

## NEWS RELEASE

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### Bathtub Days Fireworks Road Closures

#### Summary

The annual Bathtub Days fireworks will be Saturday July 22 from 7:00pm to Midnight. This event draws many people to downtown and a variety of road closures are implemented to ensure everybody's safe enjoyment of the event.

Motorists and attendees should be aware of the following road closures:

- Newcastle Avenue/Dawes Street - From Stewart Avenue to Newcastle Avenue
- Bryden Street - From Stewart Avenue to Newcastle Avenue
- Mt Benson Street - From Stewart Avenue to Newcastle Avenue
- Rosehill Street - From Stewart Avenue to Newcastle Avenue
- Front Street/Comox Road - Northbound curb lane closed from Esplanade to Terminal Avenue
- Skinner Street - From Bastion Street to Entrance of Bastion Street Parkade
- Cliff Street - From Comox Road to Campbell Street

*Strategic Link:* Events such as this support the City's Strategic initiatives towards Cultural Vitality.

#### Key Points

- Motorists and attendees should be aware of road closures in the downtown core.
- Motorists accessing and exiting the Bastion Street Parkade must do so via Terminal Avenue. No exceptions will be made.

#### Quotes

"Nanaimo has been the home of the Great International World Championship Bathtub Race since 1967. The fireworks display on Saturday night is a great family event leading up to Sundays Race"

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