



New Westminster Family Place

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

December 2017						
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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 9:30 – 11:30 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 Dec 22nd – Jan 5th** Re-open on Tues. Jan 9th

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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. Next session is Jan 16 – Mar 6 from 10 – 11:30 at the Queensborough Community Centre.

Pre-registration is required

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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 Jan 11, 2017. There will also be **Saturday** session running noon to 2 pm from January 27 – March 17 at the Sixth Street site. 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 Dec 22nd – Jan 5th**

Dates to Remember in December

- Dec 5th & 19th** 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.
- Dec 7th** Child Development Specialist will be here to answer your questions. 10:00 – 11:00
- Dec 18th** Christmas Party in the morning and afternoon. This is a potluck party so bring a prepared food dish to share. **You must pre-register. NO DROP IN TODAY.**
- Dec 20th** Christmas Tea for Parents. Escape the hustle and bustle of the holidays and relax in the parents room with tea and cookies while the children have fun in the playroom.
- Dec 21st** Public Health Nurse will be here to answer your questions. 10:00 – 11:00
- Dec 22nd** 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.

- Dec 6th Cold & Flu Prevention :** Learn what you can do to keep yourself and your family healthy over the cold & flu season. Join Wendy, from “A Nurse Next Door” for information and discussion.
- Dec 13th Family Yoga:** Stretch, breathe & relax with Dorothy, a certified yoga instructor who is also an early childhood educator. Children will participate with their parents.