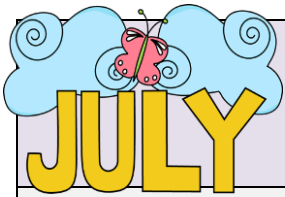


# BRITANNIA OSC OUTDOOR RECREATION CREATIVE ARTS (ORCA) JULY & AUGUST 2024

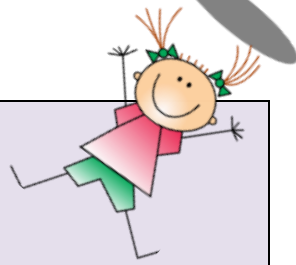












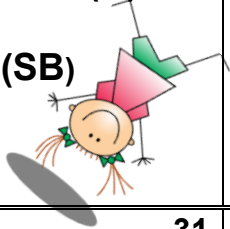




If you would like your child to participate in the breakfast program please arrive prior to 9:30 am, BREAKFAST ENDS AT 9:30 AM.

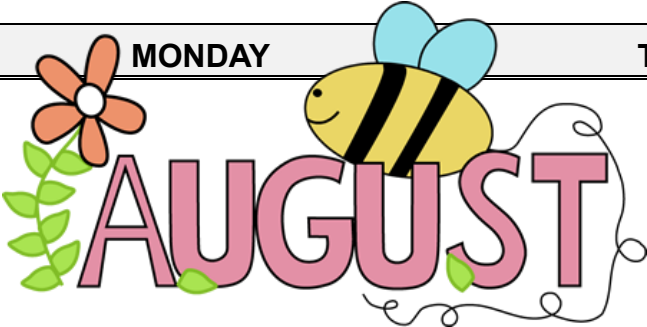



















**LATEST DROP OFF TIME AT CENTRE IS 10:30AM EACH DAY UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED ON CALENDAR.**



Not all fieldtrips and activities are on this calendar. Activities/Events may change without notice.

PLEASE ARRIVE BY 5:45 PM FOR PICK-UP. Call us at 604-718-5822 if you will be late. Late pick-up procedures will be followed



MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
<p>1 <b>CLOSED</b> CANADA DAY</p> 	<p>2 WEEKLY ART: "I AM LIMITED EDITION" VICTORIA PARK</p>	<p>3 BOXING (C) SECOND BEACH POOL (SB)</p> 	<p>4 ANIMATION (C) NEW BRIGHTON POOL (SB)</p> 	<p>5 INDIGENOUS SERIES (C) KITS BEACH (SB)</p> 
<p>8 WEEKLY ART: CLAY EXPLORATION BAKING: BREAD IN A BAG TINY TOWN</p>	<p>9 TERRA NOVA ADVENTURE PARK (ALL)</p> 	<p>10 BOXING (C) EILEEN DAILY POOL (SB)</p> 	<p>11 KITS BEACH (C) PHOTOGRAPHY (SB)</p> 	<p>12 INDIGENOUS SERIES (SB) GARDEN WALK w/ GWFC (C)</p>
<p>15 WEEKLY ART: KITE MAKING COOKING: BRAZILIAN CHEESE BREAD TINY TOWN</p>	<p>16 McLEAN PARK (C) METRO VANCOUVER HIKE – UBC (SB)</p> 	<p>17 BRITANNIA LIBRARY (C) BOXING (SB)</p>	<p>18 PHOTOGRAPHY (C) BRITANNIA POOL (SB)</p>	<p>19 INDIGENOUS SERIES (SB) McLEAN WATER PARK</p>
<p>22 WEEKLY ART: PUPPET MAKING BAKING: OREO COOKIES TINY TOWN</p> 	<p>23 STANLEY PARK PLAYGROUND (ALL)</p> 	<p>24 PANDORA PARK (C) BOXING (SB)</p> 	<p>25 <b>BIG SPLASH</b> All children arrive by 10:00 am. Bring lunch, towel, swimsuit, water bottle <b>Centre will be closed at 5:30pm today.</b></p> 	<p>26 INDIGENOUS SERIES (C) SCIENCE WORLD (SB)</p> 
<p>29 WEEKLY ART: CARNIVAL MASKS COOKING: SALAD ROLLS TINY TOWN</p>	<p>30 TROUT LAKE (ALL)</p> 	<p>31 BOXING (C) CONFEDERATION PARK (SB)</p> 	<p><b>WEEKLY ACTIVITIES INCLUDE:</b> Circle Time/Town Hall Meetings; Baking/Cooking; Creative Arts; Crafts; Centre Play; Out Trips; Outdoor Play, and 5 o'clock Activity.</p>	

