Snapshot of Success

Name of Project or Event: Vancouver Battlezone

Name of Organization: Battlezone Canada Dance Association

Grant Amount: $5,000

Date of Project or Event: June 15, 2024

Location: Uptown Plaza, Belmont

Event Details:

Battlezone is a fully volunteer and non-profit event which showcased youth in arts and focused on Street Dance and celebrating diversity and culture. For 2024, we offered the dance community and the City of New Westminster a free event that was filled with performances by 10 youth dance crews and dance showcases from various adult professional dancers. The main events were the Finals for the dance battles for each of the 6 categories which ran from 1-9 pm. We sought out sponsorship and funding to the basic needs of running this dance battle and bringing in the talent needed to put on this world class show. The funding supplied by the City of New Westminster didn't fully cover all of our expenses and we sought out other sponsorship to make up for the shortfall.







Snapshot of Success

Name of Project or Event: 154th May Day in New Westminster

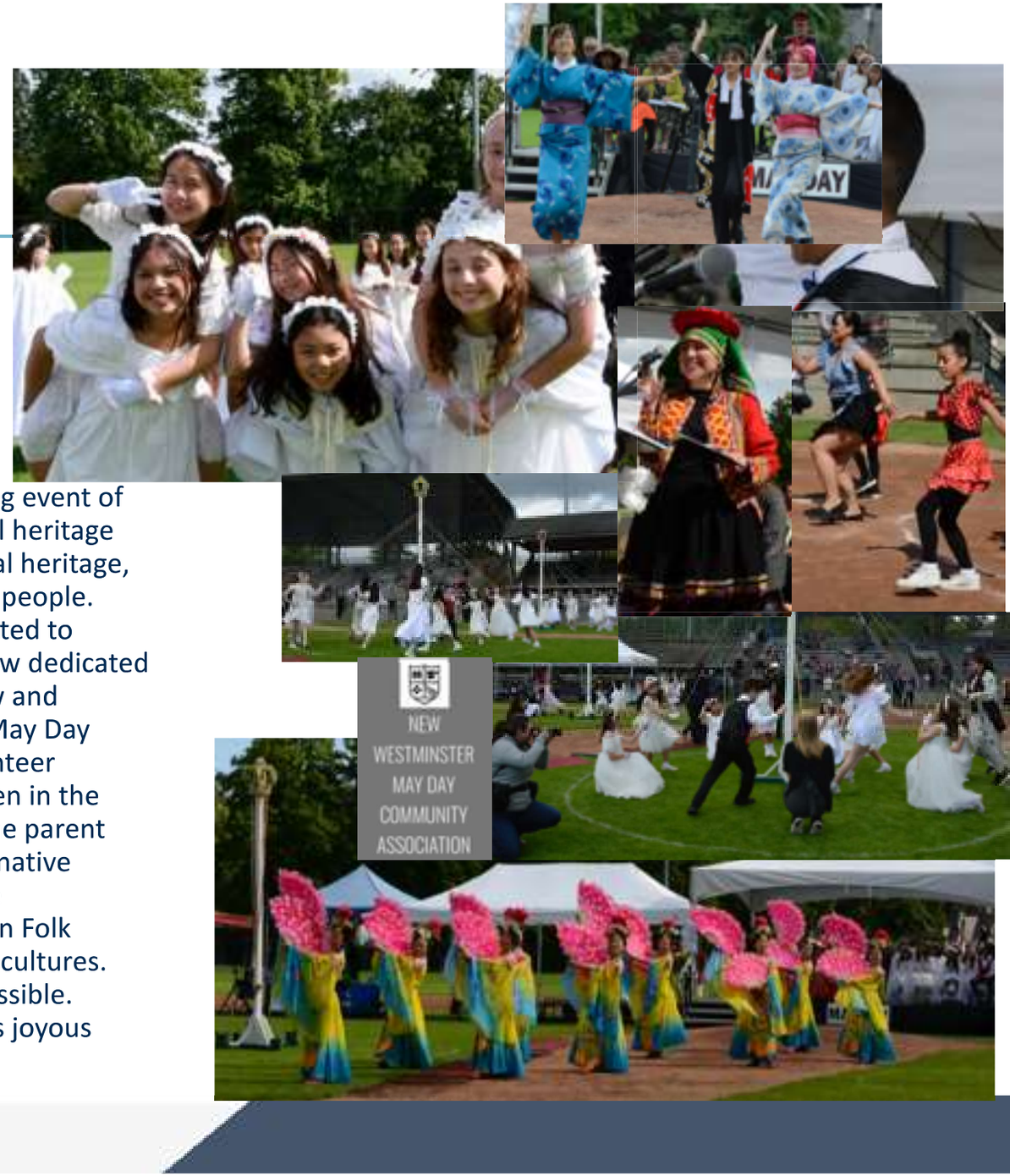
Name of Organization: New Westminster May Day Community Association

Grant Amount: $3000

Date of Project or Event: May 25, 2024

Location: Queen’s Park Stadium

Event Details: The 154th May Day celebration in New Westminster, the longest-running event of its kind in the world, was an example of a form of "living culture" or intangible cultural heritage (ICH) as described and preserved by UNESCO. As a representation of intangible cultural heritage, the festival served as a source of human creativity and fostered connections between people. 2024 marks the fourth year that the non-profit May Day Association has been committed to preserving May Day. Through joyous celebrations, May Day continues to thrive. We saw dedicated children stepping into leadership roles, along with a fresh wave of families joining new and longstanding residents of our cherished City: over 40 children participated, with pre-May Day dance classes held at four different venues, over two months, with 10 dedicated volunteer instructors that created a positive environment for all the new learners. The 13 children in the Incoming Suite crafted and delivered public speeches to the rougly 300 spectators. One parent noted, “It made such a difference for my daughter”. On the day of May Day, the imaginative efforts of guest dancers (all volunteering their time and skills for the enjoyment of the community) were showcased: Burnaby International Folk Dancers Club, Roots Peruvian Folk Dance, World Soran!, and Canada National Folk Art Society embodied a lively array of cultures. New, and previous sponsors and funders shared in the pride of making this festival possible. Through their support and yours, and via our community website nwmayday.com, this joyous celebration, May Day, continues to thrive.



Snapshot of Success

Name of Project or Event: 14th Annual Queensborough Shoreline Cleanup and Projects

Name of Organization: Queensborough Special Programs Committee

Grant Amount: $3400.00

Date of Project or Event Nov 23 and Sept 29, 2024
Location: South Dyke Road and Thompson Landing Park, Queensborough

Event Details:

We held an invasive pull in Thompson Landing Park, and we removed branches around a Batbox that we had previously installed on a stump along South Dyke Road in September. We held a planting and shoreline cleanup in November. We had 5 volunteers in September, who worked for 4 hours and we removed morning glory and blackberry from around the area we had planted the previous year. Our November event had over 20 volunteers, including students and families. For 3 hours we planted over 100 native plants, pulled blackberry and dragged large garbage items from along the river. Thank you to the engineering department for coming by to remove the garbage so quickly.









Snapshot of Success

Name of Project or Event: Lantern making

Name of Organization: Queensborough Special Program Committee

Grant Amount: $300

Date of Project or Event: Dec. 1 2024

Location: Queensborough Special Program Committee

Event Details:

Attracted about 30 participants, mainly youths







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Organization's Logo

Umbrella Multicultural Health Co-op

Snapshot of Success

Name of organization
Umbrella Multicultural Health Co-operative

Grant Portfolio: Cultural Bridge

Grant Type:

Grant Amount: 30.000

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Name of Project or Event: Social Determinants of H

Date of Project or Event: Multi Year Term Grant

Location: 715 Carnarvon St, New Westminster

Attendance: 175 clients and 320 services provide

Event Details

By bridging language and cultural barriers, Cross Cultural Health Brokers helped refugees better navigate healthcare systems, fostering trust and improving their understanding of services. This support led to greater utilization of medical, mental health, and social services, resulting in improved health outcomes, particularly in chronic care and mental health. Group sessions for refugees were also organized, providing a space for collective learning and mutual support.

