

**VANCOUVER BOARD OF PARKS & RECREATION  
2003 ANNUAL SPECIAL EVENTS**

<b>EVENT</b>	<b>SITE</b>	<b>ORGANIZATION</b>	<b>2003</b>
ENGLISH BAY POLAR BEAR SWIM	ENGLISH BAY	PARK BOARD - THE PROVINCE	JAN 1
XMAS TREE CHIPPING	SUNSET/TROUT LAKE/KITS	CITY OF VANCOUVER	JAN 4 & 5
FIRST HALF- ½ MARATHON	ENGLISH BAY & STANLEY PARK SEAWALL	PACIFIC ROADRUNNERS	FEB 9
EASTER EGG HUNT	CHAMPLAIN FIELD	CHAMPLAIN CC	APR 19
LG AND ROBIN'S RUN	QUEEN ELIZABETH PARK	ALS SOCIETY OF BC	APR 6
SUPER CITIES WALK	LUMBERMAN'S ARCH & SEAWALL	MS SOCIETY	APR 27
VANCOUVER SUN RUN	THROUGH STANLEY PARK	VANCOUVER SUN & LANDMARK SPORTS GROUP	APR 13
VANCOUVER INTERNATIONAL MARATHON	THROUGH STANLEY PARK	VANCOUVER INTERNATIONAL MARATHON SOCIETY	MAY 4
BASSET HOUND WALK	PROSPECT POINT PICNIC SITE	BASSET HOUND CLUB OF BC	MAY 4
FRENCH DRESSING WOMEN 8KM RUN	QUEEN ELIZABETH PARK & NAT BAILEY STADIUM	EFFECTIVE EVENTS	MAY 11

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FARMERS' MARKET	TROUT LAKE PARKING LOT  RILEY PARK/NAT BAILEY	EAST VAN FARMERS MARKET SOCIETY  EAST VAN FARMER'S MARKET SOCIETY	WEEKENDS FROM MAY 17 - OCT 11  SATURDAYS APRIL 5 - MAY 10 WEDNESDAYS MAY 14 - OCT 8
CHILDREN'S FESTIVAL	VANIER PARK	CHILDREN'S FESTIVAL	SET-UP: MAY 11-25 EVENT: MAY 26 - JUNE 1 TAKE DOWN: JUNE 2 - 6
HIP HOORAY WALK	SPANISH BANKS	UBC DEPT OF ORTHOPEDICS	MAY 25
RELAY FOR A FRIEND	STANLEY PARK BROCKTON OVAL	BC CANCER SOCIETY	MAY 30, 31
BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT	CREEK SIDE PARK/ GAZEBO AREA	IMPACT MARKETING GROUP	JUNE 7, 8
KHALSA DIWAN SPORTS DAY	MEMORIAL SOUTH PARK	KHALSA DIWAN SOCIETY	MAY 18 & 19
RUN FOR LIGHT	STANLEY PARK LUMBERMAN'S ARCH	BC BLIND SPORTS	MAY 30
WORLD VISION RUN	SPANISH BANKS WEST	WORLD VISION CANADA	MAY 24
INTERNATIONAL AIDS CANDLELIGHT MEMORIAL	ALEXANDRA PARK	VANCOUVER AIDS CANDLELIGHT MEMORIAL COMMITTEE	MAY 25

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PARTNERSHIP WALK & BBQ	STANLEY PARK LUMBERMAN'S ARCH	AGA KHAN FOUNDATION	SET-UP MAY 24 EVENT MAY 25
ANNUAL WALK/PICNIC	STANLEY PARK CEPERLEY PICNIC SITE	VANCOUVER RAPE RELIEF	MAY 25
SALMONBERRY DAYS	MEMORIAL WEST PARK	DUNBAR CC	MAY 25
CHILD RUN	QUEEN ELIZABETH PARK ROADWAYS	BC CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL FOUNDATION	JUNE 1
SCIENCE FAIR FOUNDATION RUN	CHARLESON PARK	SCIENCE FAIR FOUNDATION OF BC	JUNE 1
CELEBRATE MT. PLEASANT	GUELPH PARK	MT. PLEASANT CC	JUNE 7
RAIN RUN	STANLEY PARK LUMBERMAN'S ARCH	COMPENSATION AND ACCOUNTABILITY TO SOAKED HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION	JUNE 7
SILENT WALK/RUN	STANLEY PARK CEPERLEY PICNIC SITE	BC DEAF SPORTS	JUNE 1
GUIDE DOG WALK	STANLEY PARK LUMBERMAN'S ARCH	B.C. GUIDE DOGS	JUNE 8
LITTLE MOUNTAIN NEIGHBOURHOOD DAY	RILEY PARK	RILEY PARK CC	JUNE 8
VAN DUSEN GARDEN SHOW	VAN DUSEN GARDENS	VAN DUSEN BOTANICAL GARDEN ASSOCIATION	JUNE 12 - 15
CHAMPLAIN SUMMER COUNTRY FAIR	CHAMPLAIN PARK	CHAMPLAIN CC	JUNE 14

