

## THANK YOU!

Our 10th Annual Volunteer Appreciation Picnic held on July 23, 2016 had a carnival theme, and it and gave us the opportunity to bring everyone together to celebrate the valuable contributions of our volunteers and program participants. We received over \$3,500 of community support from our wonderful donors, which made our event a huge success. Our senior volunteers, families, staff, and board members mingled, played games, and had lots of fun. They were entertained by Joseph the Magician and thoroughly enjoyed the wonderful food and drinks that was donated to us. We would like to thank all of our supporters who helped make this picnic so memorable.



## "Summertime summertime sum sum summertime..."

We were out in the community all summertime long and had so much fun. Click on each of these events to be connected our new website's [News & Events](#) page:

- [Hats Off Day](#) ● [Canada Day](#) ● [Edmonds City Fair](#) ●

## Did you know?

- **National Grandparents Day** is on **September 8**. To find out about the history of National Grandparents Day, head over to the [Legacy Project's](#) website.
- **National Seniors Day** is on **October 1**. Government of Canada's [Seniors in Canada](#) is for "seniors, caregivers, families and service organizations to celebrate seniors, gain knowledge of programs, initiatives and services in addition to exploring partnerships with people committed to improving the lives of Canadian seniors."

## We're in the news

Our Co-Op Student, Tam, wrote a great article about our organization and it will be published in the September 16 edition of the [Burnaby Now](#) newspaper.



## "Look up... way up"

We're celebrating National Grandparents Day in a friendly way this year. Our giant Volunteer Grandparents banner will be hung from the west bound side of the Canada Way pedestrian overpass near Burnaby City Hall. Be sure to look up... way up to see it the first week of September.

Thank you to the City of Burnaby for making this promotion opportunity possible.