

PROCLAMATION

NANAIMO FIDDLE WEEK May 11 ~ 17, 2025

WHEREAS: the Nanaimo Fiddle Society exists to advance education and

community connections in Nanaimo by providing all-ages musical

instruction; and

WHEREAS: the Nanaimo Fiddle Society promotes awareness of traditional fiddle

music through performances and dances throughout the Nanaimo

area; and

WHEREAS: the Nanaimo Fiddle Society seeks to alleviate some of the effects of

poverty by providing bursaries to students wo need financial assistance to community members without financial resources who

wish to play fiddle music; and

WHEREAS: fiddle players from the Nanaimo region have been recognized at the

national level by organizations like CBC and the Canadian Folk

Music Awards; and

WHEREAS: Canada's National Fiddling Day falls on the third Saturday of each

May.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Leonard Krog, Mayor of the City of Nanaimo, do hereby

proclaim May $11 \sim 17$, 2025 as:

NANAIMO FIDDLE WEEK

in the City of Nanaimo, Province of British Columbia.

Leonard Krog MAYOR

Dated this 9th day of April 2025