

# Beaver Valley Bulletin

BEAVER VALLEY BULLETIN ELECTRONIC

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## May Days 2026

May 22<sup>nd</sup>, 23<sup>rd</sup>, 24<sup>th</sup>

Beaver Valley May Days Society Presents 2026 MOVIE NIGHT

Hosted by **Beaver Valley Lions Club**

*Popcorn and drinks  
will be served*



Saturday, May 23, 2026 at Fruitvale Memorial Hall

Movie #1: @6:00

Movie #2 @ 8:00





## Ali Grieve, Director Area A

### Fruitvale & District Water Service

The Fruitvale & District Water Service is owned by the RDKB and operated by the Village of Fruitvale. It serves a population of about 2900 residents within Fruitvale, and portions of Area A. The water supply comes from little Kelly Creek, with two backup wells, which are used during the summer months to supplement increased usage. Water usage increases dramatically during summer months, accounting for an estimation between 26%-40% depending on the year (2025 was 26%).

2026 is the 6th year of the WaterSmart program for the Beaver Valley, which was introduced to help reduce water consumption. To achieve this goal, enforceable outdoor water regulations were introduced in 2025. This past year saw only 3 warnings issued, with no fines.

The WaterSmart Program has its own 'Join the Conversation' (<https://jointheconversation.rdkb.com/rdkb-watersmart>) website through the Regional District to provide information to the public. The website contains information about conservation stages, and much more. Our WaterSmart Ambassador attended five of Fruitvale's Incredible Farmers Markets in 2025, where they shared helpful tips on xeriscaping, effective sprinkler use, and handed out packs of clover, a FireSmart and WaterSmart substitute for grass.

Residents continue to make progress in reducing water use. In 2025, water use was 5.9% below the 2017–2019 average baseline water use, improving slightly from 5.2% below baseline in 2024. This follows a small increase in 2023, when water use was 0.2% above baseline. The WaterSmart program proved to be productive in 2025: hopefully 2026 will maintain our current declining trend.

***Small actions. Big impact. Thank you for protecting our water.***

### Society for the Protection and Care of Seniors (SPCS) Update

I have a great deal of respect for this group—so who are they, and what do they do?

The Society for the Protection and Care of Seniors (SPCS) is a non-profit, volunteer-driven organization serving the Greater Trail area since 2006. They provide information, guidance, and advocacy—including letter-writing campaigns—to help improve healthcare conditions for seniors, and ultimately, for everyone in our community.

SPCS is currently seeking community members to join its executive board to help ensure the organization continues to thrive. The time commitment is modest—approximately 4–6 hours per month, with just nine meetings per year. At the upcoming AGM on May 13th from 1:30-3:30 at the Trail Legion. (2141 Columbia Ave., Trail, BC), they hope to welcome new directors, as well as fill the roles of Vice President and Registrar. Training and support are provided, and your involvement can make a meaningful impact in our community.

Fun fact: At one point, after receiving an overabundance of oranges, the group froze the oranges for later use in an ambrosia salad served at outreach meals. It turned out to be the most loved and talked-about dessert they've ever made—even more popular than chocolate cake. A clever reminder to never let good food go to waste!

Check out their website: [spcstrail@weebly.com](mailto:spcstrail@weebly.com) or contact Theresa at [tandt79@telus.net](mailto:tandt79@telus.net) or 250-367-9791.

***A community is measured by how well it cares for those who built it.***



## Ali Grieve, Director Area A

### Lobby Efforts with the Province

There are a number of advocacy issues the Regional District regularly brings forward to the provincial government on your behalf. Here are a few that I have recently supported in advancing to the Province—some of which have been raised multiple times:

#### Bill M 216 – Professional Reliance Act

**Whereas** Bill M216-2025 threatens to take away local governments' discretion to review building and development plans, approve applications and carry out inspections; **And Whereas** this legislation could expose local governments to increased liability, lead to deficiencies, delay approval processes, increase costs for homeowners and local governments, pose environmental risks, and abolish the need for peer reviews of professionals' alleged errors or omissions; **Therefore Be it Resolved that** the Province consult with local governments and other parties before moving forward with Bill M216.