Promotional Material or Photo



Community Partners:

City of New Westminster

Snapshot of Success

Name of Project or Event: Over 3 Improvements

Name of Organization: St Barnabas Daycare Society

Grant Amount: $5000

Date of Project or Event: 2024

Location: 1005 Napanee St

Event Details:

It was another year of taking on a major upgrade for our Over 3 program. We were able to completely transform this indoor space and create a warm, nature inspired environment. We repaired our walls and painted the entire program, replaced 3 of our worn and torn carpets, created an inviting reading area to promote early literacy in our children and placed positive affirmation posters to encourage self confidence in young minds. Additionally, we were able to add some greenery to reflect outdoors in our window free play area. Overall, the project was a major success in improving and transforming the program to better suit the needs of our children.







Snapshot of Success

Name of Project or Event: Fridays On Front

Name of Organization: Downtown New West BIA

Grant Amount: $4,545.00 ($24,157.20 City services)

Date of Project or Event: July 12, 19, 26 August 9, 16, 23

Location: Front Street Mews (600 block)

Event Details:

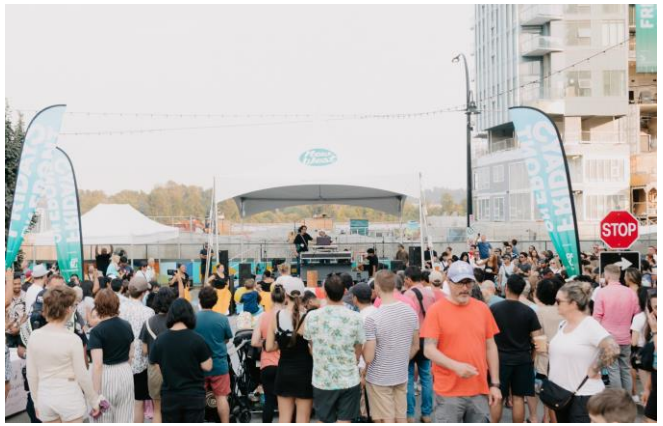
Attendance
- 4 ,200 average per day
- 25,000 total for the series

Web search
- - 8 ,18o Impressions
- - 3 ,390 Visits to site
- - 41.5% Click through rate

Social media
- - 56 ,451 Reach
- - 87 ,575 Impressions
- - 1 ,594 Interactions

Web/Media pickup
- - 8 Upaid web articles
- - 2 Television news articles

[Link to full report]







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Name of Project or Event: Portable Pitching Mounds

Name of Organization: New Westminster Baseball Association

Grant Amount: $4,300

Date of Project or Event: Spring 2024

Location: Moody Park Diamonds

Event Details:

The 2024 City of New Westminster Grant allowed the New Westminster Baseball Association greater flexibility in our day-to-day execution of our programs, and a significant decrease in impact on other user groups and city staff resources in running our 2024 Spring and Summer Tournaments.



Snapshot of Success

Name of Project or Event: RiverFest 2024

Name of Organization: Fraser River Discovery Centre

Grant Amount: $5000.00

Date of Project or Event: Sept 28-29, 2024

Location: FRDC, New West Boardwalk, Lower Mainland Parks

Event Details:

RiverFest is a free, family-friendly festival in celebration of World Rivers Day. The FRDC's mission is to inspire stewards of the Fraser River and this event serves as a meeting place for community to learn about and celebrate the living, working Fraser.

The week of RiverFest (Sept 28th – 29th) included some activities around New Westminster. On Sept 28th, there were live music, exhibitor booths, hands-on activities inside the FRDC, and a workboat parade along the New Westminster waterfront. On Sept 29th, we hosted a series of guided walks at parks around the lower mainland and offered shuttle service from the FRDC to each tour location and back.







Snapshot of Success

Name of Project or Event: New Westminster Cancer Patient Transportation

Name of Organization: Volunteer Cancer Drivers Society

Grant Amount: $5,000

Date of Project or Event: January 1 – December 31, 2024

Location: Travel to Lower Mainland cancer treatment centres

Event Details:

Our statistics to the end of August show that so far in 2024, we have provided 3,630 complimentary trips to treatment for cancer patients living in New Westminster. That entails over 3,720 volunteer hours and over 72,000 kilometres driven. Trip costs alone for this period were $45,255.

We are very grateful for the grant provided by the City of Westminster, which help us offset a portion of those costs. Your generosity in providing a multi-year grant provides us with funding stability, which is vital to us a volunteer-run organization that is fully dependent on our annual fundraising efforts.

At right, VCDS director and volunteer driver Gail Kaufmann at Royal Columbian Hospital on one of her trips with a VCDS cancer patient.







Snapshot of Success

Name of Project or Event: The Gallery at Queen's Park

Name of Organization: Arts New West

Grant Amount: $40,000.00

Date of Project or Event: 2023-2024

Location: The Gallery at Queen's Park

Event Details:

- 12 exhibitions in 2023/24
  Highlights include:
- Heart of the Crawl Exhibition
- Winter Solstice Exhibition
- Welcome to My Renaissance
- Hosted free art workshops for the community in the gallery
- Provided space for local artists to host workshops for the community
- Provided meeting space for local artists and community partners







Snapshot of Success

Name of Project or Event: Summer Concert Series

Name of Organization: Arts New West

Grant Amount: $40,000.00

Date of Project or Event: June-July 2024

Location: Queen's Park Bandshell

Event Details:

- Thursday and Sunday concerts in the park
- throughout June and Juky
- Poetry in the Park
- Over 30 local performances
- Free, low barrier arts activities for the community
- Family-friendly events and performances







Snapshot of Success

Name of Project or Event: Expressions of Reclamation

Name of Organization: Arts New West

Grant Amount: $40,000.00

Date of Project or Event: June 2024

Location: Queen’s Park Bandshell / River Market / The Gallery at QP

Event Details:

Expressions of Reclamation features artistic presentations from Indigenous artists – including artist talks, performance art, seminars, live drawing/painting, collaborative activities, workshops, performances and more.

Highlights from 2024

- Welcome to My Renaissance Exhibition at The Gallery at Queen’s Park
- Indigenous Market featured over 50 local Indigenous artists
- Arts New West worked with three Indigenous Youth to hang banners inside River Market
- over 10 Artist Performances featuring Indigenous dancers, musicians, storytellers







Snapshot of Success

Name of Project or Event: New West Cultural Crawl

Name of Organization: Arts New West

Grant Amount: $40,000.00

Date of Project or Event: October 2024

Location: Over 30 locations around New Westminster

Event Details:

Discover the creativity of New Westminster's artists at our annual New West Cultural Crawl.

This two-day arts and cultural festival showcases the best of New West's creative talent. Beginning in 2003 as a one-day "art walk" across eight venues, our Crawl now showcases over 150 artists at venues across the city.







- Celebrated the 21st Anniversary of the New West Cultural Crawl
- 4000 visitors across 30 venues
- 200+ Art Pieces sold
- $20,000.00 + in art sales
- Heart of the Crawl Exhibition
- Community Partnerships

Snapshot of Success

Name of Project or Event: 2024 Projects

Name of Organization: Arts New West

Grant Amount: $40,000.00

Date of Project or Event: October 2024

Location: Throughout 2024

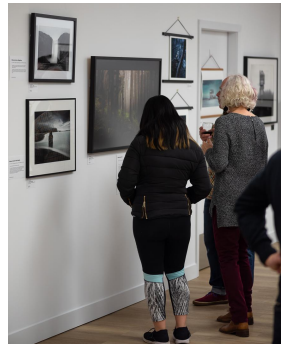
Event Details:

- #ArtEverywhere Pop Up Exhibitions
- Columbia Square Exhibition Space
- Summer Sketching by the River
- City Hall Exhibition Space
- Winter Solstice Exhibition Community Show
- Art in Moody Park with Senior Services
- Earth 2 Art in Queen's Park
- Monochrome Community Project
- Several activations in Uptown Plaza
- Gallery Workshop Space
- Tuesday Art Drop In
- New West Pride Film Fest
- Winter Solstice Event in Partnership with Family Place and The City of New Westminster









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Organization's Logo

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Name of organization
West End Business Association

Grant Portfolio: 2024 - 12th Street Fest

Grant Type: Cash Grant - Portfolio 2 - Grants for E

Grant Amount: $8,000

Name of Project or Event: 12th Street Fest New We

Date of Project or Event: July 28th, 2024

Location: 12th Street between 6th and 8th Ave

Attendance: 2,500

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Event Details

The 2024 12th Street Fest New West brought businesses the community together through a fun filled afternoon of entertainment introduction to the business offerings in the West End. The entertainment included music on multiple stages from many local musicians and many fun activities for all provided by the vendors in attendance. There was no shortage of culturally diverse food that really highlighted the essence of the West End and 12th Street.

