



Village Update

June 30, 2022

Updates from the Municipality

Mayor's Message

Hello Lions Bay. Happy sunny Canada Day long weekend everyone.

Lions Bay volunteer initiative and enthusiasm continues to grow.

- Emergency Support Services – I would like to welcome new members Gregan and Lianne Dunn, and Anne and Hugh Crothswait to the team.
- Blockwatch – Councillor Abbott has found new Co-Leaders, Brian Ulrich and Nicole Alagich. Thank you Brian and Nicole for stepping forward.
- Chair Jonathan Wreglesworth, and the members of Lions Bay Arts' sub-committee, Public Art & Design have put forth an exciting proposal to Council. Your opinion will be sought shortly.
- The Mary Comber Miles Indigenous Plant Garden - Thank you to these new stewards of this treasure for coming forward – Frances Gordon, Maureen Junck, Susan Publicover, and Kathy Duchene.

The official unveiling of The Mary Comber Miles Indigenous Plant Garden occurred recently. A small gathering of Mary's family, friends, and long-time stewards of the garden were in attendance. Thank you, Val Morton, for your organization and master of ceremony skills. Val's heartfelt address is [here](#), and a founding document that demonstrates the vision of the garden far ahead of its time is [here](#).



Pictured Above: Mary Comber Miles Indigenous Plant Garden unveiling.

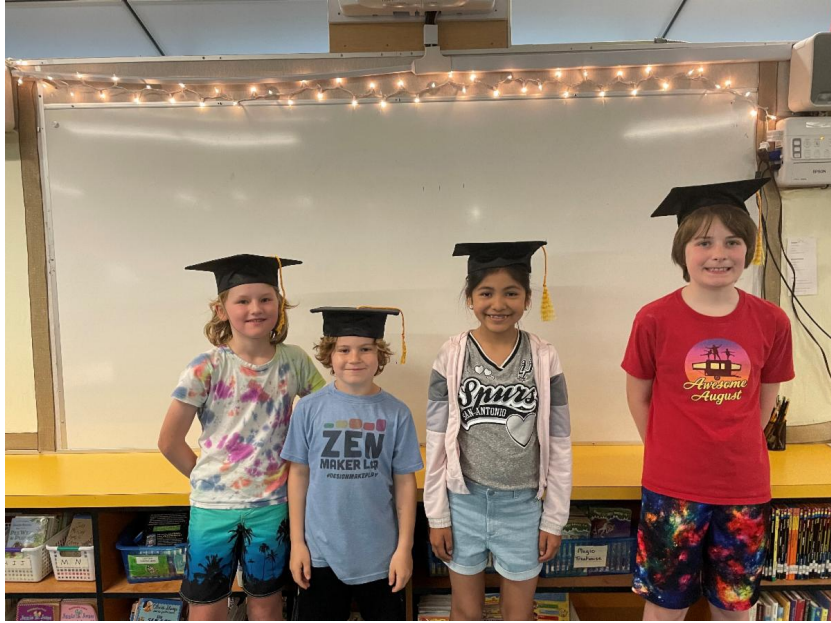
Our homegrown Olympian and current Citizen of Distinction, Madison Mailey, recently drew upon her championship experiences while speaking to graduates at the Commencement ceremony for Northeastern University's Toronto campus. Details [here](#).

15-year-old Quinn Bradshaw is in Newfoundland to represent BC (and Lions Bay) at the Karate National championship on the Canada Day weekend. More details [here](#).



Pictured above: Quinn Bradshaw (in red gloves)

The LB Community School's Grade III graduation was last week. It was a proud moment for everyone in attendance as the grads were launched.



Pictured Above: Jake Beattie, Michael Mole, Renata del Rosario Delgadillo Sahonero, Archie Hardy (missing Theodore Ashley-Wilkinson and Logan Brandvold)

Extensive paving on Oceanview was finished this week. It looks great! Line painting throughout the Village should be completed by Thanksgiving.

The latest news on the Klatt Building retrofit, LB Beach Park Revitalization, and the LB Connector project is that the request for proposal (RFP) for architectural and landscaping services for Phase 1 of the LB Beach Park renovation closed yesterday. CORE Project Management continues to flesh out the scope of services, and obtain RFP's for the cost and construction management for each project.

New Municipal Coordinator Linda Brick and Administrative Assistant Marina Blagodarov have joined us. Staff is now back up to full compliment.

I would like to welcome these new Villagers:

- To Mountain Drive - Gregan and Lianne Dunn.
- To Mountain Drive – Ken and Karen Xu.
- To Stewart Road – Yvonne Leung and Terry Poon tell us about themselves [here](#).
- To Bayview – Christine, Sara, and William tell us about themselves [here](#).

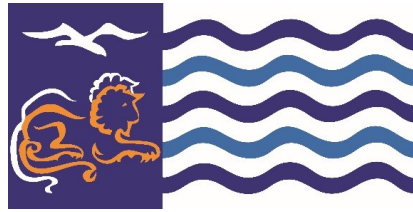


Pictured above: Christine and Sara with William



Pictured above: Yvonne and Terry with Mochi and Mio

Keep well and show how proud you are to be Canadian this weekend.



