

# GENERAL MANAGER'S REPORT

#### Regular Park Board Meeting Monday, October 16, 2023



# **Oppenheimer Park Playground Renewal**

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- Playground renewal will provide an enhanced play space for children and caregivers creating a playground that is safe, inclusive and fun
- New features include climbing play structures, seesaw, basket swing, picnic area, and rubber surfacing
- Recipient of a \$30k Tire Stewardship BC grant to provide partial funding for poured in place recycled rubber play surfacing
- Construction targeted for Spring 2024



### Vancouver Tennis Society ParticiPACTION Events

- In June 2023, Vancouver Tennis Society (VTS) partnered with Park Board to run sport participation events, funded through a ParticiPACTION grant.
- Free events removed financial carriers to introduce Tennis to newcomers, people with limited mobility, Indigenous communities, and the general public.
- 4 events, 8 total sessions, 155 participants





# Truth & Reconciliation Day

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- 'Every Child Matters' flags organized by DAC
- Full week of activities at Kitsilano Community Centre
- Indigenous Art displayed at False Creek Community Centre
- Mount Pleasant designed 'Every Child Matters' t-shirts







# Truth and Reconciliation Week Sept 25 29, 2025

Monday - Orange Shirt Display

Tuesday - Films in Lobby

Wednesday - Youth Film and Pizza 5:30PM | Youth Lounge | Activity #477396

Thursday - Art Workshop with Ruby Harry 6PM | Multipurpose Room | Activity #477397



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#### Park, Golf and Boulevard Meadows Locations

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#### Vancouver W 1st St **2023 MEADOW LOCATIONS** Parks Almond Park 20 Brewers Park China Creek North Park CRAB Park 16 David Lam Park Dusty Greenwell East Park Everett Crowley Park Falaise Park Jericho Park Jones Park W Broadway 12. Killarney Park Vancouver 13. Locarno Park 14. Maple Grove Park 15. Memorial South Park British Columbia 16. New Brighton Park 17. Oak Meadows 18. Prince of Wales 19. Queen Elizabeth 20. Stanley Park W 49th Ave 21. VanDusen 22. Vanier Park W 57th Ave 23. West Memorial Park 24. Road Boulevards SE Marine Dr 25. Golf Courses **TOTAL 42.00Hectares**

#### Wildflower Meadows at Burrard Street & Vanier Park







Council to receive a report on October 18 titled "Contract Award for Marpole Community Centre Construction Project". The existing Marpole Community Centre is the Park Board's oldest community centre, and the building is in need of renewal due to future programming demands and aging building systems.

Council to receive an additional report on October 18 titled "Provincial 'Growing Communities Fund': Allocation to Temporary Plazas, Turf Field at Moberly Park and Spray Park at Ross Park", which would approve an additional \$10M from the Growing Community Funds (GFC) towards the Turf Field at Moberly Park and a Spray Park at Ross Park projects.



Date	Торіс
October 11	Outdoor Pools Reservation System

