



City of Parksville

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Thank You, Volunteers!

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COMMUNITY VOLUNTEERS ARE AWESOME!



April 23 to April 29 is Volunteer Week in Parksville, an opportunity for us to acknowledge the outstanding contributions of volunteers and community organizations. Volunteers contribute to the well-being of our community and without their dedication, it would be impossible to sustain the services we all enjoy. We recognize the time volunteers give and the richness they bring to our community. Volunteer.ca/nvw2017



More Things to Know

- Parksville Beach remains closed to dogs, both on-leash and off-leash, until April 30.
• Reminder to residents that utility notices covering water, sewer, garbage and recycling are due April 28.
• Check out the Oceanside Running Club event on May 14 with proceeds to Parksville Haven Society.
• Mark your calendars for the 2017 Emergency Preparedness Expo set for Saturday, May 27 at the Parksville Curling Rink.



Future of Parksville Parks

Vancouver Island University students are continuing their work to update the City's Community Park master plan and parks and trails information.

Next steps include a survey and a second world café to be held in the Community Park in June. In early May, residents will receive a mailed postcard providing a website link to an online parks survey.

City Services

Arbutus Point – Shoreline Restoration

The City is planning to undertake beach protection work near the labyrinth at Arbutus Point to protect the park from the effects of erosion.

Corfield Street Upgrade

The Corfield Street capital works construction from Highway 19A to Stanford Avenue will take place this summer.

Moss Avenue Upgrade

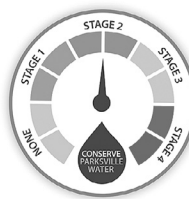
Local consulting company, Koers & Associates Engineering, has been hired by the City to undertake preliminary and detailed design for the upgrade of Moss Avenue.

Annual Wood Chipping Program

The City's wood chipping program starts today and runs until May 9. Details are available on our website [Newsroom/Public Notices] and collection dates for neighbourhoods will be advertised in the PQB News.

Stage 2 Water Restrictions

Stage 2 watering restrictions are in effect from May to September (unless otherwise notified) and allow for every other day lawn watering between 7-10 am or 7-10 pm for a maximum of two hours.



Parksville Broomfest – May 6

Council is working with Broombusters Invasive Plant Society to host another broombusting event in Parksville on Saturday, May 6 from 9.30 am to noon.

Scotch broom invades any open space; evident at the Parksville interchanges. For the past nine years, Broombusters have worked with the City to get rid of broom, from late April through May.



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