Promotional Material or Photo



Community Partners:

New West Public Library
Tourism New West
Arts New West
Family Place New West

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New Westminster Heritage Foundation

Name of Project or Event: New Westminster Heritage Foundation - Heritage Homeowner Grants Program

Name of Organization: New West Heritage Foundation

Grant Amount: $10,000.00

Date of Project or Event: 2024

Location: Conservation Work on four City Heritage Sites

Event Details:

Hainseworth House, 729 Queens Ave: exterior conservation. Painting, repair and replacement of exterior woodwork.
913 10th Street: exterior conservation. Chimney repair.
Hennessy House, 626 10th Street: exterior conservation. Painting.
McPhee House, 807 Milton St: exterior conservation. Painting.







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WINGS MINISTRIES
Hope. Courage. Healing.

Name of Project or Event: The Butterfly Room

Name of Organization: Monarch Place Transition House/WINGS

Grant Amount: $3,500

Date of Project or Event: All Year

Location: New Westminster

Event Details:

The purpose of the Butterfly Room project is to provide opportunities for children who have witnessed abuse to experience fun childhood activities and build safe and trusting relationships with supportive adults. They often don't have the opportunity to have a happy "childhood", but spend most of their time trying to not draw attention to themselves, seeking to distract themselves from the trauma and sadness they feel, and just struggling to survive. They do not understand "adult" issues. Normal experiences including fun, creative play, and access to activities are often beyond the scope of the child's family to provide during a time of crisis. Our goal is to break the cycle of family violence through the provision of support, education, and exposure to the model of a healthy balanced lifestyle within a caring community. We believe positive connection can begin to change direction, providing love and acceptance and a pathway to hope.

Please note that the picture of the child is a "staged" private picture as we do not release pictures of the children in our program due to safety reasons. The picture is a depiction of the fun and wonder children experience in "The Butterfly Room".







Snapshot of Success

Name of Project or Event: Second Annual Memorial Tournament growth & Expansion of Rep B program

Name of Organization: New Westminster Minor Softball Association

Grant Amount: $3,000.00

Date of Project or Event: 2024

Location: Many Parks and Gym's throughout New West

Event Details:

The Association is happy to report the Second Annual Chris Chong U11B tournament was a great success at Moody Park in May 2024.

We had positive feedback from team managers/coaches, players, umpires and volunteers involved. This was our first year hosting two teams from outside the lower mainland, showcasing the city.

We also are continuing to expand the Rep B program holding our first U15B assessments this September.

Our continuation of supporting young umpires and future coaches to grow the game and give them valuable experiences throughout 2024.

All while maintaining some of the lowest minor sport costs to participate in New West and the Lower mainland Softball community.









Snapshot of Success

Name of Project or Event: Purchasing of Track and Field Equipment and Training of Coaches

Name of Organization: Royal City Track and Field Club

Grant Amount: $6000.00

Date of Project or Event: April 2024-November 2024

Location: Mercer Track

Event Details:

Equipment Purchased for the 2024 track and cross country season:

Field: 8x1.75kg discus, 4x 1.5Kg discus, 4x 1kg discus, 4x0.75kg discus. 1x6kg shot put, 2x 5kg shot put, 3x 4kg shot put, 1x 3kg shot put

Track: Freelap timing system (freelap Tx Junior Pro x2 and 6 Fx Chip BLE)

Various implements and tools.

Training courses and mentorships for Coaches.

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Name of the Project/Event: Report on Multi-Year Grant

Name of Organization: **New West Hospice Society**

Grant Amount: $22,000

Date of Project/Event: Jan-Dec, 2024

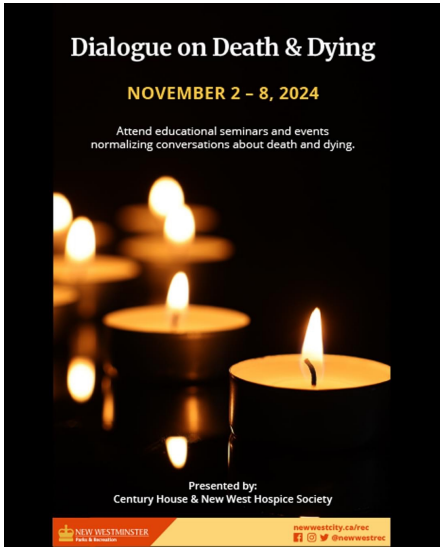
Location: New Westminster

Event Details:

New West Hospice Society has provided programs for the citizens of New Westminster. Pictured here is the Expressive Art Therapy workshop; our volunteer meeting with the unhoused to complete an Advance Care Plan; and the brochure for our 5 day event, Dialogue on Death and Dying. In addition, New West Hospice Society has advocated for the return of hospice beds in New Westminster. We have had several meetings with politicians at the local and provincial level. Pictured here is a meeting of Board members with our MLA Jennifer Whiteside and Chair of the Fraser Health Board of Directors, Jim Sinclair. All of these initiatives are made possible by the generous support of the city.









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Canadian Mental Health Association
Vancouver-Fraser
Mental health for all

Name of Project or Event: CMHA-VF Volunteer Program

Name of Organization: Canadian Mental Health Association – Vancouver Fraser

Grant Amount: $7,500 per year (Multi 3 Year)

Date of Project or Event: Jan 1, 2024 to Dec 31, 2024

Location: NW Office #233, 610 – 6th St., NW, BC V3L 3C2 and
Treasure Chest Thrift Store – 435 - 6th St., NW, BC V3L 3B1

Event Details:

Treasure Chest Thrift Store - We have consistently overcome the challenges of the past 4 years in # of Volunteers, # of Hours and # of Community Members visiting the store. Our post pandemic numbers in recruiting and retaining volunteers, many of which are 'lived experience' within the NW community, have surpassed last year's monthly average of 20 volunteers to 25 resulting in a 25% increase. Management provides training, comfort and engagement, bringing our volunteers positive change, preventing isolation and encouraging socialization.

CMHA-VF's **BounceBack Program**, located in the Royal City Centre Mall is a program designed to manage stress, anxiety and depression in youth and adults. Volunteers are given the opportunity to assist with admin activities, Health & Wellness Fairs or events such as the successful **NW Pride Festival** (Aug) and the **BC Recovery Day** (Sept)**,** each attended by 40,000+ residents this past summer.

Volunteer Stewardship – Acknowledgement is celebrated annually through various touch points using zoom, What's App, in-person visits from Leadership and the hosting of group gatherings on special occasions ie: Canada Day BBQ, Holiday Dinner, Staff/Vol Summer Events recognizing their achievements. Volunteer engagement is meaningful work and continues to give our volunteers of all ages, diversity and mental health status, a sense of purpose and belonging within the community.

*We would like to express our sincere thanks to our most valued funder; the **City of New Westminster** and to our **Community Partners**; Local Divisions of Family Practice, WorkBC, Hospitals, Fraser Health, and VCH Community Services for supporting our CMHA-VF Volunteer Program serving children, youth and adults who are impacted with mental health.







