



May 29, 2026

One community. Many cultures. Game on.

We're counting down to the FIFA World Cup 2026™ and getting ready for the fun from June 12 to July 19! Richmond Celebrates Soccer will bring the community together through local events focused on sport, play and culture. From neighbourhood block parties to signature events, Richmond will come alive for fans of the beautiful game.

Join us for the first Signature Event, World Soccer Day Kickoff, from 10:00am to 8:30pm on Fri, Jun 12 at the Richmond Olympic Oval. Take part in a full day of activities, including 3x3 soccer and foosball tournaments, sports trivia, a BBQ and live music.

There will be two live game viewings on a large outdoor LED screen, with festival-style seating available. Or you can bring a lawn chair or blanket to get comfortable. Matches are at noon (Canada vs. Bosnia and Herzegovina) and 6:00pm (USA vs. Paraguay).

It's going to be a ball!

[Learn more](#)



Richmond takes centre stage on CBC Radio

CBC's *The Early Edition with Stephen Quinn* broadcast live from the Minoru Centre for Active Living on Thu, May 28. *Richmond Moves* celebrated our city's achievements and growth, including being named Canada's Most Active Community by ParticipACTION. The broadcast featured nine segments highlighting Richmond's people, places and stories. (L to R: Stephen Quinn and Mayor Malcolm Brodie)

[Listen now - May 28 clips](#)



Celebrate Indigenous history, heritage and culture

We are recognizing National Indigenous History Month in June and National Indigenous Peoples Day on June 21 with a variety of community events and activities that celebrate the histories, cultures, traditions and contributions of First Nations, Inuit and Métis Peoples in Canada. Residents of all ages are encouraged to participate in workshops, storytelling sessions and other activities that support learning, reflection and celebration of Indigenous cultures.

[Learn more](#)



Explore Richmond like never before at Doors Open

Come out to Doors Open Richmond on June 6 and 7 - a free annual event that invites everyone to explore the places and people that make our city unique. This year, 45 partner sites are participating, including art studios, national historic sites, working farms and faith-based organizations, each offering a unique window into the communities that shape Richmond.

[Learn more](#)



Call for Richmond Heritage Award nominations

Richmond's heritage is brought to life by the people and organizations who help preserve and share its historic buildings and cultural landscapes, local stories and traditions. If you know a person or group whose dedication helps preserve and protect Richmond's heritage places and rich history for future generations, nominate them for a Richmond Heritage Award by Sun, Jun 14. *(Photo: City of Richmond Archives, Photograph # 1999 4 2 155.)*

[Learn more and nominate](#)



National Historic Event celebrated with plaque in Steveston

A plaque recognizing the significance of the *Cunningham v. Homma* National Historic Event was installed during Asian Heritage Month at the Steveston Japanese Canadian Museum. The plaque commemorates the landmark court case in which Japanese Canadian fisherman and community leader Tomekichi Homma challenged voting restrictions targeting Asian Canadians and First Nations people. (L to R: Tenney Homma, granddaughter of Tomekichi Homma, and Mayor Malcolm Brodie)

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Heritage boat program earns provincial recognition

A BC Heritage Award was presented to Council on Mon, May 28. The [Heritage Boat Restoration Program](#) at Britannia Shipyards National Historic Site was recognized in the Education, Communications and Awareness category for inviting visitors to witness the restoration of heritage fishing boats first-hand. (L to R: Mayor Malcolm Brodie and Heritage BC's Maria Arias)

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Meeting schedule

City Council and Committee meetings are streamed live on the [City's YouTube channel](#), where you can also view past meetings.

- General Purposes Committee: Mon, Jun 1 | 4:00pm | Anderson Room
- Finance and Audit Committee: Mon, Jun 1 | Immediately following General Purposes Committee | Anderson Room
- Planning Committee: Tue, Jun 2 | 4:00pm | Anderson Room
- City Council: Mon, Jun 8 | 7:00pm | Council Chambers
- Community Safety Committee: Tue, Jun 9 | 4:00pm | Anderson Room
- Development Permit Panel: Wed, Jun 10 | 3:30pm | Council Chambers

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