



# New Westminster Family Place

A family resource program for families with children 0-5 years old

## April 2017

Sun	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Sat
<p>Like Us on Facebook</p> <p>@newwestminsterfamilyplace</p> 						1
2	3 Drop In ~~ Drop In	4 Drop In Clothing Exchange Drop In	5 Drop In Parent Coaching Sessions (must pre-register) ~~ Office Hours	6 Drop In Child Development ~~ Nobody's Perfect	7 Drop In ~~ Office Hours	8
9	10 Drop In ~~ Drop In	11 Drop In ~~ Drop In	12 Easter Party Must pre-register <b>No Drop In</b> ~~ Office Hours	13 Drop In ~~ Nobody's Perfect	14 Closed for Good Friday	15
16	17 Closed for Easter Monday	18 Drop In Clothing Exchange Drop In	19 Drop In Community Resources ~~ Office Hours	20 Drop In ~~ Nobody's Perfect	21 Drop In ~~ Office Hours	22
23	24 Drop In ~~ Drop In	25 Drop In ~~ Drop In	26 Drop In Choosing Suitable Daycare ~~ Office Hours	27 Drop In Public Health Nurse ~~ Nobody's Perfect	28 Drop In Birthday Party ~~ Office Hours	29
30	<p><b>Main Site:</b> 101 – 93 Sixth Street, New Westminster V3L 2Z8</p> <p><b>Drop In Hours:</b> Mornings 9:30 – 11:30 Monday – Friday Afternoons 1:00 – 3:00 Monday &amp; Tuesday</p>				<p><b>Phone:</b> 604-520-3666</p> <p><b>Website:</b> nwfamily.bc.ca</p>	
<p><b>More program information on the back.</b></p>						

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**101 – 93 Sixth Street, New Westminster 604-520-3666**

**Lord Kelvin Elementary School Drop In Program:** Join us on Tuesday, **Wednesday** & Friday mornings from 9:00 – 11:00 for our family drop-in program at 1010 Hamilton Street. (We are in the green portable on the 7<sup>th</sup> Avenue side). Enjoy playtime, art, playdough, snacks and songs. This program is closed when the school is closed. Closed April 14<sup>th</sup>

\*\*\*\* **Now open on Wednesdays instead of Thursdays** \*\*\*\* *Funded by the United Way*



**Parent-Child Mother Goose Program** is a group experience for parents and their young children 1 year to 4 years old. Trained facilitators focus on the pleasure and power of sharing rhymes, songs and stories. Pre-registration is required. Phone for details about the next session.

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**Nobody's Perfect Parenting Program** is for parents of children aged 0 – 5, running for six consecutive Thursdays from 1:30 – 3:30 at our main site. The next session will start April 13<sup>th</sup>. Childminding is provided and pre-registration is required.

**Immigrant Grandparents & Grandchildren Learning Together** is on Fridays from 12:30 – 2:00 at Qayqayt Elementary School Neighbourhood Learning Centre located at 85 Merivale Street. This program is closed when the school is closed. Closed April 14<sup>th</sup>

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**Dates to Remember in April**

**Apr 4<sup>th</sup> & 18<sup>th</sup>** Clothing Exchange – gently used children's clothing available in the morning and afternoon sessions. The clothing exchange is open to Family Place clients only. Minimum \$2 donation.

**Apr 6<sup>th</sup>** Child Development Specialist will be here to answer your questions. 10:00 – 11:00

**Apr 11<sup>th</sup>** Pasta Morning! The children receive a hot pasta snack in the morning session. There will be a healthy snack served in the afternoon session.

**Apr 12<sup>th</sup>** Easter Party! Enjoy some special Easter art and story time with the children's librarian. This is a potluck party so bring a prepared food dish to share. **You must pre-register. NO DROP IN TODAY.**

**Apr 27<sup>th</sup>** Public Health Nurse will be here to answer your questions. 10:00 – 11:00

**Apr 28<sup>th</sup>** Birthday Party! Everyone is invited to celebrate with children born this month. Be sure to tell the staff if your child has a birthday this month.

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**Parent Education:** Childminding is provided. Please arrive at 9:30 to settle your children in the playroom.

**Apr 5<sup>th</sup> Parent Coaching Sessions:** An opportunity to discuss your family situation in a one-to-one setting with a parenting coach from Information Children. Common topics include: behaviour & discipline; challenges at meal times; sleep; whining and temper tantrums; parenting disagreements or any other parenting issue, big or small. **Must pre-register**

**Apr 19<sup>th</sup> Community Resources:** Join Marjorie to learn more about other services in New Westminster.

**Apr 26<sup>th</sup> Choosing Suitable Daycare:** Learn what to look for and what questions to ask before you leave your child in the care of others. The speaker is from YMCA Child Care Resource and Referral (CCRR)

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