



Try something new and drop in for some pickleball Wednesdays and Thursdays at West Richmond Community Centre

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City Council

Monday, January 26, 2009
Council Chambers, City Hall
7:00 p.m. (open meeting)

Anderson Room, City Hall
4:00 p.m. (closed meeting)

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Parks, Recreation & Cultural Services Committee

Tuesday, January 27, 2009
Anderson Room, City Hall
4:00 p.m.

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General Purposes Committee

Monday, February 2, 2009
Anderson Room, City Hall
4:00 p.m.

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Planning Committee

Tuesday, February 3, 2009
Anderson Room, City Hall
4:00 p.m.

Richmond Airport Noise Citizens Advisory Task Force

Public meetings: January 29 & February 7



The Richmond Airport Noise Citizens Advisory Task Force advises City Council by providing a forum for the discussion, consideration and creation of possible solutions to aeronautical noise and aircraft flight path issues generated by operations at Vancouver International Airport that affect the City of Richmond.

The Task Force will be hosting the following public meetings in January and February to hear the concerns of people living and working in Richmond regarding airport and aircraft noise:

- Thursday, January 29, 2009, 7:00 – 9:00 p.m.
- Saturday, February 7, 2009, 10:00 a.m. – noon

Both meetings will be held in Meeting Room M.2.004 at Richmond City Hall, 6911 No. 3 Road.

If you have any concerns about airport noise in Richmond and/or possible solutions but are unable to attend the meetings, you can provide comments to the Task Force using the on-line comment form on the City's website at www.richmond.ca (Public Safety > Environmental Health > Noise > Airport Noise & the Community).

For more information, please visit the website link listed above or call 604-276-4035.

City Council meeting schedule

2009 dates available online



The regular meeting schedule for all 2009 City Council meetings is available to the public on the City's website at www.richmond.ca/cityhall/council/schedule.htm or by calling the City Clerk's office at 604-276-4007.

This schedule, which also includes meeting for committees of Council, is posted on the notice board at Richmond City Hall, 6911 No. 3 Road.

Development Permit Panel Meeting

Wednesday, January 28, 2009 3:30 p.m. in Council Chambers



Agenda Items:
1.11900 No. 1 Road and 4091, 4111 Chatham Street (DP 07-389916) Coast Architectural Group on Behalf of 0768807 B.C. Ltd. – To permit the construction of a four-storey, 144-unit "Supportive Independent Living" (seniors) building and a new Army Navy Air Force (ANAF) 284 Club, on

top of a 157-space subsurface parking garage on a site zoned "Comprehensive Development District (CD/199)"; and (2) vary the provisions of the Zoning and Development Bylaw to increase the proportion of allowed small car parking spaces permitted from 30% to 41%.

2. 7551 Westminster Highway (DP 08-448057) Doug Massie, Architect – To permit the alteration of the Westminster Highway ground floor facade of the West tower of the existing Best Western Richmond Inn Hotel at 7551 Westminster Highway on a site zoned Downtown Commercial District (C7).

Please call 604-276-4395 for further information.

Get active with Pickleball

Drop in at West Richmond Community Centre



Pickleball is a great, fun sport for all ages. It is similar to badminton and tennis and involves using a wooden paddle to play on a surface with the same dimensions as a badminton court.

It is offered at West Richmond Community Centre on Wednesdays from 7:30 – 9:15 p.m. and Thursdays from noon – 2:00 p.m.

For more information about Pickleball:

- call 604-718-8400 or visit West Richmond Community Centre during business hours
- email westrich@richmond.ca

2009 property assessments

Contact BC Assessment



This month, all property owners in BC received their 2009 Property Assessment Notices. The deadline for assessment appeals is February 2.

Should you have an inquiry, please contact BC Assessment at 604-241-1361 or visit their office at 200 - 11331 Coppersmith Way.

Internationally celebrated concert guitarist at Gateway Theatre

Music Encore Concert Series



Experience the music of artists who have graced concert halls from Paris to New York and have the chance to learn about classical music's most famous composers with the Music Encore Concert Series.

Guitarist Edoardo Catemario will perform music by Bach, Ponce, Castelnuovo-Tedesco, Piazzolla, Ginastera and Santorsola on Thursday, January 22 at 8:00 p.m.

The concert will be held at Gateway Theatre, located at 6500 Gilbert Road. Admission is \$10 for adults/student/seniors. For tickets and information, please contact 604-270-1812 or info@encoreconcerts.org.

On Sunday, February 8 at 3:00 p.m., he will give an afternoon lecture recital at the Richmond Cultural Centre, located at 7700 Minoru Gate. Admission is \$10 for adults/students/seniors. For more information, please contact 604-241-2434 or info@encoreconcerts.org.

This will be an inspiring and educational experience suitable for adults and children alike.



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