



**North Park Neighbourhood Association
March 2024 Monthly Meeting**

DATE: Tuesday, March 11th, 2024

TIME: 6:30 pm

LOCATION: Community Room at [1025 Mason Street](#)

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Zoom <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88416867584>

Phone in: 778-907-2071 (Meeting ID: 884 1686 7584)

6:30: Territorial acknowledgement, opening remarks & introductions

The North Park Neighbourhood Association acknowledges the homelands of the Lekwungen Speaking Peoples, known today as the Songhees and Esquimalt First Nations, on whose lands we are living, working, and collaborating.

Attendance / Introductions.

Board members present: Kaitie Fillion,
Guests: Bri Godsmen (NPNA), Courtney Miller(NPNA), Jessica Murray (NPNA) Gary Pemberton, Cenit Munoz (VIRCS)

Other:

This meeting's theme is community grants and event planning. Our City Liaison Gary Pemberton will be in attendance to share information about the my great neighbourhood grant and other opportunities to support small community events and projects.

6:35 pm City of Victoria Update - Gary Pemberton (info on My Great Neighbourhood Grant)

- **My Great Neighbourhood Grants:** Offered by the City of Victoria, these grants provide up to \$7,500 for placemaking and community resilience projects, and up to \$1,500 for events and activities. The community must match the funding through volunteer hours and/or other contributions.

6:45 pm AGM Announcement- Jessica Murray (NPNA)

We will be holding our AGM Tuesday April 29th at 6pm. Location TBA.

- We will announce the location this week



- Anyone interested in running for the board must give prior written consent to having their name brought forward by filling out an application form
- The form will go up on our website this week and will need to be submitted by April 18th
- An info session for prospective members will be held before the application deadline
- April 8th and May 13th community meetings will be cancelled due to the proximity to our AGM.

7:00 pm: North Park Events and Updates - Bri Godsman (NPNA)

Wednesday, March 12th- 1701 Quadra Street (in our office)-Naloxone training.

Saturday, March 15th- 1025 Mason Street (Bosa Community Room) -Craft circle. Paint a Pot night.

Wednesday, April 9th, 3:30 pm- 932 Balmoral (First Met Kitchen)- Hot Water Bath Canning Workshop

Saturday, April 19 th 11:00 am- 932 Balmoral (First Met Courtyard) Easter Egg Hunt

Wednesday, April 23rd, 5:30 pm- 932 Balmoral (First Met Kitchen) Fermenting Veggies Workshop

7:15 pm: Guest speaker- Cenit Munoz VIRCS

- Seedling distribution at Franklin Green Park this spring and summer!
- Saturday, March 22
- Saturday, May 17
- Saturday, August 09

7:30 Questions/ action items-

Questions for Cenit Munoz (VIRCS), Gary Pemberton (City of Victoria), NPNA Board and Staff.