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Name of Project or Event: New West Catalyst: Reshaping, Reconnecting, Reviving

Name of Organization: Tourism New Westminster

Grant Amount $40,000.00 (Year 1)

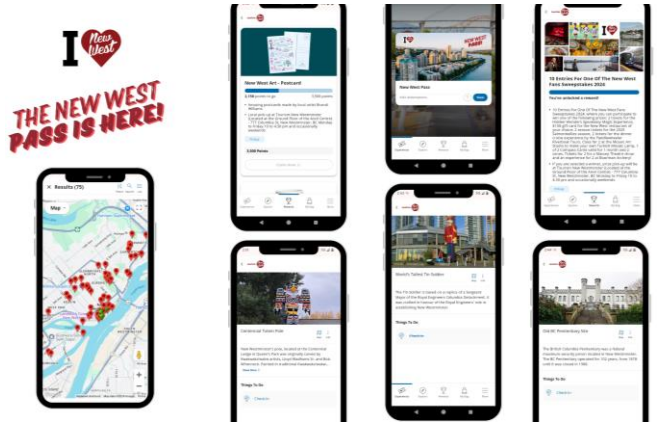
Date of Project or Event: 2024, 2025 and 2026

Location: New Westminster (various locations)

Event Details:

Tourism New Westminster has been able to:

- Update the local tourism inventory of experiences.
- Assess the unique characteristics of New West, and our added value as a destination.
- Design new messages to promote the destination (slogans, tagline).
- Update some of the promotional materials (visitors guide + map, rack card).
- Produce a signature video for the destination (in progress). And additional videos.
- Redesign a more user-friendly tourismnewwestminster.com and the events calendar.
- Work with the community and the industry to select messages to include in campaigns.
- Create a network of local key partners to be included in our reconnecting strategies.
- Design, print, and distribute rack cards in visitor centres around the province.
- Design, print, and distribute visitor guides + maps in locations around New West.
- Organize local FAM TOURS for the industry and the media to show NW attractions.
- Set the New West Pass for visitors and residents to collect points and redeem prizes when they have experienced a minimum number of activities in the city.
- Actively using the mentioned resources to attract visitors to New Westminster.
- Actively using the mentioned resources to promote and celebrate the joy of being NW residents.
- Inviting visitors to experience as activities in New Westminster by using the NW Pass.







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Name of Project or Event: New West Farmers Market

Name of Organization: New West Farmers Market Society

Grant Amount: $17,000 + $5417 in city services

Date of Project or Event: March to November 2024 + Holiday Market (December 14 + 15, 2024)

Location: Tipperary Park







Event Details:

The New West Farmers Market is a weekly outdoor market from March to November that features farm-fresh produce, plants, quality crafts from local artists and artisans, prepared foods, community information, live music, workshops, children's activities, and more.

We proud to be a part of the BC Association of Farmers Markets' Nutrition Coupon Program which has allowed hundreds of low-income families, expectant parents, and seniors in New West to access tens of thousands of dollars of free fresh produce, protein and other staples this year (and all the previous years we have taken part). This year, we have come in first in the province for our overall coupon redemption rate at 520% (meaning 5x the number of coupons distributed within our community are redeemed within our community.

During the school summer break NWFM runs Sprout Club, a free children's program that offers activities that focus on the environment, sustainability, and food systems.

Mid-December, we host a Holiday Market for a single weekend that has room for 90 vendors, features 6-8 local live musicians and activities for children and families. Again, this year, 6 spots are set aside for our Market Access Program which covers the costs and supports 6 historically marginalized vendors come to market for the first time.

The market is proud to be a community builder, a small business incubator, an economic activator, and a cornerstone of New Westminster culture.

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Name of Project or Event: English Made Easy

Name of Organization: Lower Mainland Purpose Society

Grant Amount: $5,000. (Cash) $3,052. (City Services)

Date of Project or Event: 2024 (year long program)

Location: 422 Sixth St., Queens Park, Moody Park and Ryall Park

Event Details:

EME welcomes families to learn and practice English language skills in a welcoming, inclusive space. In addition to language learning, participants learn about community resources, build connections and friendships. Children's programming offers arts and crafts, circle time (with songs and stories), and much more!

EME welcomes adults/caregivers and their children, aged birth – 6 years.

Languages spoken: Mandarin, Bangla Cantonese, Portuguese, Japanese, Ukrainian, Croatian, Hindi and Spanish. Country of Origin: China, Philippines, Japan, Columbia, Brazil, Croatia, Cuba, India, Mexico Bangladesh, Ukraine, and Vietnam.

City Services also supported a 4-week track and field program. Purpose partnered with the Fearless Fitkidz Academy a ParticipACTION Community Challenge grant. This program introduced newcomer children (aged 6- 12yrs.), to the fundamentals of track and field and other organized sports.

Languages spoken: Cantonese, Hindi, Ukrainian, Tamil, French and Polish. Country of Origin: India, Ukraine, Singapore, Sri Lanka, Poland and Canada. 45 individuals attended.







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Name of Project or Event: Recovery Day BC

Name of Organization: Recovery Day Vancouver Society

Grant Amount: $5,000 Cash + and $23,558 in City Services

Date of Project or Event: September 7th 2024

Location: Uptown New Westminster BC

Event Details:

Recovery Day BC is a one day street festival that celebrate mental health and addiction recovery. It has become the largest one day festival of this kind in the world, with over 40,000 attendees. Recovery Day is held in aproxampty 15 cities this year in Canada, and many more around the world. Recovery Days typically happen during Recovery Month which is in September. Our event has inspired so many other cities to follow our path. Recovery Day ran from noon to 5 pm, with 4 anchor stages and activations, the Main Stage, a Kids Zone, Local Bands, and Uptown Swing Collection. The event also featured over 100 health information booths, plus artisans, vendors, food trucks, and a memorial space for those lost to overdoses.

Here is a media interview that captures the event
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Name of Project: Equipment Purchase – New Trampoline Bed, Springs, Fasteners, and End Deck Bed

Name of Organization: Shasta Trampoline Club Booster Society

Grant Amount: $10,000

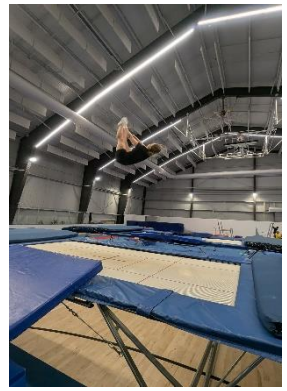
Date of Project: October and November 2024

Location: Queen's Park Sportsplex. Shasta training venue.











Event Details:

Trampoline Bed and End Deck Bed - the most important part of the trampoline effecting performance. We use top quality 4mm webbed technology that has been used in international competition since 2017, meeting the standards needed for our athletes to train safely and authentically. The trampoline bed extends across the trampoline inside the frame and the end deck bed extends across the small end deck attached to the end of the trampoline.



Trampoline Springs - need to be replaced when they begin to lose the tension they were made with.
Tension explained: a 10" spring holds 39lbs of tension, when the spring is stretched to 14"-15" in length (optimal bounce) the tension should be 38-40lbs. If the tension falls below that range then optimal bounce cannot be achieved and an athlete's performance, as well as safety, is effected.



Photo example of an overstretched spring:



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Name of Project or Event: Diamondsides Baseball Day

Name of Organization: New West Minor Baseball

Grant Amount: $3000

Date of Project or Event: June 8, 2024

Location: Queens Park Stadium

Event Details:

Diamondsides Baseball Day is a fun and interactive event for all baseball players from New Westminster Baseball Association (Little League) and New West Minor Baseball / Diamondsides Baseball right in the iconic Queens Park stadium.
This event marks the end of Spring season and kicks off the summer season with closing ceremonies for Little League. This year we were honored to have Chief Rhonda Larrabee attend and throw out the first pitch. A player Skills Showcase event takes place on field for the teenage players while a fun games carnival with prizes takes place complete with a Coach & Umpire Dunk Tank. The day wraps up with an exciting “Coaches vs 18U players” baseball game with lots of rule changes and shenanigans on display.
This event is a fantastic way to bring the baseball community together while showcasing to the wider community what the stadium has to offer.
We are grateful for the support of the city of New Westminster for providing an event grant to be able to continue to provide this amazing event.









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Name of Project or Event: Sukh Sagar Nagar Kirtan 2024

Name of Organization: Sukh Sagar Gurdwara (Khalsa Diwan Society, NW)

Grant Amount: $34,630.57 – City Services

Date of Project or Event: June 23, 2024

Location: Queensborough Community Centre/Queensborough Middle School

Event Details:

This was the 15th annual Nagar Kirtan, to take place in Queensborough.

