

AUGUST CALENDAR

No regularly scheduled Committee of the Whole and Board meeting for the month.

- 24 Rivers Edge Community Market, Picnic & Play**
Young vendors, carnival games and more
5:00-8:00pm Free

www.rdn.bc.ca/events

GRANTS NOW OPEN

The RDN is now accepting applications to our Community Grants and District 69 Community Justice Select Committee Grants programs for the 2019 budget year from registered non-profit organizations that meet the programs criteria.

To obtain an application or for more info, visit www.rdn.bc.ca/grants or email corpsrv@rdn.bc.ca.

Application deadline: **4:00 pm, Friday, August 31, 2018.**

www.rdn.bc.ca/grants

2018 WATER MONITORING HAS BEGUN

Visit a local waterway this summer and with luck you'll see streamkeepers taking surface water quality samples as part of the RDN's Community Watershed Monitoring Network (CWMN). Comprised of 13 volunteer groups from Deep Bay to Cedar-Yellow Point, the CWMN includes a total of 62 monitoring sites in 22 watersheds.

With the dedication of volunteer stewards and the support of key stakeholders the program, which started in 2011, has been a continued success!

www.rdn.bc.ca/cwmn

2018 GENERAL LOCAL ELECTIONS

Saturday October, 20, 2018 is general local election day in BC! If you plan on running to represent an RDN Electoral Area, candidate nomination packages are now available at the RDN Office. The official nomination period runs from September 4 -14, 2018.

www.rdn.bc.ca/2018elections

CURBSIDE COLLECTION INPUT WANTED

The RDN is currently exploring options for curbside collection and is seeking resident's feedback. We are engaging with the community about the preferred method of collection for waste, recycling and organics. This is also an excellent opportunity for all of us to look at the amount of waste we generate at a household level and collectively work together to divert as much waste as possible to achieve 90% diversion by 2028.

HAVE YOUR SAY!

The consultation process runs between August to September 2018, and will include an online survey and focus group opportunities.

Your feedback will be used to help influence the future of curbside collection at the RDN.



www.getinvolved.rdn.ca/beyondrecycling

RECREATION

The **Fall and Winter Active Living Guide** will be online **Friday August 17**

at www.rdn.bc.ca/recreation
Registration begins 6:00am
on Monday August 20

**Beat the Heat Everyone
Welcome Skate**

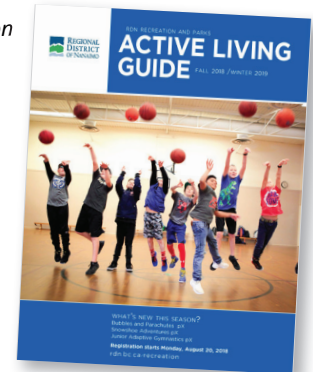
Every Wednesday until
Aug 22 6:45-8:15pm
Regular admission
Oceanside Place Arena

**Monday Munchkinland
Drop-in 0-6yrs**

Free drop-in program for
children 6 years and under and a caregiver
Mon, Aug 13 & Aug 20 (no Aug 6), 9:30-11:30am, Free
Family Place – Munchkinland, Parksville

**Ravensong Aquatic Centre Closed
for Annual Maintenance**

Aug 18 to Sept 9



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