Happy Canada Day! The Village Office will be closed on Friday, July 1, 2022.



NEXT REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING: July 5 at 6:00pm

View the Council and Committee Schedule, Agendas, Minutes
HERE!

Video conferencing is available for public participation via Zoom. Instructions on how to attend and publicly participate in a meeting can be found [here](#).

Public Viewing Etiquette:

- *Public participation is still available on Zoom, during the Public Participation section of the agenda. Attendees will have two minutes to speak on any matter at the beginning of the meeting.*
- *Silent viewing only, until you are called upon to speak (if desired).*
- *Please do not interrupt Council discussion.*
- *Limit background distractions by muting your microphone and keeping video turned off until such time as it's your turn to speak (if applicable).*
- *If interruptions are repeated, the participant will be removed from the meeting*

What's Happening in Lions Bay

FRIDAY JULY 1ST

CANADA

Party!

DAY



CANADA DAY CELEBRATIONS - FRIDAY, JULY 1ST

Come join us for an afternoon & evening with entertainment for everyone! Below is some highlights of the day.

3:30pm - Start

3:30pm - 2022 Lions Bay Family Sports Day Races

- Ice Cream Truck will be onsite

4:30pm - Official Ceremony / Welcome Address / Cake!

5:15pm - Live Entertainment & Food Trucks

- Maggs 99 (Fried Chicken & Mexican)
- Turnip the beetz! (Vegetarian Company)
- Carte Diem (Souvlaki)

- Live Music by The Pop Junkies. They are the ultimate Cover Tune / Party Band that will play for us all night performing hits spanning from the 70's to current!

- More Kids Crafts / activities to happen during this time.

10:00pm - Fireworks on the beach

**Bring your beach blankets, chairs, snacks and beverages to hang out for the afternoon & evening. As well, please bring a flashlight for the end of the night walk back to your car, or better yet straight home! Please consider walking or carpooling as parking will be at a premium.



Reducing pollution in our oceans is part of our Bird Friendly City commitment and we're excited to announce our collaboration in a pilot project aimed at cleaning up Howe Sound. It's being run by the [Átl'ka7tsem/Howe Sound Marine Stewardship Initiative](#) (MSI) whose mission is to foster ocean stewardship by creating tools, sharing holistic knowledge, and building community.

Here's how you can help

While you're out on the waters around Lions Bay, keep a look out for large items of marine debris or other garbage/pollution onshore or in the sea, then simply report your sighting using the new [online reporting system](#) now being piloted. This uses citizen science to collect information about garbage in the Sound. The MSI will then be able to identify areas in need of cleanup on their interactive [Marine Reference Guide map](#) and develop best management practices for the region.

You'll need to provide the coordinates (lat and long) which are easy to determine with a smart phone using the compass app or by dropping a pin in the map app (e.g. google maps).

To make it easy for you to report what you see while you're out and about, we've added a link to the MSI's [online reporting system](#) on the LB Bird Friendly website: www.lionsbaybirdfriendly.ca.

And... join us on Canada Day at the beach!

We'll be at the Canada Day event on the beach from 3.30 - 5pm. Come say hi and learn about being more Bird Friendly! For example, if you have a problem with bird strikes on your windows or glass deck panels, we have several temporary and permanent products to show you that might prevent these sad occurrences.

Kids, want to look like a bird? Come get your face painted! **We'll also be selling chilled sodas/pop @ \$2 a can (cash only, please).**

From the Lions Bay Bird Friendly Team

Lions Bay Arts



DID YOU SEE...

the new banners are up celebrating our new UNESCO
ATL'KA7TSEM Howe Sound Biosphere Region?



An Evening in Italy.

Please join us for a magical celebration of the arts, where we'll combine the sights, smells and cuisine of beautiful Southern Italy.

While you relax with a glass of Italian wine and a theme-related appetizer, Lions Bay's very own Sicilian native, Lucy Traini, will prepare pizzas along with Caesar salad.

We'll dine together, Italian-style. Author, Karen Dodd will read from her latest suspense novel, EVERYBODY KNOWS, which is set in and around Southern Italy and Malta. Together, Karen and Lucy will inspire you to visit this spectacular Mediterranean region — perhaps for the first time — or recapture fond memories of past adventures.

WHEN: Thurs, July 7th 2022 6:00pm – 9:00 pm
WHERE: Lions Bay; address will be provided upon RSVP

Tickets for this event are extremely limited, with only 30 tickets available. Requests will be taken by first email first served basis. Tickets cost \$25 per person. Email treasurer@lionsbayarts.ca to request tickets.

Limit 2 tickets per membership. Vaccine Passports are required.

Please note the time change - this event will start at 6 pm

RSVP



July 7th
1st in CELEBRATING ARTS! Series:
Evening in Italy

July 24th
Art and Garden Festival
CANCELLED FOR THIS YEAR

Month of July
DivingIn BC Art Tour Online
Follow us on Facebook or IG for
more details

August 18th
2nd in CELEBRATING ART! Series:
Details to follow

November 2022
LBA Christmas Fair is BACK
Details to follow

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