The event was a gathering of the community to celebrate the life of 5th Sikh Guru Arjan Dev Ji. There were activities for all, free food (over 20 vendors providing free food) and close to 40,000 free meals served.

The even started with a procession from Sukh Sagar Gurdwara to Queensborough Middle School. At the school there were singing of hymns, face painting for kids, information booths and as mentioned free food vendors.

The event show cased Sukh Sagar's Gurdwara's ability to unite the community, bring awareness to outside community of the big heart our small community of Queensborough has



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communities embracing restorative action

Name of Project or Event: Restorative Justice

Name of Organization: CERA Society

Grant Amount: $15,000

Date of Project or Event: 2024

Location: City of New Westminster

Event Details:

Collaborating with New Westminster Police Department, CERA provided a viable alternative to criminal court for offenders and gave victims a voice.

After entering a new Memorandum of Understanding with Crown Counsel, re-established a new avenue for receiving referrals in New Westminster.

The organization reinforced its partnership with ICBC, allowing the organization to work with ICBC in ensuring that if any individual in New Westminster is a concern for public safety, then restorative justice services can be utilized to hold them accountable and support them in making better choices

Teachers and administrators were offered a training resource dedicated to assisting them in resolving difficult disputes.

Held key meetings with police officials, supporting the expanded use of restorative justice







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New Westminster Homelessness Coalition Society

Name of Project or Event: Coordination Services

Name of Organization: NW Homelessness Coalition Society

Grant Amount: $16, 500

Date of Project or Event: Throughout 2024/During Homelessness Action Week

Location: Across New Westminster

Event Details:

The funding supports a variety of activities throughout the year. These include the weekly “News you can Use” Newsletter, facilitating 10 Coalition Community Engagement Working Group meetings annually,, coordinating activities like Homelessness Action Week (HAW), Connect Day and providing support to initiatives like I’s on the Street and the former Laundry Love New West. The Coordinator is key to supporting partnership development, grant writing and community engagement.

HAW2024 this year featured: the 3rd annual HAW Community Walk in partnership with the NW Museum and Archives, a Community Burrito brunch at Holy Trinity, the annual UGM Thanksgiving meal, CONNECT Day featuring 16+ service providers, giveaways, a lunch and access to flu shots immunizations, a Film Night and panel discussion featuring Love in the Time of Fentanyl at Douglas College, a UBC Dental Hygiene Clinic at UGM, a World Food Day listening post at St. Barnabas-Shiloh 5th Ave., a Will You be My Neighbour Community Café at WAVES on Columbia St., Free Haircuts at Purpose, HAW in Hyack Square supported by the Crisis Response Project Team, and what was a definite highlight of HAW, a FREE store at Lookout’s the Russell featuring a huge donation of warm clothing from Stormtech complete with inspirational posters and fairy lights!







Snapshot of Success

Name of Project or Event: Queens Park Preschool Outdoor Improvement

Name of Organization: Queens Park Preschool

Grant Amount: $5,000

Date of Project or Event: 2024

Location: Queens Park Preschool

Event Details:

We used our grant money to improve the outdoor area of our preschool allowing us to spend more time outdoor no matter the weather.



The additional of the gazebo was a huge success the mud kitchen has really been enjoyed by the children along with the other supplies purchased. All these items will last for years allowing many New Westminster children to enjoy them in the future.



Snapshot of Success

Name of Project or Event: Hyack Camp

Name of Organization: 12th New Westminster Scout Group

Grant Amount: $1279.40

Date of Project or Event: 26-28 May 2024

Location: Queen's Park

Event Details:

Hyack Camp is an annual Scout Camp held in Queen's Park, organized and run by the Venturers of the 12th New Westminster Scout Group (15-17 year olds). This year we had 11 different Scout Groups and 160people camping amongst the trees adjacent to the Queen's Park South Field to celebrate the 37th annual camp.

We also participate in, and hold signs for, the Hyack Parade.

The City's support by providing in-kind services for things such as the park permit, garbage/recycling bins, providing a water source, sand as a base for the campfire, and tables and chairs from the Arena are essential to the success of the camp and are very much appreciated.

In Scouting tradition, we took only photos and left only footprints, leaving the park in better shape than when we arrived.

Part of the grant was also the use of the bandshell our Kub Kar Rally, and the City Works yard for our bottle drive. Both of which were perfect locations for our use.







Snapshot of Success

WINGS MINISTRIES
Hope. Courage. Healing.

Name of Project or Event: The Butterfly Room

Name of Organization: Monarch Place Transition House/WINGS

Grant Amount: $3,500

Date of Project or Event: All Year

Location: New Westminster

Event Details:

The purpose of the Butterfly Room project is to provide opportunities for children who have witnessed abuse to experience fun childhood activities and build safe and trusting relationships with supportive adults. They often don't have the opportunity to have a happy "childhood", but spend most of their time trying to not draw attention to themselves, seeking to distract themselves from the trauma and sadness they feel, and just struggling to survive. They do not understand "adult" issues. Normal experiences including fun, creative play, and access to activities are often beyond the scope of the child's family to provide during a time of crisis. Our goal is to break the cycle of family violence through the provision of support, education, and exposure to the model of a healthy balanced lifestyle within a caring community. We believe positive connection can begin to change direction, providing love and acceptance and a pathway to hope.

Please note that the picture of the child is a "staged" private picture as we do not release pictures of the children in our program due to safety reasons. The picture is a depiction of the fun and wonder children experience in "The Butterfly Room".







Snapshot of Success

Name of Project or Event: Uptown Live

Name of Organization: Uptown Business Association

Grant Amount: $30,000

Date of Project or Event: July 27, 2024

Location: 6th & 6th, Uptown New Westminster

Event Details:

Uptown Live was a dynamic street festival in New Westminster, celebrating music, art, and community. Headlined by the electrifying Funk Hunters, the festival featured multiple stages of live performances, artisan vendors, and family-friendly activities. The event featured 10 food trucks and a site wide liquor permit.

Showcasing local talent and businesses, Uptown Live attracted thousands of attendees, boosting the local economy while fostering community pride. This vibrant, free event highlighted New Westminster as a hub of creativity and cultural celebration.







Snapshot of Success

LUMARA
GRIEF & BEREAVEMENT CARE

Name of Project or Event: New Westminster Grief & Bereavement Care

Name of Organization: Lumara Grief & Bereavement Care Society

Grant Amount: $10,000

Date of Project or Event: 2024

Location: NWSS Wellness Centre 820 6th Street, New Westminster

Event Details:

Lumara Grief & Bereavement Care supports New Westminster families coping with serious illness, grief, and bereavement. We surround those who are grieving with professional and volunteer support, to foster healing and build resiliency, transforming loss, loneliness, and sorrow into love, meaning, and hope. This year we have provided expressive arts therapies at the Wellness Centre at New Westminster Secondary School including individual art and music therapy sessions as well as our Circles of Strength Family Support Groups. Therapy dogs were a highlight! Children, youth and families also a participated in individual or family counselling at the Wellness Centre or accessed their counsellor virtually. New Westminster families attended a workshop at Century House, Camp Kerry in September (therapy horses and a therapy donkey were highlights!), and two youth attended the Lumara Youth Retreat on Vancouver Island in June. All Indigenous families have access to an Elder through Lumara to support participation in our programs and the Elder also attends all retreats. With our location in New Westminster Secondary School, this is a primary source of referrals to our programs.







Snapshot of Success

Name of Project or Event: **Community English Class for Immigrant and Refugee Women**

Name of Organization: **Pacific Immigrant Resources Society**

Grant Amount: $14,000

Date of Project or Event: September 2023 - June 2024

Location: Holy Trinity Cathedral New Westminster

Event Details:

Three cohorts of Community English Class were delivered.

49 adults and 43 children attended weekly classes every Monday and Wednesday morning for two hours from September 2023 to June 2024.

A total of **2109 hours of English Language instruction** were delivered. Lesson themes included daily life topics such as Mental and Physical Wellbeing, Family and Friendship, Health, Budgeting, Canada and Indigenous Studies.

415 hours of additional one-to-one support calls were provided.







