



## Next SJNA Meeting

Tuesday, November 7 @ 7:00 pm

Online Zoom Meeting - link on website

### AGENDA

1. Welcome & Introductions (5 mins)
2. City Neighbourhood Liaison Update (10 mins)
3. City Council Liaison Update (20 mins)
4. Chair/Co-Chair Update (5 mins)
5. Treasurer Update (5 mins)
6. Neighbourhood Engagement Update (10 mins)
7. Greening Committee Update (10 mins)
8. CALUC Update (15 mins)
9. Bank Street School Committee Update (10 mins)
10. 'Around the Neighbourhood' (15 mins)
11. Open Discussion (15 mins)

## Next Plastics Recycling

*Every second Saturday of the month*

**Saturday, November 11th**  
**10am—12pm**

**Bank Street School parking lot**  
**(Bank Street + Leighton)**

Go to [southjubilee.ca/recycling](http://southjubilee.ca/recycling) for a list of accepted materials. Please make sure your plastic is CLEAN. Dirty plastic can't be recycled.

Payment is by donation. Thank you!

## Volunteer Opportunities

Meet new residents through volunteering a few hours a week in the community gardens, for special event, or by joining the SJNA board!

Contact [engage@southjubilee.ca](mailto:engage@southjubilee.ca) to inquire about volunteering. Let us know your skillset or keep an eye out for volunteer opportunities on Facebook, Instagram, or in our email newsletter!

## Coolkit Workshops in South Jubilee

### *Counting trees and squirrels*

Victoria Coolkit, the citizen based initiative to combat climate change, held three workshops in South Jubilee this fall led by Dawn Moorhead, who also spearheaded the Coolkit initiative downtown.

Throughout September and October, a group of neighbours got together to discuss and rate how each of our blocks, and our own homes, score on the climate change scale. Our goal was to learn how we could mitigate and adapt to climate change, and take a look at the carbon footprint in our own backyards and on our streets.

Participants noted that they learned so much about what each of us can do individually, and what we can do together as a neighbourhood. Many ideas to improve our neighbourhood came out of these workshops.

The first project we decided on is tree planting. We will apply for a City grant to distribute free trees to be planted in private gardens in South Jubilee. Keep an eye on our newsletter, website, and social media to sign up for your free tree soon!

In addition, members of the Coolkit group and Greening Committee group are planning a series of lectures on sustainability in 2024, educating the neighbourhood and surrounding community on available grants and other initiatives to reduce the carbon in our homes and increase energy efficiency. These lectures will be advertised on our website and social media, and in this newsletter. Keep an eye out for updates for us soon!



For more information,  
contact us:  
[engage@southjubilee.ca](mailto:engage@southjubilee.ca)

## UPCOMING EVENT:

### Help Kick Off Our Campaign!

Saturday, November 4, 6:30 to 10pm

We're going to bring a Syrian refugee family to Canada who are trapped in the violent unrest of Lebanon!

**Victoria Shows Love**, a community group affiliated with the Inter-Cultural Association of Greater Victoria, is raising funds to bring a refugee family to Victoria. The family, originally from Syria, currently resides in a refugee camp in Lebanon. Sasha, their sister, was welcomed to Victoria as a refugee and is currently settled here.

The first event in their fundraising campaign is a night of Syrian music, poetry, and food, as well as a silent auction, at Fernwood Community Centre on Saturday, November 4th from 6:30pm - 10:00pm. You are invited to attend the event and help meet their fundraising goals.

Tickets are available in advance via Eventbrite or at the door. Visit [www.victoriashowslove.ca](http://www.victoriashowslove.ca) for the Eventbrite link, or scan this QR code:



**Victoria Shows Love**  
Fundraiser on November 4th  
6:30pm - 10:00pm  
Tickets available on Eventbrite  
\$35 in advance/\$40 at the door  
Fernwood Community Centre  
(1240 Gladstone Ave)

For more information about **Victoria Shows Love** and the family that the group is fundraising to bring to Victoria, visit their website: [www.victoriashowslove.ca](http://www.victoriashowslove.ca) or email [victoriashowslove@gmail.com](mailto:victoriashowslove@gmail.com).

## Blood Donations to CBS

There are many open appointments to donate in Victoria. As inventory is low nationwide, every filled appointment counts! Book online at a clinic near you: [www.blood.ca](http://www.blood.ca)



### BEFORE YOU DONATE

Do a quick eligibility check before coming in. Take the quiz online and check the whole blood donation FAQ for more information here: [www.blood.ca](http://www.blood.ca)

## Community Bulletin Board

Looking for something in South Jubilee? Connect with your community to find what you need! Visit our website to browse 'want ads' or post one of your own:

[www.southjubilee.ca/community-bulletin-board](http://www.southjubilee.ca/community-bulletin-board)

### How to post an ad:

Send us a message in the form on our website, via our Facebook or Instagram, or email [engage@southjubilee.ca](mailto:engage@southjubilee.ca) to make a request.

There is no charge for this service. This is a volunteer endeavour to support our local community members. Please note all post content is subject to review prior to posting.



## Holiday Gift Fundraiser Support Threshold Housing Society!

Threshold Housing Society works to prevent adult homelessness by providing safe housing, support services, and community to at-risk youth. Since 2017, Threshold Housing has been "Shining a Light on Youth" each Christmas with their holiday fundraising campaign.

Alongside the Silk Road 12 Days of Tea gift boxes you know and love, this year you can purchase a beeswax pillar candle by Crowfoot Collective that adds a special glow to Shine a Light. Crowfoot Collective is a Vancouver Island-based Indigenous business that uses wild Vancouver Island beeswax to produce their candles.

Tea boxes are \$20/box, and candles are \$35/candle. Both make excellent gifts. Visit [ThresholdHousing.ca/ShineALight](http://ThresholdHousing.ca/ShineALight) for a list of retail locations or to make an online order.



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