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#### Cell Service in Rural Areas

**Whereas** given the proliferation of cell phones, reliable and widespread cell coverage is essential as cell service is important for public safety, health, business, tourism, education and everyday communications; **And Whereas** many rural and remote communities and locations in our Province still do not have reliable cell coverage which can place residents in extreme danger during wildfires, landslides, motor vehicle accidents or other emergency events; **Therefore Be it Resolved** that the Association of Kootenay and Boundary Local Governments advocate to senior levels of government, relevant regulatory agencies, and telecommunications providers for improved cellular coverage, capacity, and reliability in rural and remote communities.

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#### Community Works Funding and Third Parties

**Whereas** Community Works Funding provides local governments with significant funding for local priorities, many of which are in rural communities and are run by volunteer-led third-party organizations; **And Whereas** the requirements around third-party organizations may now limit them from accessing this funding, thereby negatively affecting their ability to deliver much-needed services and programs in their communities; **Therefore Be it Resolved** that the Province consider relaxing the requirements for third-party organizations to access Community Works Funding so that local governments can continue to support their rural communities.

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#### Keep BC Parks Open Longer

**Whereas** Provincial Parks serve a vital recreational, cultural, social and economic role in the lives of many British Columbians; **And Whereas** the Province of BC closes many of its parks to campers in September each year, limiting the ability of British Columbians access to those parks at a time of year when they continue to be functionally usable; **Therefore Be it Resolved** that the Province of BC be directed to keep our Provincial parks, including campgrounds, open until the end of October to enable the access to parks for all visitors to enjoy these recreational benefits for a longer period and to encourage healthy and active lifestyles.



# Mayor Wes Startup Village of Fruitvale



The Village's budget process is moving along satisfactorily. The budget presentation to Village residents was well attended and Council is very appreciative of the engagement, questions, and feedback. From the session I took away two main issues: settling the contract with Village employees and improvements to our infrastructure, paving roads to be specific.

Of course, the issue of the old middle school is always in the background, there is no simple solution apparent to Council for this piece of property. As mentioned at the public presentation we'll approach the Province one more time with a proposal in September and see where that takes us.

Council will meet next week to discuss options related to the 2026 budget and move to adoption in early May. Please don't hesitate to reach out to me or any other Council member with comments or suggestions.

I was thrilled to learn that our annual May Days event is going forward. This is a big deal for the Beaver Valley and takes a lot of effort to organize so a big thank you to Mike Hudson and the volunteers who make this happen. I know that this Team works hard to pull the event off and they could always use more help – please step forward if you can.



## COUNCIL MEETING

Village of Fruitvale Council meets generally the 2nd Monday of the Month at 6pm. Public is invited to join in person in Council Chambers, 1947 Beaver Street or via zoom - Zoom Meeting: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/3353726693>  
Meeting ID: 335 372 6693  
Next Regular Council meeting is May 11<sup>th</sup>, 2026



***New Village of Fruitvale Office Hours  
Monday to Friday 8:30 am to 4:00 pm***

## FAMILY FUN DAY – MONTROSE 70TH ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION

Mark your calendars! Family Fun Day is set for **June 6th**. Stay tuned for more details and a schedule of events coming soon.

### WATER CONSERVATION REGULATIONS

As per Bylaw #702 “Water Conservation and Staging Restrictions Regulations”

