

Art Contest to Celebrate *Water in Parksville*

Parksville, BC – To celebrate and recognize the significance of World Water Day on March 22, the City of Parksville and the Oceanside Community Arts Council have partnered to present a World Water Day Art Contest, themed as "Water in Parksville".

The City is pleased to work with the Oceanside Community Arts Council in inviting artists of all ages to submit a recent two dimensional original piece of art or photo with "Water in Parksville" as the theme. The contest is open to all residents of Parksville, students attending a school in Parksville and business owners in Parksville.

An entry form and contest details are available on the websites of the City of Parksville www.parksville.ca and the Oceanside Community Arts Council www.oceansideartscouncil.com. Copies are also available at City Hall during regular office hours. Deadline for entries is April 16. The winner's artwork will be featured on the City's AquaStar Water Awareness promotional material with credit to the artist.

The City of Parksville is committed to reducing water consumption in Parksville by 10% in 2010. The City's AquaStar Water Awareness program is an initiative of this goal.

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