



October 16, 2025

Spooktacular Halloween activities in Richmond

It's time to dust off your costume and dive into a cauldron of fun with 20+ spooktacular events and activities happening across the city. From giggles with the kiddos to spooky thrills for the brave, there's a treat for everyone—leading up to the fang-tastic Halloween Fireworks Festival at Minoru Park on Fri, Oct 31.

[Learn more](#)

What's happening in Richmond

Check out the video below to see the exciting things happening in Richmond this month.



Share your thoughts on the Draft Social Development Strategy

We drafted a new 10-year Social Development Strategy to help guide us and our partners to meet the community's social needs – improving community well-being and helping residents reach their full potential. There are multiple opportunities for you to connect with staff and provide input by Sun, Oct 26 that will help shape Richmond's social priorities.

[Have your say](#)



Getting ready for rain

Fall is here, and with it comes the rainy days. Richmond is ready for the showers, but it is always a good idea to get your home and neighbourhood prepared too. Our drainage and flood protection systems are in place, but simple things like clearing your gutters and making sure drains are clear can really help keep the rain from causing trouble. A little prep now means less stress when the skies open up.

[Learn more](#)

Let's Talk Richmond

Share your ideas, discuss important topics, provide feedback and ask questions to help shape the City's initiatives and strategies. To learn more, visit LetsTalkRichmond.ca.

Street banner contest voting

Vote for the top 10 winning designs to help decide which banners will brighten up our city streets in 2026.

[Have your say](#)



Public notices

Public notices serve to promote transparency and accountability by informing the community about opportunities to voice their perspectives and participate in the decision-making processes of local government. To view all notices, visit richmond.ca/PublicNotices.

- [Notice of Proposed Bylaw Amendment: Consolidated Fees Bylaw No 8636, Amendment Bylaw No 10702](#)
- [Notice of Public Consultation: Amendment to the Consolidated 5 Year Financial Plan \(2025-2029\), Bylaw No 10622](#)

- [Notice of Permissive Exemption](#)

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, Oct 20 | 4:00pm | Anderson Room
- Planning Committee: Tue, Oct 21 | 4:00pm | Anderson Room
- Public Works and Transportation Committee: Wed, Oct 22 | 4:00pm | Anderson Room
- Council Meeting: Mon, Oct 27 | 7:00pm | Council Chambers
- Parks, Recreation and Cultural Services Committee: Tue, Oct 28 | 4:00pm | Anderson Room
- Development Permit Panel: Wed, Oct 29 | 3:30pm | Council Chambers

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