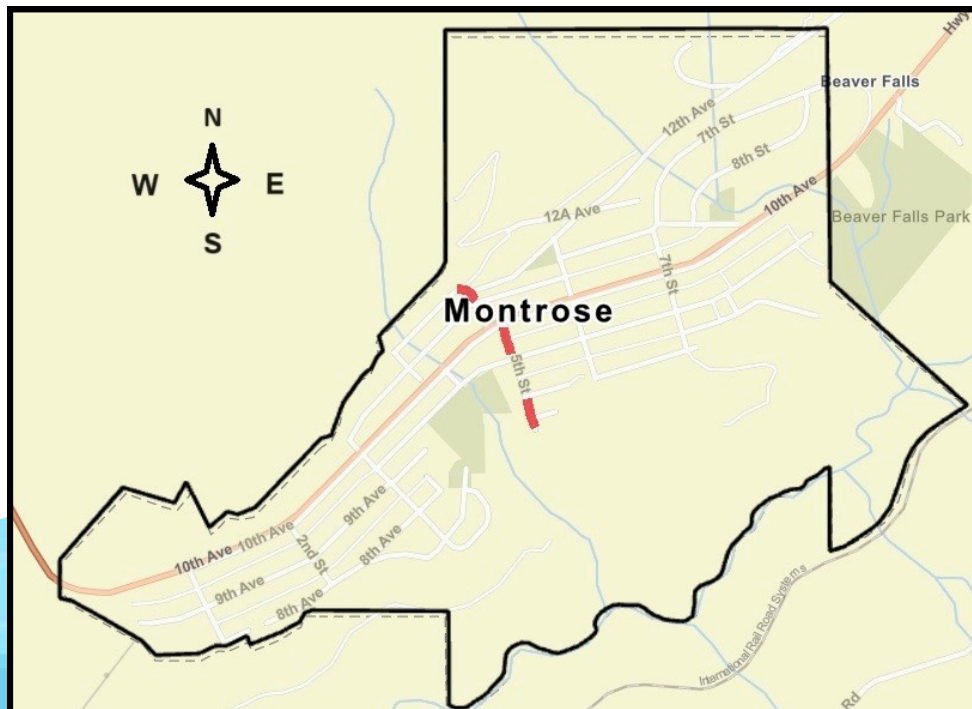
**Houses east of 5th Street water on even numbered days**

**Houses west of 5th Street water on odd numbered days**

Underground sprinklers between 12:00 am and 4:00 am on permitted days  
Watering with sprayer hoes and other sprinklers between 6:00 am and 8:00 am  
and 6:00 pm and 8:00 pm on permitted days

**NO SPRINKLING ON THE 31ST OF ANY MONTH**

**If Village Council needs to enact further regulations within Bylaw #702 “Water Conservation and Staging Restrictions Regulations”, residents will be advised.**



# Property Tax

## USING E-TRANSFER TO MAKE PAYMENTS TO THE VILLAGE OF FRUITVALE

When paying by E-transfer, it is **imperative** that you indicate in the memo section what you are paying, the **invoice number, your roll/account/folio number listed on your invoice or your street address**, so that your payment can be applied to the correct account.

## 2026 VILLAGE OF FRUITVALE PROPERTY TAXES

The 2026 property tax notices will be mailed to homeowners mid May and are due Thursday July 2, 2026, to avoid a 10% penalty. (The Village Office will be closed Wednesday, July 1). If you do not receive your tax notice by June 9, please contact the Village Office, 250-367-7551.

## To apply for your Home Owner Grant

When you receive your tax notice, please visit the provincial website at [www.gov.bc.ca/homeownergrant](http://www.gov.bc.ca/homeownergrant) to apply online or call toll free to 1-888-355-2700 to speak with an agent. **Home Owner Grants must be applied for every year.**

## HOW TO PAY YOUR ANNUAL PROPERTY TAXES:

- **Cash, Cheque, money order, bank draft, credit card:** Attach your cheque to the bottom tear-off portion of your tax notice and place in our mail slot to the lower left of the front door or mail it through Canada Post. **We no longer accept post-dated cheques.** Postmarks are not accepted. There is a 3% charge on the use of credit cards.
- **Online banking:** This is available with the Credit Union, Scotiabank, CIBC and BMO ONLY. Find us under “Fruitvale, Village – Property Tax”. Depending on the requirements of your financial institution, use at least the last 6 digits of your roll number without the 521 and the decimal point. For example, Roll No. 521 00123.456 would be 123456. If more digits are required, use more zeros. For example, Roll No. 521 00123.456 would be 00000123456.
- **E-Transfer:** Send your payment to **finance@village.fruitvale.bc.ca**. We are set up for auto deposit; no password is required. You must write your roll number in the messages to ensure the payment is applied to the correct account. We are not responsible for payments made to the wrong account if this is missed.

Property Taxes are due Thursday July 2, 2026. Be sure to apply for your home owner grant, if applicable, at [www.gov.bc.ca/homeownergrant](http://www.gov.bc.ca/homeownergrant) or phone 1-888-355-2700 before July 2, 2026 to avoid a 10% penalty on your unapplied for home owner grant.



