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Parks, Recreation & Culture e-Newsletter



Art at Work - Exploring Regional Public Art Programs

Tomorrow at 10am!

Join us for a free workshop introducing artists to the public art programs in Burnaby, Richmond, New Westminister and North Vancouver. Discover the variety of programs, commissions and opportunities for artists available in these cities. Led by public art staff from each municipality, this session will provide valuable insights and detailed information about their respective programs, helping you navigate and engage with the vibrant public art landscape in the region. Program starts tomorrow at the [Richmond Cultural Centre](#). [Register now](#).

Join these presenters:

- Allison Collins - Burnaby
- Biliana Velkova - Richmond
- Lori Phillips - North Vancouver (NVRC)
- Quyen Hoang - New Westminister

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Human Library

Share your knowledge with others

If you have a personal story to share, there's a unique way to do that! Apply to be a volunteer Book at the third annual Human Library® event on Sunday, April 13 from 1:00 to 4:00pm.

Readers will see a variety of available Book titles and will be able to select one to “borrow” for a 20-minute reading slot. Readers and Books will then have a one-on-one conversation where Books will introduce themselves and Readers will have the opportunity to ask questions. These natural conversations cannot only help challenge prejudices and stereotypes but also create greater cohesion across social, ethnic, and religious divisions.

Deadline to apply to be a Book is Wednesday, March 12.

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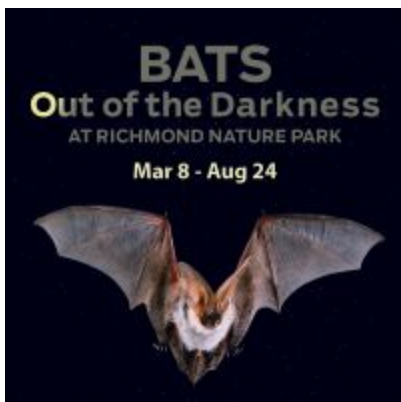
Oscar Film Night

Vote Now!

Vote from now until Monday, March 3 for your favourite past Oscar-nominated film including Casablanca, La La Land and Forrest Gump. The film with the most votes will be shown by surprise at Film Club on Tuesday, March 4.

Vote [here](#) and [register](#) to attend the screening from 6:00 to 8:00pm at the [Brighthouse library](#).

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Bats: Out of the Darkness Travelling Exhibit

Daily, Mar 8 – Aug 24, 9:00am – 5:00pm

Come to the [Nature Park](#) and immerse yourself in the fascinating world of these flying mammals at this family-friendly exhibit from the Kelowna Museums Society. Explore bat ecology, their habitat requirements and Indigenous perspectives, while uncovering personal stories and interesting facts. Admission by donation.

Nature Series Bats

Sat & Sun, Mar 8 & 9

10:00am – 4:00pm

Did you know that Richmond is the Lower Mainland's first “Bat Friendly” certified city? Drop-in, have your questions answered and learn fun facts about bat ecology and conservation from a bat expert. Admission by donation.

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Save the Date

Walk Richmond

Sat, Mar 1, 10:00am
Wed, Mar 5, 10:00am
Various locations

VanDusen Botanical Garden

Trip - 55+
Tue, Mar 11, 9:30am-3:00pm
Steveston Community Centre

The Mic Drop

Fri, Mar 7, 5:00-8:00pm
Richmond Cultural Centre Annex

Community Services Pop Ups

Thu, Mar 13, 3:00-5:00pm
Brighthouse Library

Spring Parks Program Guide

Spring programs Apr 1-Jun 30
Various locations

**Watch for the next Parks, Recreation and Culture e-Newsletter
on Saturday, March 15.**

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