

Hold the Date:

The Summer Volunteer Grandparents Picnic will be held on **Saturday, July 4, 2015** at Confederation Park in Burnaby. All program participants are welcome to attend this fun-filled event. If you would like to help out in any capacity please contact us. More information will be circulated next month.

Program Update:

We would like to welcome our Summer Student, Jamal Dumas to our organization. His main tasks will be to plan the upcoming summer picnic, broker Kids Up Front ticket opportunities and support us with program promotion.

Jamal Dumas is a 1st year student in the Faculty of Arts and Social Sciences at Simon Fraser University. A Burnaby native, he intends to complete a double major in Economics and Political Science. Jamal is actively involved with Debate and Public Speaking programs, teaching these skills to ESL students at an afterschool academy. In addition Jamal is a District Manager at the education non-profit, The ACE Foundation. In his spare time Jamal enjoys reading, exercising outdoors, and spending time with family and friends. Jamal is excited to join Volunteer Grandparents this summer and looks forward to meeting and assisting all of the volunteers who dedicate their time to improving the lives of children through intergenerational relationships.