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BARD ON THE BEACH	VANIER PARK	BARD ON THE BEACH THEATRE COMPANY	SETUP: JUNE 2 - 11 EVENT: JUNE 11 - SEPT21 TAKE DOWN: SEPT22-OCT1
HEEL'N'WHEEL A-THON	JERICHO/SPANISH BANKS	CROHN'S & COLITIS FOUNDATION	JUNE 22
POINT GREY FIESTA	TRIMBLE PARK	POINT GREY FIESTA	JUNE 19,20,21
DRAGON BOAT FESTIVAL	COOPERS PARK	DRAGON BOAT SOCIETY	SETUP: JUNE 10, 11, 12 EVENT: JUNE 13,14,15 TAKE DOWN: JUNE 16
CIRCUS OF DREAMS	MACLEAN PARK	PUBLIC DREAMS SOCIETY	MID-JUNE
SCOTIA BANK ½ MARATHON	SEAWALL/ LUMBERMAN'S ARCH	RUNNERS CHOICE	JUNE 22
JAZZ FEST	DAVID LAM PARK	COASTAL JAZZ & BLUES SOCIETY	JUNE 26- 30
21 GUN SALUTE	STANLEY PARK BROCKTON POINT	ROYAL CAN. ARTILLERY	JULY 1
CANADA DAY EVENTS	VARIOUS CC - BRIT, HASTINGS, TR. LAKE, SUNSET, COAL HARBOUR	VARIOUS COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION	JULY 1

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VANCOUVER FOLK MUSIC FESTIVAL	JERICO BEACH PARK	VANCOUVER FOLK MUSIC FESTIVAL SOCIETY	SET UP: JULY 5-16 EVENT: JULY 16-20 TAKE DOWN: JULY 21-25
SANDCASTLE COMPETITION	SPANISH BANKS WEST BEACH	WEST POINT GREY CC	MID-JULY
ENGLISH BAY OPEN WATER SWIM	KITS BEACH/ENGLISH BAY	VANCOUVER OPEN WATER SWIM ASSOCIATION	MID-JULY
OBON FESTIVAL	OPPENHEIMER PARK	VANCOUVER BUDDHIST CHURCH	JULY 13
FRASER RIVER WORK BOAT PARADE	FRASER RIVER PARK	MARPOLE MUSEUM & HERITAGE SOCIETY	MID-JULY
LONGSHOREMAN'S PICNIC	TROUT LAKE PICNIC SITE	LONGSHOREMAN'S UNION	JULY 17
DANSKIN WALK/ RUN	LOCARNO BEACH	LEADING EDGE	JULY 20
STANLEY PARK OPEN TENNIS TOURNEY	STANLEY PARK TENNIS COURTS	TENNIS BC	SET UP: JULY 7-11 EVENT: JULY 11-27 TAKE DOWN: JULY 28 & 29
WALK WITH THE DRAGON	STANLEY PARK - LUMBERMAN'S ARCH	SUCCESS	SET UP: JULY 19 EVENT: JULY 20
SUMMERFAST RUN	STANLEY PARK SEAWALL	VANCOUVER FALCONS ATHLETICS CLUB	JULY 26

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MOLSON'S INDY	CREEKSIDE PARK	MOLSON INDY CANADA & CANADIAN INDY MOTORS	JULY 25, 26, 27
ILLUMINARES	JOHN HENDRY/TROUT LAKE	PUBLIC DREAMS SOCIETY	JULY 26
PRIDE COMMUNITY PICNIC	PROSPECT POINT PICNIC SITE	VANCOUVER PRIDE SOCIETY	JULY 26
CELEBRATION OF LIGHT	ENGLISH BAY	VANCOUVER FIREWORKS CELEBRATION OF LIGHT SOCIETY	JULY 30, AUG 2, 6, 9
CELEBRATION OF LIGHT	PLANETARIUM & VANIER PARK	PACIFIC SPACE CENTRE SOCIETY & BARD ON THE BEACH	TBA
PACIFIC RIM KITE FESTIVAL	VANIER POINT	BC KITE FLYERS ASSOCIATION	AUG 3, 4
PRIDE PARADE & FESTIVAL	BEACH AVENUE/ SUNSET BEACH PARK	VANCOUVER PRIDE ASSOCIATION	AUG 3
KID'S CARNIVAL	WOODLAND PARK	BRITANNIA CC	AUG 9
VOLLEYBALL PRO TOUR CHAMPIONSHIP	KITS BEACH	BC VOLLEYBALL ASSOCIATION	AUG 7-10
PACIFIC BEACH SOCCER BLAST	SPANISH BANKS EAST BEACH	UBC ATHLETICS DEPARTMENT	AUG 15,16,17
PICNIC IN THE PARK	CONNAUGHT PARK	KITSILANO CC	AUG 9
FOOTBAG TOURNAMENT	STANLEY PARK BROCKTON/TOTEM MEADOW	KITS FOOTBAG ASSOCIATION	TBA

