

NOVEMBER 2025

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Next Community Meeting:

Wednesday, November 5 @ 7:00 pm

Lai Brothers Lecture Theatre (Room S169) at the Royal Jubilee Hospital

In-person *only* for this meeting due to technical constraints

AGENDA

- Welcome & Introductions (5 mins)
- Review & Adoption of Previous Meeting
 Minutes
- Chair/Co-Chair Update (5 mins)
- Garden Coordinator Update (5 mins)
- City Neighbourhood Liaison Update (10 mins)
- Treasurer Update (5 mins)
- **Get Growing Update** (5 mins)
- CALUC Update (10 mins)
- City Council Liaison Update (10 mins)
- Open Discussion (10 mins)

Following Meeting: February 4@7PM

Next Plastics Recycling Every second Saturday of the month

Saturday, Nov 8 10am—12pm

Bank Street School parking lot (Bank Street + Leighton)

Go to **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!

Last Redfern Commons Work Party

Sunday, November 2 10am-12pm at Redfern Park

As the garden season comes to a close, with November marking the last of our monthly volunteer work parties at Redfern, I would like to say huge thank you to everyone who came out to volunteer at Redfern Commons this year! It has been such a wonderful experience working with all of you taking care of this valuable community space. A few highlights from this year have included planting additional evergreen huckleberries, painting plant markers, harvesting and cleaning native plant seeds, growing and sharing a wide range of vegetables and herbs in the raised beds, lots of weeding, mulching and general care, learning about winter vegetable gardening and herablism in our two free community workshops and celebrating everyone's work in the garden with a volunteer appreciation lunch. Work parties will start up again in spring 2026, until then I hope everyone has a wonderful and cozy winter season.

River, Garden Coordinator

Business Planning Workshop

Give your business idea the momentum it deserves! Join the Business Planning Bootcamp featuring Futurpreneur's Entrepreneur-in-Residence. This free, in-person session is designed to help you strengthen your business idea, understand credit and its impact, and build a solid business plan and financial projections.

Wednesday, November 26, 9am to noon at the City Hall

Free Graffiti Kits Resident Newsletter Submission

I recently got a graffiti "paint-out" kit from the City of Victoria and thought our neighbours might like to know they can get one too.

The Neighbourhoods Advisors at NeighbourSpace at the conference centre downtown* can provide brushes and paint for the usual colours needed for Hydro boxes and poles. The city has an agreement with BC Hydro that allows the public to paint over graffiti on their utilities. I recently used the paint with my kids who enjoy the activity. We even had a neighbour come out and thank us as it can be some time before the utility companies respond to a complaint of a defaced fixture.

*Please reach out to *gpemberton@victoria.ca* to ensure that the NeighbourSpace has graffiti kits available prior to your visit.

Trick or Treat: Give the Gift of Recreation

The City of Victoria is proud to support the Campership program, helping more children experience the joy and wonder of camp. In the month of October, purchase 10 youth drop-in passes for just \$15 to give the gift of recreation.

All proceeds go directly to the Campership program, supporting families facing financial barriers. Passes can be purchased online, at Crystal Pool and Fitness Centre, Save-on-Foods Memorial Centre or City Hall.

Get yours before they sell out!

Grant to Support Black Youth Open for Applications

The City's International Decade for People of African Descent (IDPAD) Youth Grant is now open for applications. The grant funds projects that support and empower Black youth in Victoria. Application can be submitted until November 10, 2025.

Learn more about the grant and apply online.



Redfern Free Library South Jubilee Neighbour Highlight

I would like to thank my friend Bill S. for fixing the free library in Redfern Park. A few weeks ago I noticed that one of the windows had come out of its frame & the doors wouldn't close properly. I was telling this to a friend & Bill overheard our conversation and said "I'll go & have a look". I walked by the library a couple of days later & everything was fixed & shipshape! Thank you Bill for this, you truly are a kind "Mr. Fix It"!

Diana Leeming & all the library users

Sundance-Bank Elementary Fundraiser

Join your neighbours for a fun-filled night of Music Bingo at the Fernwood Inn, hosted by the Parent Advisory Committee (PAC) from Sundance-Bank Elementary School. Your \$25 ticket funds field trips, enhances classrooms and school grounds, and enriches the library at Sundance-Bank Elementary. Enjoy 2 exciting rounds of bingo and great prizes!

Wednesday, November 5
Doors at 7:30 - Game starts at 8pm sharp!
Tickets \$25 sold online only.

Full food and drink menu available for you to enjoy!

Any questions? Contact sundancebankpac@gmail.com @sundancebankpac on Instagram

City Leaf Collection

The City's annual leaf collection program starts in South Jubilee on October 14. The second collection will be on December 8.

To participate:

- Pile your leaves on the grassy boulevard in advance of the collection start date. For properties without a grassy boulevard, please place leaf piles on your property.
- Ensure leaf piles and bags are visible and accessible from the street, and avoid placing leaf piles on or against trees, power poles, signs and fire hydrants.
- Bags are not required for neighbourhood leaf collection but if you use them always use clear, certified-compostable bags.