

## **INFORMATION RELEASE**

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## Celebrate with the City at Cookies, Carols and More!

Wear your favourite holiday sweater or elf hat and celebrate the holiday season with the City of Parksville at *Cookies, Carols and More!* on Saturday, December 9 from 2 to 4 pm at the Parksville Community Centre on Jensen Avenue. Mark your calendars for this free, fun, full of holiday cheer community event. Everyone is welcome, it's not just for the kids!

The Christmas in the City event was cancelled last year due to the weather, so this year, we've moved indoors and switched to Saturday so more can attend. We are planning a great event with lots to keep you entertained, holiday music with a singalong, hot chocolate and eggnog bar, and of course cookies. Activities for kids, their families and the young at heart include ornament decorating, holiday colouring, special mailbox to write and drop off letters to Santa, and face painters. There will be a visit from Santa, and we have the perfect holiday photo backdrop, mistletoe, and props for your photos. Bring your camera and someone will be there to help you take the pictures.

Families, friends and neighbours, bring your holiday spirit to the Parksville Community Centre on Jensen Avenue. Should you wish, donations of non-perishable items will be accepted for the Salvation Army foodbank. Parksville Council looks forward to hosting our residents at *Cookies, Carols and More!* 



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## For more information:

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The City of Parksville is located on the traditional territory of the Coast Salish Nations, home to the Snaw-Naw-As First Nation and the Qualicum First Nation.

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