Snapshot of Success

Name of Project or Event: Mary Poppins

Name of Organization: Royal City Musical Theatre

Grant Amount: $7,000

Date of Project or Event: April 25th to May 12th, 2024

Location: The Massey Theatre

Event Details:

Royal City Musical Theatre was thrilled to present Disney's Mary Poppins in April/May 2024. We welcomed almost 8000 audience members to the The Massey Theatre to witness the work over 150 cast, crew, orchestra, staff and volunteers.

RCMT has been slowly building back our audience after COVID and we are seeing strong growth the last two years. We have seen a drastic increase in individual donations as well and are feeling incredibly supported by our community.

We look forward to our upcoming Dolly Parton's 9 to 5 the Musical in April/May 2025.







Snapshot of Success

Name of Project or Event: New Westminster Secondary School 2024 Graduation Ceremony

Name of Organization: School District 40

Grant Amount: $5,665.97 (cost of QPA rental)

Date of Project or Event: June 25th 2024

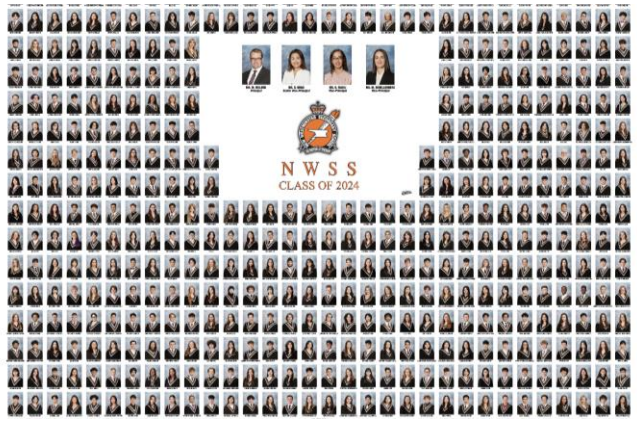
Location: Queens Park Arena

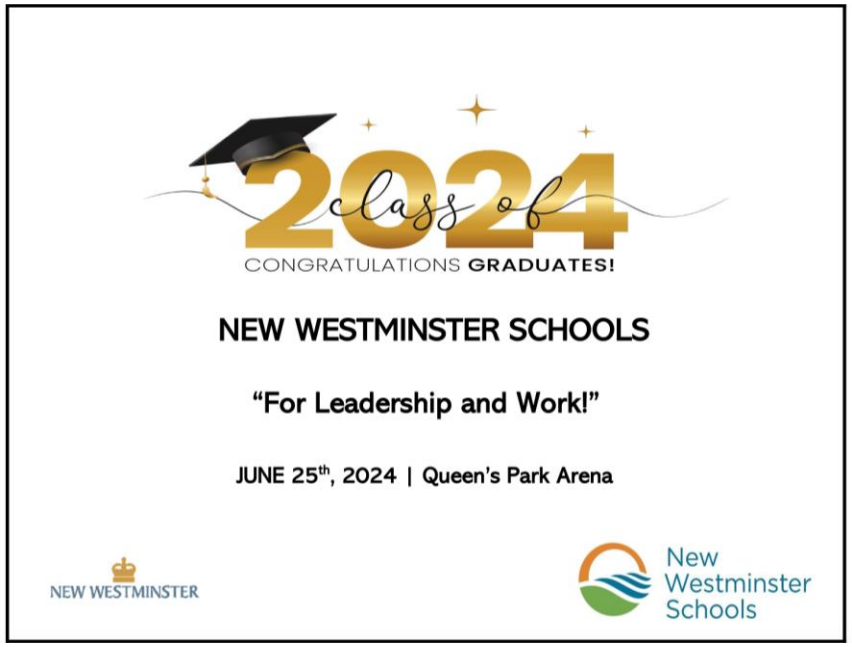
Event Details:

The 2024 Graduation Ceremony celebrated over 500 students from NWSS, SIGMA and POWER as they crossed the stage at Queens Park Arena in recognition of their educational success and entering the next chapters of their lives.

The event had over 2,000 people in attendance, including family and friends of grads, SD 40 staff and board members, New West's Mayor and local MLA, Chief Rhonda Larrabee, and other special guests (see program attached)







Snapshot of Success

Name of Project or Event: New West Pride

Name of Organization: New West Pride Society

Grant Amount: $10,000 cash, $35,000 City Services

Date of Project or Event: August 2024

Location: Columbia St

Event Details:

A celebration of 2SLGBTQIA+ resilience in New West, our long serving event took to the streets once again to amplify issues faced by out community and celebrate local talent and diversity.







Snapshot of Success



Name of Project or Event: 2024 New West Film Fest

Name of Organization: New West Film Society

Grant Amount: $5,000

Date of Project or Event: Oct 25 -27 2024

Location: New Westminster Landmark Cinema

Event Details:

The 2024 New West Film Fest took place at the New Westminster Landmark cinema from October 25 to October 27. We showed 41 films in 3 days. We opened our festival with a screening of 9 short films: Short Takes On Connections. The films ranged from an animated film teaching Blackfoot language and culture, an Indigenous made short about Urban Indigenous teens, a family drama about East African Calgary community, a neurodiverse telling of a love story, a short documentary about an Iranian disability heroine, and a documentary about an art installation at New Westminster city hall. This screening set the tone for a weekend of independent films with diverse voices and perspectives. Our Q & As, and two panel discussions gave the audience an opportunity for community engagement for important and fun topics, highlighting diversity and inclusion.





Snapshot of Success

Name of Project or Event: 2024 New West Film Fest

Name of Organization: New West Film Society

Grant Amount: $5,000

Date of Project or Event: Oct 25 - 26 2024

Location: New West Landmark Cinema

Event Details:

"First off, I want to thank you and your team for such a wonderful experience at the 3pm shorts screening over the weekend. You and Candace were both so warm and welcoming! The afternoon went so perfectly from sign in, to the films themselves looking and sounding great in the theatre, to the wonderfully moderated Q&A, and finally the red carpet experience.
Secondly, thank you again for all of the coordination leading up to the day—from tickets to ensuring Ashley and her mum were ushered in at the exact right moment. I so appreciate the work you, Shawn, and I'm sure several others put in to make it all run so smoothly. I felt very considered and taken care of, the communication from you and your team was truly top notch.
Third, thank you again for the honour of having my film screened at your festival. As you know, New Westminster is where I grew up so it was very meaningful to be a part of this year's festival and have the opportunity to show my film to cast, crew, friends and family in such a beautiful (and comfortable) theatre—especially knowing how many submissions you received. Thank you again for a wonderful experience, I will cherish it forever."





Snapshot of Success

Name of Project or Event: LIGHTS AND LANTERNS FESTIVAL NEW WEST

Name of Organization: Filipino-Canadian Society for International Arts & Events – INARTE SOCIETY

Grant Amount: $4,000 Cash & $1,900 City Services

Date of Project or Event: November 17, 2024

Location: Queensborough Community Centre, New Westminster

Event Details:

The **Lights and Lantern Festival** in New Westminster is as family-friendly event that encourages the local community to enjoy a stunning lantern-making workshop, Christmas bazaar, live performances, interactive art displays, and cultural showcases.

The event will also showcase delicious ethnic food, local crafts, and activities for all ages as we come together to celebrate community, creativity, and the spirit of Christmas.







Snapshot of Success

Name of Project or Event: First Aid

Name of Organization: Coquitlam Search and Rescue

Grant Amount: $500

Date of Project or Event: 2024

Location:





Event Details:

Our members are called out to task at a moment's notice. We are always looking at ways to enhance what we do and having pulse oximeters available for our members to take with them on task has proven to be very effective. They are able to check a subject's pulse and provide updates in real time to awaiting EMS.

Thank you very much for your support!



