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Parksville Fire Department to Celebrate 75th Anniversary

The Parksville Volunteer Fire Department turns seventy-five in 2017 and to mark this historic occasion, the department will host an Open House and Show & Shine on Saturday, July 22 in downtown Parksville.

Firefighting apparatus will be on display from 10 am to 3 pm in the parking area adjacent to the fire station (between the fire station and City Hall). Special attractions will include classic fire equipment from communities on Vancouver Island as well as the equipment now in use at neighbouring fire departments.

Save the date, July 22, and celebrate an historic day with the Parksville Fire Department established in 1942. The open house will feature, live demonstrations, station tours and anniversary activities. This will be an exciting event for children and adults and we invite your family to come celebrate with us. Light refreshments will be available by donation.

Fire Chief Marc Norris said, “Our 75th anniversary celebration is an opportunity to make the community aware of the breadth of the department’s service to the Parksville Fire Protection Area and it’s also the perfect opportunity to meet Parksville’s dedicated on-call firefighters.”

Additional details will be available closer to the event.

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