:00pm	Tai Chi Practice** 8:45–9:45am	Woodworking* 8:30am-2:00pm	Woodworking* 8:30am—4:00pm (Finishing day)		
Model Walkers** 11:00am-1:00pm	Tai Chi Practice** 8:45–9:45am	French Conversation 9:30–11:30am	<b>Yuanji Dance**</b> 8:30–10:30am	<b>Yuanji Dance**</b> 9:00–10:30am	Tai Chi Practice** 9:00–10:30am	Tai Chi Practice* 8:45–9:45am		
<b>Poker</b> 11:30am–4:00pm	<b>Yuanji Dance**</b> 9:00–10:30am	<b>Wood Carving***</b> 9:30am–12:00pm 1:00–4:30pm	Tai Chi Practice** 8:45–9:45am	Busy Fingers/ Knitters and Knatters 9:30–11:30am 1:00–3:00pm	<b>Mahjong**</b> 10:00am–5:00pm	Ballroom Dance 10:00am–12:00pr		
Minoru Community Line Dancers** 1:30-3:30pm	Busy Fingers/ Knitters and Knatters 9:30-11:30am	<b>Poker</b> 11:30am–4:00pm	Happy Chorus 10:00am–12:30pm	Minoru Strummers Ukulele Circle** 10:00–11:30am	Silver Singers** 9:45am-12:00pm	Chinese Drum ar Guitar Social ** 10:00am-12:00p		
	<b>Lego®</b> 10:00am–2:00pm	Carpet Bowling 12:30–3:00pm	<b>Mahjong**</b> 10:00am–5:00pm	<b>Poker</b> 11:30am–4:00pm	Bridge Duplicate 12:30–4:00pm	Spanish Social 10:30am–1:00pr		
	Happy Chorus 10:00am–12:30pm	Kingsland Calligraphy 1:30-4:00pm	<b>Crib</b> 1:00–3:30pm	<b>Scrabble</b> 12:45–4:00pm	Chinese Calligraphy** 1:00-4:00pm	Peking Opera 1:30–4:30pm		
	Reading Social for Chinese Speaking Seniors 10:15am-12:15pm	Seniors Saxophone** 3:00-5:00pm	<b>Glee</b> 2:00–4:00pm	Joy Singing and Dancing** (Singing) 1:00–3:00pm	<b>Euchre</b> 1:30–4:00pm	Multicultural Dance** 2:00-4:30pm		
	<b>Crib</b> 1:00–3:00pm	<b>Board Games</b> 3:30–5:30pm	Joy Singing and Dancing (Dancing) 2:30–4:30	<b>Wood Carving***</b> 1:00–4:30pm	Minoru Community Line Dancers** 1:30–3:30pm			
	<b>Bridge</b> 1:00–4:30pm	<b>Yuanji Dance**</b> 6:30–8:30pm	Multicultural Dance** (Performance group only) 6:45-8:45pm	Platinum Players 1:30–3:30pm	Hanging with The Guys 3:00-4:30pm			
	Photo Group (2nd & 4th week) 1:30–3:30pm	Joy Singing and Dancing** (Dancing) 6:45—8:45pm		Ballroom Dance** 3:30–5:15pm	Classical Chinese Ethnic Folk Dance** 6:45–8:45pm			
	Multicultural Dance** 2:30-4:30pm	<b>Model Dance**</b> 6:45–8:45pm		Seniors Saxophone** 4:00-6:00pm				
	<b>Whist</b> 6:00–8:45pm			Prostate Cancer Support Group (2nd week) 6:30–8:30pm				
				Yuanji Dance 6:30–8:30pm				
*Additional Passe	es \$48 00/vear 1 *	· **Additional Fees :	\$2 00/Dron-in   *	**Additional Pass	\$42 00\/ear			

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Cambie Communi	ty Centre					
SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
	Coffee and Tea 11:00am–12:30pm (ERCH)	Tai Chi Practice— Form 24 8:30—9:15am (no instruction) 00381950* (ERCH)	<b>Tai Chi–48 Form</b> 8:30–9:30am 00381956* (ERCH)	Indoor Walking 10:00–11:00am 00381963* (CCC)	<b>Tai Chi–24 Form</b> 8:30–9:30am 00381958* (ERCH)	
		Tai Chi Practice— Form 48 9:15–10:00am (no instruction) 00381954* (ERCH)	Table Tennis 9:30–10:30am (ERCH)		Table Tennis 9:30–10:30am (ERCH)	
		<b>Mahjong</b> (2nd Tue/mth) 10:00am—12:00pm 00381968* (ERCH)	Book Club (1st Wed/mth) 10:00–11:30am 00381972* (ERCH)		<b>Knitting</b> 10:00—11:30am (ERCH)	
		Karaoke (1st and 3rd Tu/mth) 10:30am—12:30pm (ERCH)	Writing Club 10:00am–12:00pm 00381973 (ERCH)		<b>Luk Tung Kuen</b> 11:00–11:45am 00381962* (ERCH)	
			<b>Luk Tung Kuen</b> 11:00–11:45am 00381959* (ERCH)			
			Coffee and Tea (2nd Wed/mth) 11:30am—1:30pm (ERCH)			

<sup>\*</sup>Registration required.

Note: Cambie's Facility Pass activities are cancelled on statutory holidays.