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<p>5</p> <p><b>BC DAY</b></p>  	<p>6</p> <p><b>WEEKLY ART: RECYCLED CRAFTS</b></p> <p><b>MCLEAN WATERPARK (C)</b></p> <p><b>LADNER SPIRIT TRAIL w BARRY (SB)</b></p> 	<p>7</p> <p><b>BOXING (C)</b></p> <p><b>SECOND BEACH POOL (SB)</b></p> 	<p>8</p> <p><b>PANDORA PARK (C)</b></p> <p><b>KITS BEACH (SB)</b></p> 	<p>9</p> <p><b>INDIGENOUS SERIES (SB)</b></p> <p><b>GARDEN WALK w/ GWFC (C)</b></p>
<p>12</p> <p><b>WEEKLY ART: PINATA MAKING</b></p> <p>BAKING: CHOCOLATE BANANA LOAF</p> <p><b>MIKE'S CRITTERS ANIMAL GUY</b></p> <p>TINY TOWN</p>	<p>13</p> <p><b>GARDEN PARK (C)</b></p> <p><b>RICE LAKE w BARRY (SB)</b></p> 	<p>14</p> <p><b>KITS BEACH (C)</b></p> <p><b>BOXING (SB)</b></p> 	<p>15</p>  <p><b>NORQUAY PARK (C)</b></p> <p><b>ENGLISH BAY (SB)</b></p> 	<p>16</p>  <p><b>CONFEDERATION PARK (C)</b></p> <p><b>INDIGENOUS SERIES (SB)</b></p>
<p>19</p> <p><b>WEEKLY ART: TIE DYE</b></p> <p>COOKING: MINI SAMOSA</p> <p>TINY TOWN</p>	<p>20</p> <p><b>STANLEY PARK WATER PARK (C)</b></p> <p><b>FIRST LAKE – MT SEYMOUR w BARRY (SB)</b></p> 	<p>21</p> <p><b>BOXING (C)</b></p> <p><b>BRITANNIA LIBRARY (SB)</b></p> 	<p>22</p> <p><b>BEAR CREEK WATER PARK/TRAIN (ALL)</b></p> 	<p>23</p> <p><b>INDIGENOUS SERIES (C)</b></p> <p><b>GARDEN WALK w/ GWFC (SB)</b></p>
<p>26</p> <p><b>WEEKLY ART: SENSORY WEEK</b></p> <p>BAKING: EGG TARTS</p> <p>TINY TOWN</p>	<p>27</p> <p><b>GEORGE C. REIFEL MIGRATORY BIRD SANCTUARY w BARRY (ALL)</b></p> 	<p>28</p> <p><b>MCLEAN PARK (C)</b></p> <p><b>BOXING (SB)</b></p> 	<p>29</p> <p><b>LAZY DAY AT THE CENTRE (ALL)</b></p>	<p>30</p>  <p><b>WE ARE CLOSED FOR PROGRAM PLANNING/CLEANING</b></p>

(C) = Coyotes on out trip (SB) = Spirit Bears: on out trip  
 ALL= Entire centre on out trip;  = Third Wave bus rental;  = Public transit

**BRING A TOWEL, BATHING SUIT, SUNSCREEN, HAT, WATER BOTTLE and NUT-FREE LUNCH every day. Please DO NOT send your child in flip-flops!**

Dear Families,

Welcome to our **ORCA “Outdoor Recreational and Creative Art”** summer program. Our mission is to provide a range of safe, stimulating, and nurturing environment. Our vision is to provide excellent child care that respects and nurtures the whole child, supports the needs of families, and builds a culture of kindness, respect, integrity, and inclusiveness within our community.

