WANTED: Children to Help Us Improve Playgrounds at Two Victoria Parks

Date: Thursday, February 13, 2014

VICTORIA, BC — Children, bring your parents to an open house to learn more and “show and tell” City Parks staff what type of playground equipment you’d like to see at Alexander Park and Hollywood Park. This year, the City of Victoria will upgrade the aging equipment at these two neighbourhood playgrounds to meet national safety standards and to better meet the needs of the community.

Alexander Park playground is located on Bay Street, between Fernwood Road and Oregon Avenue. Hollywood Park playground is located on Fairfield Road, between St. Charles and Earle Streets.

Take the opportunity to view displays and place stickers next to your favourite play equipment, or draw your vision for the play area. Meet Parks planners and ask questions, suggest park improvements, and complete a short survey.

OPEN HOUSE: Upgrades to Alexander Park Playground
Wednesday, February 19, 2014, 3 p.m. – 7 p.m.
Fernwood Community Centre, Multipurpose Room
1240 Gladstone Avenue

OPEN HOUSE: Upgrades to Hollywood Park Playground
Tuesday, February 25, 2014, 5 p.m. – 8 p.m.
Margaret Jenkins Elementary School, Library
1824 Fairfield Road

Registration is not required. Complimentary refreshments will be served. Parking is available on-street and in the school’s parking lot.

Information panels and a short survey for each playground will be available on the City of Victoria website by the date of each open house. Surveys can be submitted up to March 31, 2014 online, by fax to 250.361.0615 or by mail to City of Victoria Parks Division, #1 Centennial Square, Victoria, BC V8W 1P6. To make an appointment to view the panels in person at the City Parks office in Beacon Hill Park, call 250.361.0600.

Your family’s input will help inform the playground improvements. For more information, visit: www.victoria.ca

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