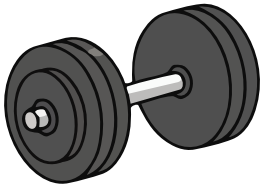
# THE VILLAGE OF FRUITVALE REMINDER NOTICES

## **Volunteers needed**

Do you use the Fruitvale Gym?  
Would you like to assist the Village oversee the Gym operation and equipment safety?

Interested?

Please submit your name, contact information and a short introduction note describing your interest in the "Fitness Advisory Commission" to the Village Office by May 8, 2026.



Thank you for your interest.  
Email [info@village.fruitvale.bc.ca](mailto:info@village.fruitvale.bc.ca)  
Call: Village Office 250-367-7551  
Drop off: 1947 Beaver Street.

## **SEWER MAIN LINES MAINTENANCE**

The Village of Fruitvale Public Works Department will be clearing sewer main lines with the Vactor truck around town and usual places.

During this maintenance, residents are asked to keep the lid to the toilet(s) closed to avoid any water splashing out of the toilet bowl.

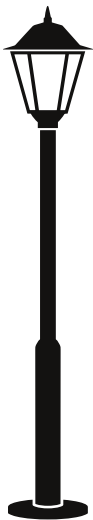
If you have any questions or concerns, please contact the public works department at 250-367-6162.

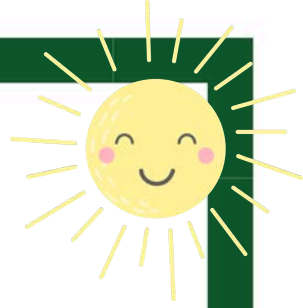
Thank you for your cooperation.



## **STREETLIGHTS**

Please report any non-working streetlights to the Village Office, [info@village.fruitvale.bc.ca](mailto:info@village.fruitvale.bc.ca)  
Be sure to include the pole number and location.  
The Village will report it to FortisBC,  
who will repair as time permits.





# Calling Gardeners!

If you would like a raised bed in the  
Fruitvale Community Garden, email  
the BV Blooming Society  
[bvbloomingsociety@gmail.com](mailto:bvbloomingsociety@gmail.com) or  
call/text Lauren 250-540-5784



*Friends of the Beaver Valley Library*

# *Seniors' May Days Tea*

*Friday, May 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2026*

*1-3pm*

*At the Beaver Valley Manor*

*Free Admission*

*Special thanks to Nipkows  
Greenhouse for door prizes,  
and Dianne Kniss for cards.*



# INCREDIBLE FARMERS MARKET -FRUITVALE-

## SPECIAL MARKETS

### **Easter Market**

March 28

### **Try-it-Out Market\***

August 18

### **Zucchini Contest\***

September 1

### **Get Moving with Zumba\***

September 15

### **Pet Contest\***

September 29

### **Spooktacular\***

October 13

### **Fruitvale Christmas Market**

November 20 & 21

## OUTDOOR MARKETS

Bi-weekly, Tuesdays

3PM - 6PM | Pole Yard Lane

**May 12 & 26**

**June 9 & 23**

**July 7 & 21**

**August 4 & 18\***

**September 1\* & 15\* & 29\***

**October 13\***

\*themed



@fruitvalesfarmersmarket

incrediblefarmersmarket.com

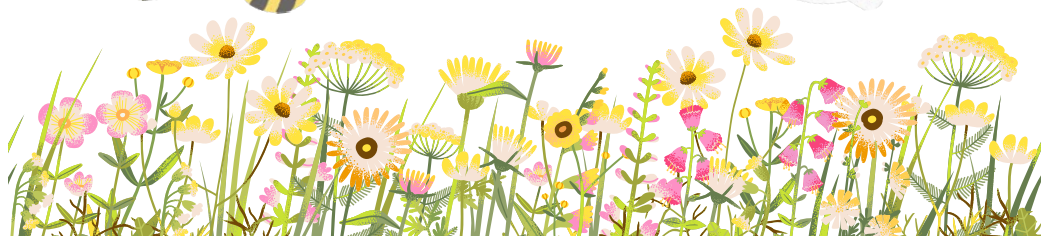
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BEAVER VALLEY PUBLIC LIBRARY  
 bvpublic@telus.net 250-367-7114

