

NEWS RELEASE

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Get Ready for Youth Week 2017

Summary

Once again the City of Nanaimo has an action packed week planned for youth between the ages of 12 and 18 years. Free and reduced cost activities will take place during the week of May 1st to 7th with the intent of recognizing our young people and celebrating the role that they play in our community.

Events include Ultimate Frisbee, Dragon Boating, Dodge Ball, a Pyjama Movie Party, Glow in the Dark Skating, Stick 'n' Puck, a Dive-In Movie and Babysitter Training. Some activities require pre-registraiton, while others are drop-in; detailed information can be found on the event poster or at the YOUth Nanaimo Facebook page.

Strategic Link: Youth Week supports both the Social Equity and Cultural Vitality pillars of the City of Nanaimo's strategic plan.

Key Points

- Youth Week activities are geared towards youth 12 to 18 years
- Events are schedule over 7 days, from May 1-7, 2017
- Most events are free, however please confirm event details by viewing the event poster or visiting the YOUth Nanaimo Facebook page. Some events require pre-registration.
- Youth week events facilitate inclusion and engagement of young people in Nanaimo and celebrate their unique talents and culture

Quotes

"This year we are looking forward to offering many new activities during youth week, as well as the tried and true activities that always draw a crowd"

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