

WELCOME TO OUR SUMMER PROGRAM 2023

Entering K (*limited space available*), Grades 1-8

OUR GOAL IS SUMMER IS...

to provide a safe, positive, and challenging environment for the children...to support children in making new friends...to provide opportunities for new and exciting adventures...to give individual care and attention...to encourage children to stretch their imagination...to allow children to develop their individuality...to facilitate children in working cooperatively...to have fun. Spare Time programs are inclusive, and we have some contracted spaces available through MCFD. If your child has extra support needs, please speak to the centre supervisor.



SUMMER HOURS

Monday to Friday 7:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

We are closed on statutory holidays (July 3 & August 7) and last week of summer (August 28 to September 1)



SUMMER ENROLMENT & KEY DATES

To register for the summer program, you can download the enrolment package documents on our website. All registration and payment must be submitted online and the centre will confirm your registration.

**Accepting only one family registration per person.*

- Enrolment for currently registered families: **May 1-17.**
- Enrolment for all community families (not currently enrolled): **May 18 at 7:30am.**

Enrolment submitted before 7:30am will not be accepted.



LUNCH & SNACKS

Delicious and nutritious lunches & snacks are prepared by our cooks every day. If your child has special food needs or allergies, please let us know in advance.

FEE INFORMATION

Weekly fees (no daily rates available)

Children entering Kindergarten & Grade 1: \$286.00
(\$229.00 for the holiday weeks)

Kindergarten fees include a fee reduction from the Ministry of Children and Family Development

Children entering Grades 2-8: \$320.00
(\$256.00 for the holiday weeks)

An Affordable Child Care Benefit (ACCB) is available for those who qualify from the Ministry of Children and Family Development

When payment is due, please e-transfer to astrid@sparetimesociety.org

REFUND POLICY

Once your spot is confirmed, no changes are allowed. No refunds or credits will be given unless we are able to fill your spot, in which case you will receive a full refund minus a \$35.00 administrative charge.

JUNIORS CALENDAR

JULY 2023 Juniors Program (entering K-Gr. 3)				
MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI
3 CLOSED	4 Summer Sunshine Crafts	5 Field Trip: Brewers Park	6 Water Fun @ Oak Park	7 Field Trip: Science World
10 Community Park	11 Silly Challenges Day	12 Field Trip: Spanish Banks	13 Splash Splash Fun	14 Field Trip: Grouse Mountain
17 Super Science!	18 Water Fun @ Oak Park	19 Field Trip: Crimston Park	20 Special Guest Workshop	21 Field Trip: Emma Lea Farms
24 Around the World in One Day	25 Community Park	26 Field Trip: Steveston Park	27 Field Trip: Cineplex Theatres	28 Field Trip: Otter Co-op Outdoor Experience

PLEASE NOTE: Program activities are subject to change due to unforeseen circumstances (such as provincial health guideline updates, staffing shortages, heatwave, air quality warnings, etc.).

AUGUST 2023 Juniors Program (entering K-Gr. 3)				
MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI
31 Special Guest Workshop	1 Community Park	2 Field Trip: USC Greenheart TreeWalk	3 The Return of Dr. Evil	4 Field Trip: Bear Creek Park
7 CLOSED	8 Group B: Tie Dye Fashion Show & Wine Adventure (field trip)	9 Field Trip: Confederation Park	10 Group B: Tie Dye Fashion Show & Wine Adventure (field trip)	11 Toy Sale
14 Water Fun @ Oak Park	15 You're the Chef!	16 Field Trip: Spanish Banks	17 Field Trip: Cineplex Theatres	18 Field Trip: Otter Co-op Outdoor Experience
21 Community Park	22 Special Guest Workshop	23 Field Trip: The Fair at the PNE	24 Spare Time Carnival	25 Dance Party for all Spare Time centres

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LEADERS CALENDAR

JULY 2023 Leaders Program (entering Gr. 4-7)				
MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI
3 CLOSED	4 Community Park	5 Field Trip: Brewers Park	6 Summer Sunshine Crafts	7 Field Trip: Science World
10 Tie Dye Fashion	11 Community Park	12 Field Trip: Spanish Banks	13 Special Guest Workshop	14 Field Trip: Grouse Mountain
17 Water Fun @ Oak Park	18 Spare Time's Fear Factor	19 Field Trip: Crimston Park	20 Cycling Expedition	21 Field Trip: Emma Lea Farms
24 Community Park	25 Special Guest Workshop	26 Field Trip: Steveston Park	27 Wacky Water Games	28 Field Trip: Otter Co-op Outdoor Experience

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AUGUST 2023 Leaders Program (entering Gr. 4-7)				
MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI
31 Water Fun @ Oak Park	1 The Ultimate Challenge	2 Field Trip: USC Greenheart TreeWalk	3 Community Park	4 Field Trip: Bear Creek Park
7 CLOSED	8 Field Trip: Cineplex Theatres	9 Field Trip: Confederation Park	10 Community Park	11 Toy Sale
14 Special Guest Workshop	15 Community Park	16 Field Trip: Spanish Banks	17 Cycling Expedition	18 Field Trip: Otter Co-op Outdoor Experience
21 Tik Tok Challenge Day	22 Water Fun @ Oak Park	23 Field Trip: The Fair at the PNE	24 Spare Time Carnival	25 Dance Party for all Spare Time centres

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Field trips - Juniors and Leaders will be exploring new places while learning and having fun on our field trips throughout the Lower Mainland. There will be a variety of outdoor trips to the beach and different parks and field trips to places such as the pool, Grouse Mountain and a berry picking farm - there is something for everyone!

Special Guest Workshops - We will have a variety of guests visiting the centre who will share their unique talents with us and teach the children new things!

Community Park and Oak Park Days - We are so lucky to be surrounded by different parks in our neighbourhood. On these days, we will be enjoying the summer weather and walking to a park in our community. On Oak Park days, we will be enjoying the spray park that is located there.

Centre Theme Days - Juniors and Leaders will be participating in these exciting and popular days that the children love. Days like "The Return of Dr. Evil", the "Spare Time Carnival" and "Wacky Water Games" are some favourites among the children and we have an amazing time!

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PLEASE BRING...

a water bottle, swimsuit, towel & hat! They can be left at the centre in your child's designated cubby. You will take them home on Friday. Please label all items with your child's name. Children are encouraged to care for their own belongings. PLEASE DO NOT BRING money and anything that might get lost or broken.

ABOUT US

Spare Time Child Care Society is a non-profit parent run society. Our centres are licensed and fully integrated. We strive to provide the best possible programs for the families in our communities. We encourage you to give us comments and suggestions regarding your experiences at Spare Time. Please call our administrator at 604-325-1010 or any of our Board members. Their names and contact information are posted at each centre. Your input is appreciated.

OUR SUPPORTERS:



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