MAY 2026

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	*registration required				1	2
3	4 Stitching Drop-in 1:00-3:00	5 Mother Goose 12:30-1:15 Tech Help Drop-in 1:30-3:30	6 Afterschool Drop in 2:30-4:00	7	8	9
10 Mother's Day	11 Stitching Drop-in 1:00-3:00	12 Mother Goose 12:30-1:15 Tech Help Drop-in 1:30-3:30	13 Afterschool Drop in 2:30-4:00	14	15	16
17	18 Victoria Day Closed	19 Mother Goose 12:30-1:15 Tech Help Drop-in 1:30-3:30	20 Afterschool Drop in 2:30-4:00	21	22 Friends of the Library Seniors' Tea- 1:00-3:00 @BV Manor	23 BV May Days Parade 11:00 Friends of the Library Book Sale @ Park
24	25 Stitching Drop-in 1:00-3:00	26 Mother Goose 12:30-1:15 Tech Help Drop-in 1:30-3:30	27 Afterschool Drop in 2:30-4:00	28	29	30
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**BRANCH 44 SENIORS**  
**BEAVER VALLEY SENIOR CITIZENS MANOR**  
**24 Laurier St, Fruitvale, BC**

**Provincial Senior Citizens AGM at 1:30pm on Thursday May 7,**  
**2026 at Manor via zoom.**

**Pot Luck Lunch Prior to the meeting at 12:30, must RSVP**  
**Brenda**

**Regular Meeting on May 27nd , 2026 12:30pm**

**SCAM - Kootenay Saving Presentation in regards to Scams please register**  
**with Brenda 7-3839**  
**May 27<sup>th</sup>, 2026 at 10:00am**

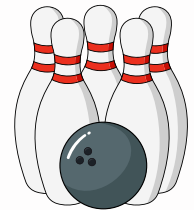
**Please save recyclables for a bottle drive for the month of June**  
**Support your senior Branch 44 Bottle Drive**  
**Contact Brenda**

**Seniors 50+ come join us, membership is \$15 for the year**



**Mondays: Bingo 1:00-3:30pm**

**Carpet Bowling starts again October 2026**



**Wednesdays: Wellness Wednesday ( activities, exercise, lunch \$2) 10:00-1:00pm**

**Thursdays: Cards 1:00- 3:00pm**

**Call Brenda for more information 250 367 3839**

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**Support your senior Branch 44 Bottle Drive**  
**Contact Brenda**





# Beaver Valley Lions

Fruitvale Memorial Centre



## Wednesday Night Bingo

Doors open at 3:30pm

Bingo starts at 6pm

### BEAVER VALLEY BOWLING CLUB

The Beaver Valley Bowling Club is now closed for public bowling until the season starts again in September.

We would like to thank everyone for supporting the bowling alley this year and we hope to see you all next season!

Beaver Valley Bowling Club Board

[Info@bvbowlingclub.ca](mailto:Info@bvbowlingclub.ca)





Only 8 Spots Available!  
(Ages: 9-12)



Beaver Valley Recreation

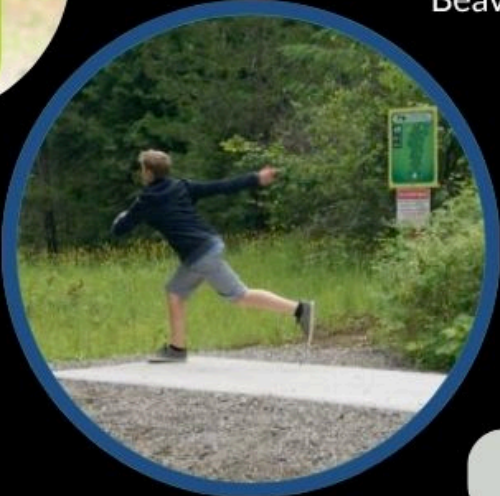
# BEAVER VALLEY JUNIOR DISC GOLF PROGRAM

Learn • Play • Improve • Have Fun!

