

Summer Special Events - 2010



Volunteer Grandparents

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Upcoming Events:

Kensington Community Fair:

Saturday, August 7th,
10:00am to 3:00pm at
Kensington Park
(Kensington and
Hastings) Free
Admission. Come find
us at the Volunteer
Burnaby booth

Volunteer Appreciation Event and Chevron's Movie in the Park:

Who: Volunteer
Grandparents' Program
Participants
Where: Confederation
Park, Burnaby
When: Sunday, August
29th, at 3pm
Why: To thank our
committed volunteers
and enjoy a nice
afternoon in the park

Volunteer Appreciation Event

It's that time of year again! On August 29th at 3pm we will be meeting in Confederation Park by the tennis courts to enjoy an afternoon filled with games, prizes and of course, food. Look for us under 2 bright blue tents with our banner flying between them. If possible please bring a few towels or lawn chairs to sit on since we may be unable to secure the picnic benches.

We have settled on the theme of **Rainbow** colours for our event. Come dressed in your favourite colour, if you can't pick, come dressed in all of them!

Here are some ideas for costume making on a budget (remember there's a 5 dollar limit!):

-Looking in the closet is a great place to start

-Tie dye yourself an outfit!
(<http://www.pburch.net/dyeing/howtodye.shtml>)

- Or maybe a cardboard rainbow
(<http://celebrations-holidays.helium.com/zone/2755-kids-halloween-costumes>)

-Don't forget about the pot of gold at the end of the rainbow!



Growing from the Roots

On the 24th of July we hosted our book launch for: *Growing from the Roots*. It was a huge success; a big thank you to all our participants that were able to come out. Our volunteers and sponsors received gifts and their copy of the book. Pictures from the launch can be found on our website shortly. If you are interested in purchasing a copy of

Growing from the Roots, we will be selling them at the Volunteer Appreciation Event and through our website (e-mail info@volunteergrandparents.ca for an order form). At the launch we also held a drawing and colouring contest. These were some of the beautiful submissions.