Each week, children will experience exciting and enriching activities. Children will be running, jumping, dancing, and playing while also creating fun art projects, doing fascinating science projects, exploring the world around them. Whatever we do, children will have fun playing and learning together, while building meaningful relationships with their peers. Children will be divided into two separate groups for age appropriate activities. ORCA Coyotes (grades K-3) and ORCA-Spirit Bears (grades 3-7) – *not a mistake, grades 3 are split by date of birth.*

**SUMMER HOURS/LOCATION:** Drop off and Pick up will be in the Child Care Centre room (located by Grandview Park) Hours: **7:30 am –5:45 pm.**

**ARRIVAL:** We ask that children arrive no later than **10:30 am**, unless otherwise stated on the calendar.

**PICK-UP:** Pick up by **5:45 pm**. Late charges will apply. Please call if you are going to be late. Late pick-up procedure will be followed.

**SUMMER CLOSURES:**

Canada Day - Monday July 1, 2024

BC Day Monday – August 5, 2024

Program closed – Friday August 30, 2024

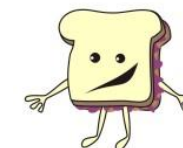


**LUNCHES:**

Pack a NUT FREE LUNCH every day. Please pack a portable lunch (one that does not require heating up, is highly recommended. ***Please refrain from packing pop and candy in lunches. Pop and Candy will be sent back home.***

**SNACKS:** Two snacks will be provided: Breakfast in the morning (which ends at 9:30 am) and a snack in the afternoon at 3:30 pm.

**Send your child with a nut free lunch & a labelled water bottle each day. Lunch time is 11:30am.**



**WHAT TO BRING EACH DAY:**

**Backpack** with lunch, hat, swimsuit, towel, sunscreen, an extra change of clothes and a water bottle (label items with your child’s name).

Please ensure you apply sunscreen to your child prior to coming to the centre.

**Please DO NOT send your child in flip-flops! They pose safety hazards at the centre and on fieldtrips.**



**TOYS FROM HOME:** All toys from home must be kept at home. We have a huge selection of toys and games. OSC is not responsible for lost/broken toys from home.

## PLAY IT FAIR - BUILDING INCLUSIVE COMMUNITIES TOOLKIT

Play It Fair! is an easy to use educational Toolkit developed by Equitas to promote human rights, non-discrimination and peaceful conflict resolution within non-formal education programs for children, such as summer camps or after school activities.

## OUTDOOR ADVENTURE WITH BARRY SKILLIN

Barry came to Britannia with a BAA in Photography and a diploma in Outdoor Recreation Technician - where he has incorporated his education and passion for the outdoors into his work. He has lead community members of all ages on day and multi-day trips throughout south-western BC hiking, biking, camping, snowshoeing, skiing, backpacking and canoeing. His goal is to promote safe, enjoyable outdoor recreational pursuits that develop an appreciation for our natural environment, as well as developing skills and passions that may turn outdoor activities into a life-long desire. He holds certifications in Backcountry Wilderness First Aid and is a Lakewater Instructor.



## TINY TOWN WHERE BIG IDEAS BEGIN!



We convert our entire centre into a tiny town - Children create a town with their own unique currency. The children may choose to create a post office, bakery, bank, car wash, school, hospital, the list goes on and on to what can be created and acted out. There is no limit to the imagination. Tiny Town is dramatic play on full blast action packed, high rolling drama. There is something for everyone to do, adults too!!

## COOKING & BAKING WITH OUR LITTLE MASTER CHEFS

Every Monday our little Master Chefs will create delicious creations to enjoy, from sushi, samosa, egg tart and homemade oreo cookies to name a few. Bon Appetit!



## INDIGENOUS SERIES



We would like to acknowledge that we are on the unceded territories of the Coast Salish Nation, the xʷməθkʷəy̓əm (Musqueam), sk̓wx̓wú7mesh (Squamish) and sel̓ilwítulh (Tseil-Waututh). We will continue to incorporate Indigenous local story books in our weekly programming. We will take inspiration from each story to do an arts/creative projects.

## BOXING



Having a blast with the Britannia Boxing program! The children will be taught by coach Jay Peterson who will be focusing on safety and the spirit of boxing: having fun while being active. They will be introduced to warm up activities, equipment and movements. All boxing will be with a coach on hand-held pads or guided on boxing bags. Boxing is a great activity for learning focus, respect, a love for movement and developing confidence.