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Organization's Logo

Massey THEATRE

Snapshot of Success

Name of organization

Massey Theatre Society

Grant Portfolio: Arts

Grant Type: Social & Cultural Vibrancy

Grant Amount: 75,000

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Name of Project or Event: Massey Theatre / Comple

Date of Project or Event: 2024

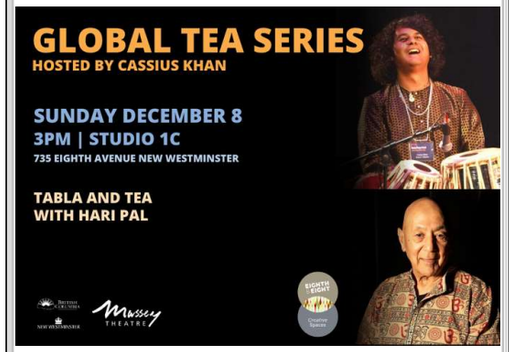
Location: 735 Eighth Avenue, New Westminster

Attendance: 85,000

Event Details

The Massey Theatre Society is the largest and most active facilitator of the arts in New Westminster. Through programming, facilities and services we offer a wide variety of opportunities year round. We make local and regional productions, presentations and events possible in the facilities. We promote the arts and provide services resulting in high annual attendance helping drive the local economy. MTS draws local and regional publicity and successfully fundraises for programs and operations.

Promotional Material or Photo



Community Partners:

see attached Annual Report

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Organization's Logo

Snapshot of Success

Name of organization
Queensborough Special Program Committee

Grant Portfolio:

Grant Type: Social and Cultural

Grant Amount:

Name of Project or Event: Light the Fire hall

Date of Project or Event: Nov 30 2024

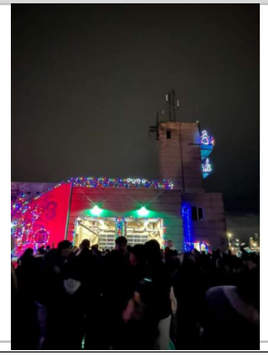
Location: Queensborough Firehall

Attendance: 500-600

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Event Details

The Community of Queensborough came out to enjoy the turning on of the Christmas lights at the fire hall, This event is a partnership with the NW fire department. The Queensborough middle school band played carols. Santa Claus was there for photo opportunities. Hot Chocolate and goodies were handed out. Food and donations were accepted for the Stop the Hunger food program. The QSPC matched the cash donations of $450 and issued a cheque for $1820.

Promotional Material or Photo



Community Partners:
NW Fire department

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Organization's Logo

Royal City Literary Arts Society RCLAS

Snapshot of Success

Name of organization
Royal City Literary Arts Society

Grant Portfolio: PORTFOLIO 2

Grant Type: SOCIAL AND CULTURAL VIBRANC

Grant Amount: $4,000

Name of Project or Event: 2024 RCLAS Programmi

Date of Project or Event: Jan - Nov 2024

Location: Queen's Park Bandshell, Columbia Sq

Attendance: Total 1200+ attendees

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Event Details

RCLAS Programming 2024
-Tellers of Short Tales
-Poetry in the Park (Wed Nights July/Aug)
-Poetic Justice
-In Their Words

Workshops this year included:
""From Editor to Author: A Journey in Several Parts" with Frances Peck
"Jump-Starting your Creative Writing Life" with Eileen Cook & kc dyer
"An Invitation to Soften Your Gaze and Invite Grace" with Jónína Kirton

Cogswell Award
Write on Contest

Promotional Material or Photo



Community Partners:

Arts New West

Snapshot of Success

Seniors Services Society of B.C.

Name of Project or Event: Seniors Housing & Support Program

Name of Organization: Seniors Services Society of BC

Grant Amount: $75,000

Date of Project or Event: 2023-2024

Location: New Westminster

Event Details:

For the 2023-2024 fiscal year, Seniors Services Society provided housing navigation support for 45 New Westminster seniors. All 15 temporary housing units are located in New Westminster and are vital to the success of this program.

Our Support Services program is vital to having New West seniors continue to live independently. To reduce social isolation, our volunteers made 3,936 friendly support calls to 61 clients. We also provided transportation to medical appointments for 62 seniors and ensured that 53 seniors per month have food security via grocery delivery, or meal delivery.

Through our Santa for Seniors holiday campaign, 125 seniors received gifts, including seniors in New West. We also replenished necessities for our Temporary Housing program so that those who arrive in temporary housing have everything they need immediately.

We received this note from a grateful THP client, “Thank you so much for helping me in finding amazing housing. Your supported me every step of the way, answering calls and texts, usually within minutes (and there were many). The journey has been incredible and I could not have done it without you!”

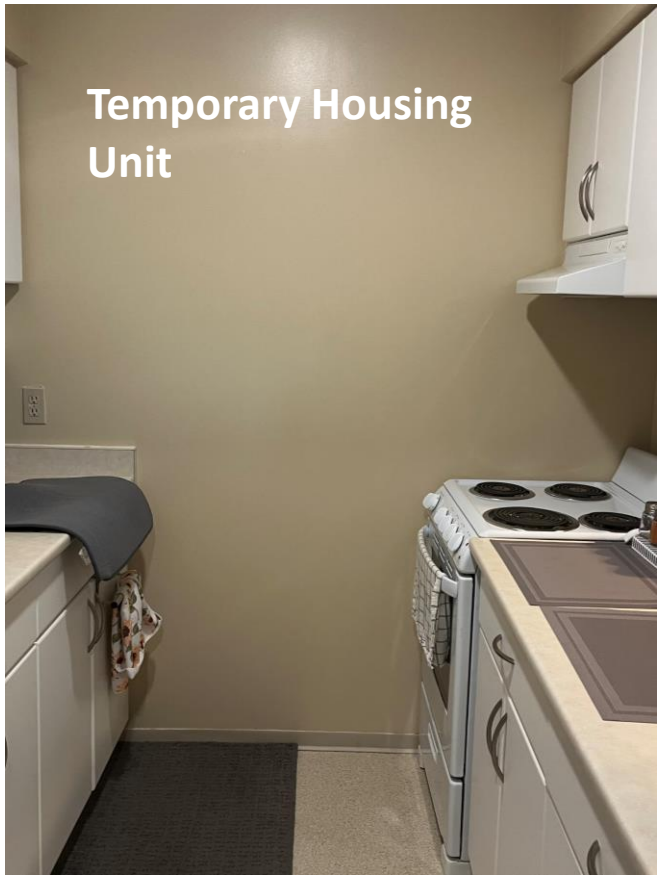
We are extremely grateful to the City of New Westminster for continued funding, without which, we would not be able to provide seniors with this invaluable support when they need it most.



Santa for Seniors 2023



Gary: Volunteer Med. Transportation Driver



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Name of Project or Event: Queensborough Family Dinner

Name of Organization: Queensborough Special Program Committee

Grant Amount: 700

Date of Project or Event: Dec. 7 2024

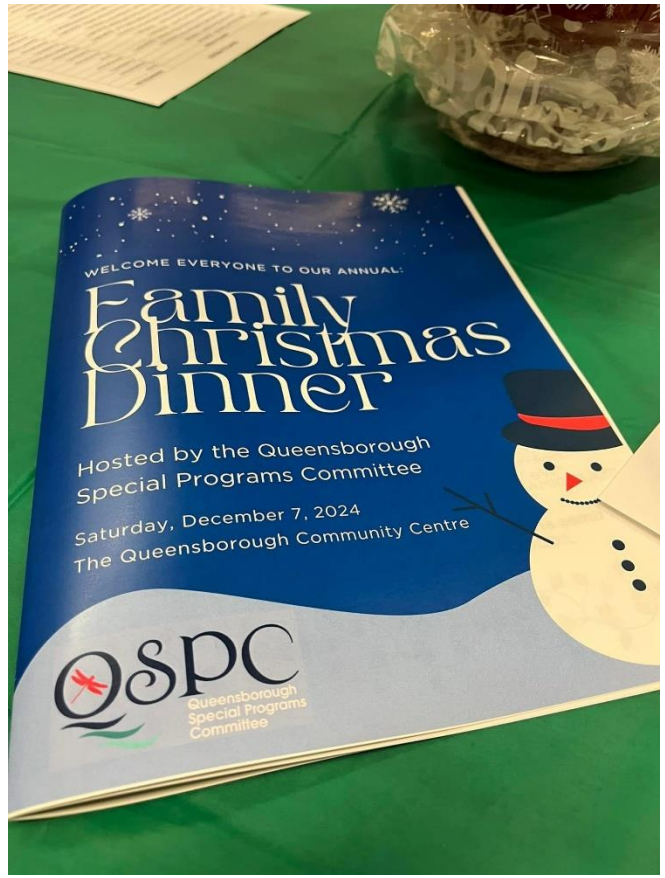
Location:

Event Details:

78 adults and 12 children attended the event at the Queensborough Community Centre. Turkey dinner was provided and funded through ticket sales and sponsorship. Carols were sung and Santa provided photo opportunities to young and old.







