



New Westminster Family Place

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

October 2017

Sun	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Sat
1	2 Drop In ~~ Drop In	3 Drop In Clothing Exchange Drop In	4 Drop In Bonding Through Songs & Rhymes ~~ Office Hours	5 Drop In Child Development Specialist ~~ Nobody's Perfect	6 Drop In ~~ Office Hours	7
8	9 Closed for Thanksgiving	10 Drop In Pasta Morning ~~ Drop In	11 Drop In Emergency Preparedness ~~ Office Hours	12 Drop In ~~ Office Hours	13 Drop In ~~ Office Hours	14
15	16 Drop In ~~ Drop In	17 Drop In Clothing Exchange Drop In	18 Drop In Parent Coaching Sessions (Must Pre-register) ~~ Office Hours	19 Drop In ~~ Office Hours	20 Drop In ~~ Office Hours	21
22	23 Drop In ~~ Drop In	24 Drop In ~~ Drop In	25 Halloween Party (Must Pre-register) No Drop In Today ~~ Office Hours	26 Drop In Public Health Nurse ~~ Office Hours	27 Drop In Birthday Party ~~ Office Hours	28
29	30 Drop In ~~ Drop In	31 Drop In ~~ Drop In	Like Us on Facebook @newwestminsterfamilyplace 			

Main Site: 101 – 93 Sixth Street, New Westminster V3L 2Z8

Phone: 604-520-3666

Drop In Hours: Mornings 9:30 – 11:30 Monday – Friday

Afternoons 1:00 – 3:00 Monday & Tuesday

Website: nwfamily.bc.ca

More program information on the back.

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Lord Kelvin Elementary School Drop In Program: Join us on Tuesday, Wednesday & Friday mornings for our family drop-in program at 1010 Hamilton Street. (We are in the green portable on the 7th Avenue side). Enjoy playtime, art, playdough, snacks and songs. This program is closed when the school is closed. **Closed Oct 6th & 20th** *Note new time 9:30 – 11:30
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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. *Funded by the United Way*

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 Nov 2nd. 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 Oct 6th & 20th**

Dates to Remember in October

Oct 3rd & 17th 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.

Oct 5th Child Development Specialist will be here to answer your questions. 10:00 – 11:00

Oct 10th Pasta Morning! The children receive a hot pasta snack in the morning session. There will be a healthy snack served in the afternoon session.

Oct 25th Halloween Party. This is a “**potluck**” party so please bring a prepared food item to share. If you or your child have a costume please dress up. **Pre-registration required. NO DROP IN TODAY.**

Oct 26th Public Health Nurse will be here to answer your questions. 10:00 – 11:00

Oct 27th 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.

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

Oct 4th – Bonding Through Songs & Rhymes: Join Gordana to learn new songs and rhymes to share and enjoy with your children.

Oct 11th - Emergency Preparedness: Are you prepared for an emergency? *Earthquake. Fire. Flood.* Learn how to prepare for these events.

Oct 18th – Parent Coaching: 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.**