

Special Events

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28th Annual Swiftsure Breakfast

The Fairfield Gonzales Community Association is proud to host the 28th Annual Swiftsure Breakfast. A spring highlight, the event offers a great opportunity to enjoy a healthy continental breakfast outdoors while taking in the start of the famous Swiftsure International Yacht Race.

Fairfield Community Place **1/\$0**
30835 S May 29 8:30–11:30 a.m.

Fairfield Artists Studio Tour

Come out and experience the creative works of area artists while enjoying a walk through Fairfield at the Annual Fairfield Artists Studio Tour. For details and our event map visit our website www.fairfieldcommunity.ca. Both the tour and the group show are FREE to the public! Opening celebration and group show Friday April 23.

Fairfield Community Place **3/\$0**
30355 F,S,Su Apr 23 - 25

James Bay Community Picnic

Join us for the 10th Annual Community Picnic. We have something for all ages. Delight in the Bouncy Castle, face painting, tasty food, stilt walkers, live music and more. The event also includes a huge silent auction featuring great gifts and certificates from local businesses. All are welcome to this fun event. To volunteer, please phone 250.389.1470.

James Bay Community School Centre **Free**
31651 W Jun 16 3:30–6:30 p.m.

Oaklands Celebration at the Centre

Head over to Oaklands Community Centre for their annual Celebration of the Oaklands Community. There will be all sorts of fun entertainment to enjoy, including bouncy castles, live music, food, and more!

Oaklands Community Centre **Free**
30674 Sun July 11 1–4 p.m.

FernFest 2010

Join us for our annual neighbourhood celebration of all things Fernwood! Music, food, children's activities, seniors tea and more.

Fernwood Square **Free**
Jun 19–Jun 20



Selkirk Waterfront Festival

A free family friendly annual outdoor festival for all ages. Activities include a variety of cultural /musical performances, a family fun fair, food vendors and artisans market.

Burnside Gorge Community Centre **Free**
30781 S May 29 10–3 p.m.

Oaklands Gigantic Garage Sale

Our community Garage Sale is a great way to get rid of some of your stuff before summer comes. Rent a table for only \$15 and sell your stuff. Concession items will be available for your purchase.

Oaklands Community Centre **\$20/Table**
30673 S May 1 9:30–12 p.m.

Easter Eggstravaganza

Come to Oaklands as we celebrate this great holiday. Decorate eggs, make stained glass, design your very own cards and hunt for chocolate Easter eggs. This event is designed for families to enjoy the special time of year.

Oaklands Community Centre **1/\$3**
30629 S Mar 27 10–11:30 a.m.

The Dance of Spices

Bollywood Cuisine and Dance with Heidi and Kiran. Blending the best from the traditions of India, Chef Heidi and Dance Instructor Kiran will guide you through a fun-filled, danceable, and delicious evening guaranteed to awaken the senses. Segments of dance instruction, Bollywood-style, will be interspersed with a professional cooking demonstration of authentic Indian cuisine. Learn dance moves that will have you dancing like a Bollywood star, and learn how to make vibrant, full-bodied Indian food, all in one incredible class.

Fairfield Community Place **1/\$70**
31750 S Apr 10 5:30–8:30 p.m.

Phatapalooza

Come to Oaklands to enjoy some live music with your friends. We're having an awesome concert with door prizes. It's affordable at \$10 and grades 8–12 are welcome! Must buy a ticket to get in. See you there!

Oaklands Community Centre **1/\$10**
31708 F Jun 25 7–9:30 p.m.



Phat Finale

Oaklands is celebrating the end of the school year with a Phat Fridays finale. This is a great way to say goodbye to school and hello to fun in the sun! Food and entertainment will be provided. For grades 5–7.

Oaklands Community Centre 1/\$10
30672 F Jun 18 6:30–9:30 p.m.

1ST Annual CARDBOARD BOAT DERBY AT CRYSTAL POOL



The Crystal Pool is teaming up with Boys & Girls Club Services of Greater Victoria in celebration of their 50th anniversary in our community by hosting the first ever indoor Cardboard Boat Derby in the pool May 1st from 10a.m.– 2p.m.. The event will include the build off (cardboard and Duct tape only), semi finals and finals with prizes, costume contests, dj, BB Que and more! Divisions include: grade 6, grade 7 and grade 8.

Register your four person team at any local Boys and Girls Club or at the Crystal Pool & Fitness Centre. \$40 per team, lunch included.

OUTDOOR CONCERTS & EVENTS

Stage in the Park

Cameron Bandshell, Beacon Hill Park

Everyone Welcome

Cameron Bandshell is an outdoor performance venue located in the middle of the City's beautiful Beacon Hill Park off Arbutus Way and Bridge Way. It is alive with activity during May to September hosting a variety of events and concerts on its stage including dance, theatre, band concerts, choral performances, community events and more. Bench seating and the surrounding grass areas provide a perfect spot for spectators to relax and enjoy these FREE performances. You're welcome to bring your own lawn chair.

Enjoy the popular Concert Series of:

Sunday and Holiday Concerts In the Park – June 14 to September 20.

Friday Seniors Concerts in the Park – June 12 to September 18 and Saturdays Jazz in the Park through July and August (except July 25). All series concerts begin at 1:30 p.m.

Inquire about the many other concerts and events scheduled throughout the summer.

Call 250.361.0361 for more information or check out the City website www.victoria.ca

RENTALS

Looking for a venue for a group meeting, evening class or social function. Consider renting space with the Fairfield Gonzales Community Association. We have rooms available for both one time bookings as well as longer term use.

Contact John at 250.382.4604 or visit www.fairfieldcommunity.ca for more info about our facility and rental possibilities.