Snapshot of Success

Name of Project or Event: Red Fox New Westminster Active Play & Youth Leadership Program

Name of Organization: Red Fox Healthy Living Society

Grant Amount: $4,000.00

Date of Project or Event: year-round program

Location: Moody Park, Ryall Park, Tipperary Park, Lord Kelvin Elementary, Qayqayt Elementary, Tweedsmuir Elementary

Event Details:

Red Fox Healthy Living Society delivered free Active Play at three elementary schools and three parks to children throughout the year. Local youth were recruited and trained to help lead the activities.







Snapshot of Success

Name of Project or Event: Glenbrook Ravine Restoration Project

Name of Organization: New Westminster Environmental Partners

Grant Amount: $5,400

Date of Project or Event: Apr 27, May 25, June 22, Sept 21, Oct 26

Location: Glenbrook Ravine

Event Details:

Four volunteer events were held to remove invasive species from Glenbrook Ravine, including Himalayan Blackberry and Himalayan Balsalm, to prepare the area for the planting of native plants. In addition, volunteers removed invasive species from areas previously restored. 163 native plant species, including trees and shrubs, were planted during the last event in the fall.







Snapshot of Success

Big Brothers
OF GREATER VANCOUVER

Name of Project or Event: Big Brothers Community Mentoring Program

Name of Organization: Big Brothers of Greater Vancouver

Grant Amount: $5000

Date of Project or Event: August 2023 - July 2024

Location: We serve children across all of the Lower Mainland.

Event Details:

The Big Brothers Community Mentoring Program matches adult male-identifying volunteers with male-identifying children and youth aged 7-14 who need an additional positive male role model in their lives. Mentors (also known as 'Bigs') and Mentees (also known as 'Littles') spend 2-4 hours each week doing a wide range of low-cost fun activities together. Littles can remain matched in the program until they graduate high school.

During August 2023 to July 2024, we served 7 children through our Community Mentoring Program in the City of New Westminster.







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Name of Project or Event: Clean Up New West 2024

Name of Organization: Westminster House Society

Grant Amount: $4000.00

Date of Project or Event: June 8, 2024

Location: Tipperary Park

Event Details:

The event ran from 9 am – 1pm at Tipperary Park. Volunteers from Westminster House, Last Door and the community were busy setting up starting around 7 am. Participants registered and were given garbage bags and gloves. Around 11:30, we started weighing the garbage and award the winner with a prize as seen in the photo. The pie eating contest happened at 12 pm which resulting in everyone cheering the contestants on followed by lots of laughter and fun.







Snapshot of Success

Name of Project or Event: Farewell to Summer Fireworks Festival

Name of Organization: New Westminster Hyack Festival Association

Grant Amount: $15000.00

Date of Project or Event: Saturday, August 24th of 2024

Location: Westminster Quay

Event Details:

Our Fireworks Festival was the perfect way to wrap up the end of summer!

Starting at 3 pm, the boardwalk came alive with visitors enjoying market vendors and exhibitors. The entertainment stage was a big hit, with welcoming remarks from Acting Mayor Paul Minhas, MLA Jennifer Whiteside, and MP Peter Julian; this year Ernie Cardinal did the land acknowledgement with the Blessing of Chief Rhonda Larabee. Their words set the stage for a vibrant lineup of diverse performers who entertained the crowd for hours, keeping the Quay buzzing with energy. This year, we also added a DJ who kept attendees dancing even after the fireworks show.

At 9:00 p.m., Celebration Fireworks delivered a stunning display, lighting up the sky for spectators not only at the packed Westminster Quay but also in surrounding areas, including Pier Park, Port Royal, the Front Street Parkade, Brownsville in Surrey, and more. Thousands of condo residents also enjoyed the show right from their windows. The response on social media was amazing, with countless posts of photos and videos capturing the fireworks spectacle!







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Name of Project or Event: Parade and Festival in the Park

Name of Organization: New Westminster Hyack Festival Association

Grant Amount: ?

Date of Project or Event: Saturday, May 25th of 2024

Location: Parade: 6 th Street Festival: Tipperary Park

Event Details:

The 2024 Hyack International Parade is the largest family-oriented parade in the lower mainland, bringing together participants from across BC. This year's parade showcased a heartwarming mix of diverse groups that represent the very fabric of our community. Participants included multicultural and historical organizations, LGBTQIA+ representatives, the Chief of the QayQayt Nation, and many others, celebrating the rich diversity that makes our city a leader in inclusion and representation.

The parade's vibrant procession of floats, marching bands, community groups, mascots, and performers entertained and delighted spectators, culminating in the Hyack Festival at Tipperary Park. The festival, filled with live music, family-friendly activities, local vendors, food trucks, exhibitors, and artisan creators, offered something for everyone and created a lively hub for the community and visitors alike.







Snapshot of Success

BARBADOS CULTURAL ASSOCIATION OF BC

Name of Project or Event: Taste of Barbados – Celebrating 58 Years of Independence

Name of Organization: Barbados Cultural Association of BC

Grant Amount: $3500

Date of Project or Event: November 30th, 2024, 3pm – 8pm

Location: Centennial Lodge, Queens Park, New Westminster, BC

Event Details:

"A Taste of Barbados", an event presented by The Barbados Cultural Association of BC (BCABC) in partnership with The City of New Westminster was a resounding success. The beautiful island nation was celebrating its 58th anniversary of Independence from England.

After the traditional land acknowledgements and a brief welcome speech from visiting MLA Raj Chouhan, Speaker of the BC Legislative Assembly. Guests were treated to a delicious selection of traditional Bajan food, music and entertainment, including fish cakes, Cou Cou and saltfish, macaroni pie and Souse.

Festive "Soca" tunes provided by DJ Oldhead kept the crowd moving and high energy performances from dance group Soca Sensations had everyone on their feet. It was a fun time for both children and adults who came out to be a part of the celebration. The number one question on everyone's mind as the night progressed was "When can we do this again?" Congratulations to the BCABC on another amazing event.







Snapshot of Success

ROYAL COLUMBIAN Hospital Foundation

Name of Project or Event: Queen’s Park Care Centre – Music Room Enhancements

Name of Organization: Queen’s Park Care Centre

Grant Amount: $2,500

Date of Project or Event: March 2024

Location: Queen’s Park Care Centre

Event Details:

Music programming is essential in long-term care settings, as it can significantly improve residents' moods, reduce agitation and anxiety, and foster relaxation and conversation. Additionally, it plays a vital role in aiding individuals during their transition into long-term care.

With the grant generously provided by the City of New Westminster, we were able to purchase a new digital keyboard to support our music programming, which is available for a total of 109 residents at Queen’s Park Care Centre on a day-to-day basis.

By adding a working keyboard to our compliment of music programming, we have engaged residents who love to sing, and those who also can also play the keyboard on their own. Its portability means that residents who have mobility challenges can still take part as the keyboard is moved from space to space. As such, participation ranges from small groups to large group sessions.

Thank you sincerely to the City of New Westminster for this tremendous contribution. Your partnership will have a profound impact for the residents that we serve at Queen’s Park Care Centre.







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Snapshot of Success

SHARE
FAMILY & COMMUNITY SERVICES

Name of Project or Event: **SHARE Wellness Support for Children and Their Families**

Name of Organization: SHARE Family & Community Services

Grant Amount: $7,500

Date of Project or Event: December 2023 – November 2024

Location: Inclusion BC 227 6th Street New Westminster

Event Details:

Due to a flood and subsequent relocation, this project scope was modified to prioritize immediate needs in the new space, focusing on adaptable equipment and storage solutions.
For instance, the purchase of the Movement ABC-3 was approved to support early motor skill development assessments for children aged 3-16.
Additional equipment, such as sensory play tools, child-sized furniture, and a climber for regulation activities, was selected to cater to diverse child development needs.



