



GENERAL MANAGER'S REPORT

Regular Park Board Meeting
Monday, May 12, 2025



- Two Community Centre Association Directors have been awarded the King Charles III Coronation Medal.



Kathleen Bigsby

Kerrisdale Community Centre Society



Christine Coleman

Douglas Park Community Association

- Bonnie Mackenzie served as a Director with the West End Community Centre Association for 6 years
- She was highly respected for her leadership during her time as Treasurer and President
- She is remembered by her WECCA colleagues for her guidance through the JOA negotiations, and as the MC for the annual seniors Christmas Dinner



- Park Board, with support from local community centre associations, hosted five free city-wide youth activations in community centres across the city
- Activities included ice-skating (with free lessons, skate rentals, and hot chocolate), a basketball tournament, a volleyball tournament, a movie and games night in collaboration with the Kensington Little Mountain Community Policing Centre, and a Dungeons & Dragons event: The Tabletop Tussle



- The public engagement for W.C. Shelly Park Expansion will run from June 3rd to June 22nd
- Residents in the neighbourhood are invited to provide feedback on the draft concept plan through online or paper survey, as well as at a pop-up event in the park
- Feedback collected during this period will inform the development of a final concept plan, which will be presented to the Park Board for a decision in Fall 2025



Rendering for W.C Shelly Park Expansion



Date	Topic
April 23	Britannia Community Centre and Pool – Project Update
April 30	Parking Strategy Timeline and Actions
May 2	Update on Vancouver’s Youth Safety and Violence Prevention Strategy and BSCP Sustainability Plan
May 6	2024 Year End and 2025 Q1 Financial Update
May 6	Kitsilano Outdoor Pool - Status Update
May 7	Main & 7th Park Capital Budget Adjustment
May 7	Vancouver Technical School Synthetic Turf Field

