

General Programs

NEW RESIDENT - WELCOME TO QUEENSBOROUGH PACKAGE

We would like to take this opportunity to welcome you to the community and your new home. This information package is your roadmap to the services, programs and contacts that will help you in Queensborough. Queensborough has many attributes that make it a desirable place to live – clean, safe neighborhoods with beautiful natural surroundings. So come on down to the Queensborough Community Centre and discover why they call it *The Community with Heart*.

COMMUNITY RIDE SHARE BOARD

Looking for a way to find a ride or share a ride? By putting two people together in one car, you will have a positive impact on the environment, meet new friends and help save money. Bus schedules and trip planners will be posted at the Queensborough Community Centre.

KEEPING THE DREAM ALIVE (Olympic Coverage)

Join the excitement of the Olympics! Watch Canada bring home the gold at the Queensborough Community Centre. Learn about local Olympic athletes that will be competing in the 2010 Winter Olympics. Catch the Olympic spirit in Queensborough.

Queensborough Community Ctr. 604.525.7388

Check Centre for Opening Hours

February 12 - February 28

Drop-in Fee: Free

SUPPORT THE GAMES

(Paralympics Winter Games Coverage)

Join us for the Vancouver 2010 Paralympics Winter Games from March 12 - 21, 2010 in Vancouver and Whistler. The 10-day international competition features 1,300 athletes and officials from more than 40 countries taking part in five sports: alpine skiing, cross-country skiing, sledge hockey, wheelchair curling and biathlon. A truly inspirational event.

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March 12 - 21

Drop-in Fee: Free



TASTES OF CHINA

Here is a Family Fusion that will celebrate the Chinese New Year celebrated on the first day of the first moon of the lunar calendar. The corresponding date in the solar calendar varies from as early as January 21 to as late as February 19. Chinese New Year, as in the Western New Year, signified the turning over a new leaf. Socially, it was a time for family reunions and visiting friends. The Chinese New Year's evening dinner gathering was among the most important family occasions of the year. Join us for a family style dinner followed by dancing and Moon cakes. Co-sponsored by the Queensborough Special Programs Committee.

Queensborough Community Ctr. 604.525.7388

Friday, 5:30 - 7:30 pm

February 12

Registration Fee: \$6.50 adult

\$4.50 children

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SOUTH BURNABY	7375 Kingsway	604.521.2315
SOUTHPOINT (Burnaby)	6911 Southpoint Dr	604.528.8383





TASTES OF ITALY

Italy has given the world many culinary gifts such as pizza, spaghetti, fettuccine Alfredo, minestrone, ravioli, gelato, tiramisu - the list goes on. To celebrate the food, music and dance of Italy, the Centre is hosting a Tastes of Italy Family Dinner. Co-sponsored by the Queensborough Special Programs Committee.

Queensborough Community Ctr. 604.525.7388
Friday, 5:30 - 7:30 pm
January 22

Registration Fee: \$6.50 adult **100977**
\$4.50 children **100978**

TASTES OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

Think BC! The aim of this dinner is to promote the consumption of locally grown and prepared foods from BC. The menu will be locally inspired and feature foods grown, raised or majority processed in BC and complimented with the best of BC's wines, beers and non-alcoholic beverages. Diners can expect great value and the best in fresh, local and tasty British Columbian cuisine. Local entertainers will follow the dinner co-sponsored by the Queensborough Special Programs Committee.

Queensborough Community Ctr. 604.525.7388
Friday, 5:30 - 7:30 pm
March 26

Registration Fee: \$6.50 adult **100981**
\$4.50 children **100982**

COMMUNITY KITCHEN

Join us for this opportunity to come together with others from your community to prepare a meal to take home. Food, recipes and guidance are provided. These nutritious meals are provided by New Westminster Family Services and Cameray Counselling Centre. Please call Pat at 604.764.1358 for program days and times.

ENGLISH MADE EASY -

LEARN ENGLISH FOR FREE!

- For families in New Westminster
- Adults & Children 0-6 years of age
- New Comers to Canada

NOTE: Adults must come with a child under 6 years of age

We Offer: Basic English for Adults

- English Language Development for Children
- Circle Time
- Bustickets & Snack & Lots of FUN!

To register please call 604.526.2522 ask for Lena/ Francesca.

Queensborough Community Ctr. 604.525.7388

Wednesday, 9:30 am - 12:00 pm

January 6 - March 24

Registration Fee: Free

Gymnastics

PARENT & TOT GYMNASTICS (1 - 6 years)

Team up with your toddlers for an exciting hour-long introduction to the wide skies of gymnastics. Our top-notch instructors emphasize safety as they teach the basic techniques and help toddlers develop their balance, motor skills and body awareness. The full gymnastic and trampoline set up will be used for this drop-in program.

Queen's Park Arenex 604.777.5121

Monday, 9:30 am

Tuesday, 9:30 am (begins January 5, no class Feb. 9)

Thursday, 11:30 am

Saturday, 9:00 am

January 9 - March 4

Drop-in Fee: \$4.00

Skating

LOONIE SKATES (All ages)

Skate with us for only \$1.00 - What a deal! All of the same great activities and fun as our regular pleasure skates with a lower admission rate on Wednesdays and Thursdays. Skate rentals are only \$2.00.

Moody Park Arena 604.525.5301

Wednesday, 11:30 am - 1:00 pm & 6:30 - 8:00 pm

Thursday, 7:00 - 8:30 pm

Ongoing

Drop-in Fee: \$1.00

**See page 8 for our family
and public skate schedule.**



PARENT & TOT SKATE (infant - 5 years)

This special drop-in time is for parents and preschoolers to share in the joy of skating. Enjoy a safe and fun environment where little ones can test their skating legs. We have lots of toys and a fantastic snow box. Our friendly on-ice staff are always ready to make the whole experience memorable with tips and games to help the little skaters along. Kids can rest their legs and re-energize at the craft table. Children will truly enjoy this time shared with you. Lap skating is not available at this session.

Moody Park Arena **604.525.5301**
 Friday, 10:00 am - 12:00 pm
 Ongoing
 Drop-in Fee: \$3.75 Adult, \$1.75 Child

FAMILY SKATE (All ages)

This is a session devoted solely to family fun! Arena staff will ensure parents and kids have a great time with organized family games, a snow box and preschool toys. There is enough fun to keep everyone slip sliding away! Adults must accompany all children during this session and lap skating is available in a limited area.

Moody Park Arena **604.525.5301**
 Saturday, 6:30 - 8:00 pm
 Ongoing
 Drop-in Fee: \$8.90 (Max. five people)

PLEASURE SKATE (All ages)

This dynamic session is for kids and adults of all ages. Our leaders have lots of activities planned throughout the session like volleyball, basketball and even our own version of school yard games. There are lots of things happening all the time, from the special arena lights, to the on ice activities and spot prizes. Lap skating is available in a limited area.

Moody Park Arena **604.525.5301**
 Monday, 11:30 am - 1:00 pm
 Saturday & Sunday, 1:30 - 3:00 pm
 Ongoing
 Drop-in Fee: Regular admission

Sports

DROP-IN FAMILY BADMINTON (8+ years)

Badminton is a fun and social sport that your children will love playing with you.

Queensborough Middle School **604.525.7388**
 Sunday, 10:00 - 11:30 pm
 January 10 - March 28
 Drop-in Fee: \$3.50 or \$27.40 for a 10-session pass
 \$2.50 for children



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