

PROCLAMATION

"ST. GEORGE DAY" APRIL 23, 2019

WHEREAS: both Canada and British Columbia's system of government, law, economy and the freedom of language and religion originated in England; and

WHEREAS: those that have English Heritage, Tradition and Customs continue to remain an important part of daily life to the benefit of all the citizens of British Columbia; and

WHEREAS: many of the streets, buildings, historic sites are a result of immigrants from Britain and their dedication and hard work; and

WHEREAS: those of the English community in Nanaimo and throughout British Columbia continue to make valuable contributions to our way of life; and

WHEREAS: we in the multicultural country of Canada respect the importance of patriotism and historic events to the English residents and family members in Nanaimo; and

WHEREAS: those of English heritage throughout the world mark April 23 with a civic and festive celebration to revere and honour St. George, the Patron Saint of England, for his courage and his contribution to all good things English.

NOW, THEREFORE I, Leonard Krog, Mayor of the City of Nanaimo, do hereby proclaim that April 23, 2019 shall be known as:

"ST. GEORGE DAY"

in the City of Nanaimo.

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Leonard Krog M A Y O R

Dated this 18th day of April 2019