



Bridging Generations

Fall 2009

Upcoming Events:

How are you going to celebrate Grandparents Day—Sept. 13th, 2009?

Grandparents Day Contest

We would like to thank all of the children who participated in our Grandparents Day Contest. We had over 50 entrants from our members and children living in the general community. Many of our program participants won PNE tickets. We would like to thank the PNE for their generous donation.

Highlights

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“I like my grandparents because they love me for who I am.” Melodie, 10

“I like my grandparents because whenever I visit them they are always very happy.”

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Program Update:

We would like to thank our summer student, Eliza Sam, for all of her hard work and enthusiasm throughout the summer. She has played an instrumental role in creating the Grandparents Day Contest, updating program materials and planning the Annual BBQ at Confederation Park. We are going to miss her positive attitude and creative ideas. We wish her all the best in her future studies and endeavors.



Another Successful Event!

Our Annual BBQ, held at Confederation Park was a very successful event. In attendance were some volunteers from the community, families involved with VG, staff, Board Members and Volunteer Grandparents. We would also like to thank Mary and Paul Florio for attending and being present when this year's bursary recipients were announced.

Additionally, we would like to recognize the following contributors from the community who helped make the event such a success:

- Debbie from Heart Centre Yoga
- M & M Meat Shops
- Aznballer Productions Ltd,
- Le Kiu Importing Company
- Safeway