

## NEWS RELEASE

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### Oliver Woods Community Centre open house

*The public invited to attend on Sunday, September 10*

#### Summary

The City of Nanaimo, Department of Parks, Recreation and Culture is inviting the public to an Open House at Oliver Woods Community Centre on Sunday, September 10 from 10 am until 2 pm. Oliver Woods Recreation Centre is located at 6000 Oliver Road in north Nanaimo.

Visitors can participate in a variety of activities:

- Fitness sampler programs
- Drop-in sports, including badminton and pickleball
- Gym Pals for the children
- Learn about department programs, services and rentals opportunities
- Meet staff and user groups representatives
- View a StoryWalk found in the playground area
- See demos of the wellness park
- Enter to win a variety of Parks, Recreation and Culture prizes, including a \$100 gift card

This open house will have something for everyone from the toddler to the senior. A food truck will also be on site, and local radio (102.3 The Wave) will be broadcasting live on location. Look for a schedule of events on the City of Nanaimo website starting on Friday, September 1.

**Strategic Link:** The City of Nanaimo is offering programs that improve the health, wellness and livability of its citizens in our community.

#### Key Points

- The Open House takes place at Oliver Woods Community Centre on Sunday, September 10, 10 am-2 pm. Oliver Woods Community Centre is located at 6000 Oliver Road.
- There will be a variety of activities for all ages to participate in - from toddler to senior.
- A variety of programs and services will be showcased, as well as a StoryWalk and program sampler opportunities.

#### Quotes

"There is a lot that goes on with Parks, Recreation and Culture, and we invite you to come to the open house at Oliver Woods Community Centre to check it out. See program demos, meet staff and participate in a variety of activities that are planned for the day. There will be something for everyone!"

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