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EASTER SEALS REGATTA (HEINEKEN)	HASTINGS MILL PARK	BC LIONS SOCIETY FOR CHILDREN WITH DISABILITIES	TBA
ISKCON PARADE & FESTIVAL OF INDIA	STANLEY PARK - CEPERLEY FIELD & BEACH AVE.	INTERNATIONAL SOC. FOR KRISHNA CONSCIOUSNESS	AUG 15, 16, 17
MUSTANG CAR DISPLAY	SPANISH BANKS WEST	GREATER VANCOUVER MUSTANG ASSOCIATION	SEPT 7
ISMALI WALK HABITAT FOR HUMANITARIAN	STANLEY PARK LUMBERMAN'S ARCH	ISMALI COUNCIL OF BC	SEP 6, 7
COHO RUN	STANLEY PARK PARKWAY ENGLISH BAY SEAWALL	COHO FESTIVAL SOCIETY	SEPT 7
SUPERWALK	STANLEY PARK - CEPERLEY FIELD	BC PARKINSON'S DISEASE ASSOC.	SEPT 13
TERRY FOX RUN	STANLEY PARK - CEPERLEY	FOUR SEASONS HOTEL	SET UP: SEPT 13 EVENT: SEPT 14
SHARE OF THE WEALTH FESTIVAL	DOUGLAS PARK	DOUGLAS PARK C.C.	SEPT 14
BATTLE OF BRITAIN MEMORIAL SERVICE	RCAF GARDEN STANLEY PARK PAVILION	802 DOGWOOD WING	SEPT 14
WALK FOR AIDS	STANLEY PARK-CEPERLEY SEAWALL, LOST LAGOON	PERSON WITH AIDS SOCIETY	SET UP: SEPT 20 EVENT: SEPT 21
TURKEY TROT	FALSE CREEK SEAWALL	VANCOUVER SPORT & SOCIAL CLUB	OCT 13
WALK/RIDE FOR DISABLED	PROSPECT POINT & TRAILS	BACK COUNTRY HORSEMEN OF BC	OCT 12

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DAY OF THE LONGBOAT	JERICO BEACH	UBC INTRAMURAL SPORTS	SEPT. 26, 27 OCT. 4, 5
PARADE OF LOST SOULS	GRANDVIEW PARK	PUBLIC DREAMS SOCIETY	OCT.25
BC X-COUNTRY CHAMPIONSHIPS	JERICO PARK	BC ATHLETICS	TBA
JAMES CUNNINGHAM MEMORIAL SEAWALL RACE	STANLEY PARK CEPERLEY FIELD	LIONS GATE ROADRUNNERS	OCT 26
REMEMBRANCE DAY RUN	STANLEY PARK BROCKTON POINT	HERSHEY HARRIERS	NOV 11
REMEMBRANCE DAY SERVICES	S. MEMORIAL, GRANDVIEW, VICTORY SQUARE, STANLEY PARK	VARIOUS CITY LEGIONS	NOV 11
NATIONAL DAY OF REMEMBRANCE	THORNTON PARK	WOMEN'S MONUMENT COMMITTEE	DEC 6
LAKESIDE CAROLS	JOHN HENDRY/TROUT LAKE	TROUT LAKE CC	DEC 17
WINTER SOLSTICE LANTERN PROCESSION	DAVID LAM PARK	ROUNDHOUSE CC	DEC 21



## Stanley Park Road Closures

The following existing annual events result each year in a morning road closure for Stanley Park. Historically, traffic closures in Stanley Park have been limited to once a month between 6am - 10am during the months of April, May, June and September. No closures have been permitted during July and August. Staff will work closely with event organizers to inform all Park stakeholders in advance of these dates.

February 9	First Half-Marathon 8:00 am - 10 am Full road closure	Pacific Roadrunners Attendance: 2000
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Due to the S-curve construction, event organizers are requesting a road closure to accommodate their route from the Roundhouse Community Centre along Pacific Avenue, onto the Seawall along English Bay, down Park Drive and through Lost Lagoon and then around the Stanley Park Seawall and back to the Roundhouse Community Centre. The 15<sup>th</sup> annual First Half-Marathon race raises funds for the Variety Club Show of Hearts Fund.

April 13, 2003	Sun Run 6:30 am - 10 am Limited Closure	Vancouver Sun & Landmark Sports Group Attendance - 40,000
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City street road closures will delay access to Stanley Park.

Race route starts on Georgia St., turns left onto Denman, right onto Lagoon Drive and into Stanley Park along the road beside the Park Administration Building and exits via the English Bay entrance.

May 4, 2003	International Marathon 6:30 am - 10 am Full road closure.	Vancouver International Marathon Society Attendance - 12,000
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June 15, 2003	Brockton Criterium 6:30 am - 10 am Limited Eastside Closure	North Vancouver Healthmasters Society Attendance - 200
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Event organizers require a road closure for the eastern side of Stanley Park between 6:30 am -10 am. Park Drive east of Avison Way will be closed to vehicle traffic.

September 1, 2003	Triathlon 6:00 am -10 am Full road closure.	Multisports Canada Attendance - 500
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