#### ERCH = East Richmond Community Hall. CCC = Cambie Community Centre.

City Centre Community Centre								
SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT		
English Conversation Group 3:00–4:30pm	Karaoke (English) 10:00am–1:00pm	Singing Group 10:00am-1:00pm	Poetry Appreciation Group (2nd Wed/mth) 2:00–4:00pm	Karaoke (Chinese) 10:30am–12:30pm		Technology Help 3:30–5:00pm		
	Ballroom Dance 1:00–3:00pm	Chinese Calligraphy in Mandarin 1:00–3:00pm		Ballroom Dance 1:00–3:00pm				
	Chinese Traditional Dance 2:00–3:30pm	Drama Group (Cantonese) 2:00-4:00pm		Chinese Traditional Dance 2:00–3:30pm				
	Brush Hour 3:00–5:00pm							

Note: City Centre's Facility Pass activities are cancelled on statutory holidays.

Hamilton Community Centre								
SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT		
	<b>Tai Chi Advanced</b> 7:30–8:30am	<b>Tai Chi Advanced</b> 7:30–8:30am	<b>Tai Chi Advanced</b> 7:30–8:30am	<b>Tai Chi Advanced</b> 7:30–8:30am	<b>Tai Chi Advanced</b> 7:30–8:30am			
	<b>Mahjong</b> 10:15am—12:30pm	Tai Chi Beginners 9:00–10:00am		Tai Chi Beginners 9:00–10:00am	Dancing and Sing-a-long 10:00am—12:00pm			
		Seniors Circle Group 10:00–11:30am		<b>Mahjong</b> 10:15am–12:30pm				

Note: Hamilton's Facility Pass activities are cancelled on statutory holidays.

South Arm Community Centre							
SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	
Sahara Sisters (last Sun/mth) 12:30–3:30pm	Luk Tung Kuen 7:45–8:30am	<b>Luk Tung Kuen</b> 7:45–8:30am	<b>Luk Tung Kuen</b> 7:45–8:30am	Luk Tung Kuen 7:45–8:30am	<b>Luk Tung Kuen</b> 7:45–8:30am	<b>MILAP Group – B</b> 11:00am–1:00pm	
	New Immigrant Support/English Learning Group 9:00–11:30am	Seniors Social Group 9:30–11:00am	Book Club (4th Wed/mth) 10:00–11:30am	Friendship Group 8:30–9:20am	Ted Talks (4th Fri/mth) 10:00–11:00am		
	Scrabble 10:00am–12:00pm		Classic QiPao Dance 12:00–2:00pm	<b>Karaoke</b> 9:30am–12:00pm			
	MILAP Group – A (bi-weekly) 1:00–3:00pm		Singing Along 12:00–2:00pm	Mahjong Social 9:30am–1:30pm			
				Knitting Group 1:00–3:00pm			

Note: South Arm's Facility Pass activities are cancelled on statutory holidays.

Steveston Community Centre							
SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	
	Chinese Multicultural Group 10:00–11:30am	Karaoke Social (Multilingual) 2:45–4:45pm	Knitting and Crochetting Social 10:00am-12:00pm	Chinese Multicultural Group 9:30–11:30am	Japanese Tablet Club 9:30–11:30am		
	Tai Chi Practice 10:30–11:30am		Low Vision Support Group (2nd Wed/mth) 10:00am–12:00pm		Ukulele Circle 10:00–11:30am		
	Drumming Ensemble* 1:30-2:30pm		Japanese Crafts Group 12:30-2:30pm		Bridge Social 1:00–4:00pm		
			Tech Help 101 1-on-1 (in English) 1:00–3:00pm (604-238-8084 to register)		Ukulele Ensemble 1:00–2:30pm		

\*Call 604-238-8084

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Thompson Community Centre								
SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT		
	Luk Tung Kuen 7:45–8:45am	Luk Tung Kuen 7:45–8:45am	Luk Tung Kuen 7:45–8:45am	Luk Tung Kuen 7:45–8:45am	<b>Table Tennis</b> 7:30–9:30am	<b>Table Tennis</b> 7:30–9:30am		
	<b>Tai Chi</b> 9:00–9:30am	Luk Tung Coffee Hour 9:00–10:00am	<b>Tai Chi</b> 9:00–9:30am	Crafts Group 11:00am-1:00pm	<b>Luk Tung Kuen</b> 7:45–8:45am			
	Table Tennis 1:30–5:00pm		Chinese Cultural Dance 1:30-2:45pm		Gentlemen in Conservation (2nd & 4th week) 10:30am–12:00pm			
					<b>Karaoke</b> 10:30am–12:30pm			

Note: Thompson's Facility Pass activities are cancelled on statutory holidays.

West Richmond Community Centre								
SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT		
Chinese Folk Dancing 2:00-4:00pm	French Conversation Group 10:30am–12:00pm	Chinese Folk Dancing 9:45–10:45am	Ukulele and Singing Circle 6:30–8:00pm	English Conversation Group— Intermediate 11:00am-12:15pm				
		English Conversation Group—Beginner 11:00am—12:30pm (Contact 604-238-8431 for availability)						
		Spanish Intermediate Conversation Group (online) 1:30–3:00pm						
		Scottish Country Dancing 2:15-3:45pm						

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