Wednesdays | May 6 – June 24

Beaver Valley Family Park

3:00 PM – 5:00 PM



## WHAT'S INCLUDED:

- ✓ 8 Instructional Sessions
- ✓ 3 Discs + Carry Bag
- ✓ Program T-shirt
- ✓ Certificate
- ✓ Wind-up BBQ & Tournament

**COST: \$50**

REGISTER BY APRIL 30, 2026 



250-231-5172



kwalker@rdkb.com





# SENIORS' LUNCH

# Beaver Valley

## Tuesday, May 19

FRUITVALE MEMORIAL HALL | 12:30 PM  
SERVED BUFFET | DRAW PRIZES



United Way  
British Columbia

Working with communities in  
BC's North, Interior, Lower Mainland,  
Central & Northern Vancouver Island

Ticket Cost: \$10.00



Regional District of  
Kootenay Boundary

For individual or group bookings (6+)  
RSVP to Jayme Fowler by May 12:  
T: 250-231-7260 E: bvevents@rdkb.com



Regional District of  
Kootenay Boundary

# PAUSE & PROTECT

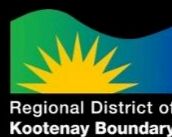
PRESENTED BY THE KOOTENAY SAVINGS CREDIT UNION



## FREE SCAMS & FRAUD PRESENTATION FOR BEAVER VALLEY SENIORS



WEDNESDAY, MAY 27<sup>TH</sup> 2026 AT 10AM  
BRANCH 44 ( 24 LAURIER AVE, FRUITVALE )  
LIMITED SEATING  
RSVP TO BRENDA ON 250-367-3839



Regional District of  
Kootenay Boundary

Beaver Valley  
Recreation



Regional District of  
**Kootenay Boundary**

# Beaver Valley Recreation

Follow us on Instagram & Facebook under Beaver Valley Recreation  
[www.rdkb.com](http://www.rdkb.com) Click on Recreation & Culture, Beaver Valley

## SENIOR'S LUNCHES

Tuesdays

May 19 at Fruitvale Hall

June 16 at BV Family Park

12:30 pm

\$10 admission at the door

Please rsvp to Jayme one week  
prior at 231-7260

[bvevents@rdkb.com](mailto:bvevents@rdkb.com)

## SOCCER

Instructor: Payton Fowler

This program will introduce your  
child to soccer, through fun games  
and easy to learn drills. Bring a  
water bottle and wear running  
shoes.

Tuesdays

April 28 – June 16, 2026

3:30 – 4 pm (ages 3 & 4)

4 – 4:30 pm (ages 3 & 4) \*full\*

4:30 – 5 pm (ages 2)

\$40

Montrose Park

Call BV Recreation at 231-5172

## BODY WEIGHT, BANDS & BALLS

Instructor: Wendy Robertsen

Fitness bands and 2-5 lb weights  
are required. For all fitness levels.

**Mondays & Thursdays**

(omit June 4, 8, 18)

Noon – 1 pm

Fruitvale Hall

\$75 - 6x, \$120 – 12x, \$14 drop in

(Pass can be used at all regular  
Yoga classes & Box Kick Strength)

To pay over the phone, call BV  
Recreation at 231-5172 or bring

cash or cheque to Wendy at class

## 6AM YOGA

Instructor: Jodi Ihas

**Mondays, running until May 25**

(omit May 18)

6 – 7 am

\$75 - 6x, \$120 – 12x, \$14 drop in

(Pass can be used at all regular  
Yoga classes, BWB&B and BKS)

Fruitvale Hall

To pay over the phone, call BV  
Recreation at 231-5172 or bring  
cash or cheque to Jodi at class

## T-BALL Ages 3 & 4

Instructor: Payton Fowler

This program will introduce your  
child to ball, through fun games and  
easy to learn drills.

Bring a water bottle and a glove.

**Thursdays**

April 30 – June 11 (omit May 14)

4:30 – 5 pm

\$30

Montrose Park

Call BV Recreation at 231-5172

## BABYSITTING COURSE

Instructor: Nicole Morrison

June 13, 2026

\$70

Trail Memorial Centre

Call Trail Recreation at 364-0888

## STAY SAFE HOME

### ALONG COURSE

Instructor: Nicole Morrison

June 6, 2026

\$43.80

Trail Memorial Centre

Call Trail Recreation at 364-0888

## PM GENTLE YOGA

Instructor: Jodi Ihas

**Thursdays**

(omit June 18)

7 - 8:15 pm

\$75 - 6x, \$120 – 12x, \$14 drop in

(Pass can be used at all regular  
Yoga classes, BWB&B and BKS)

Fruitvale Hall

To pay over the phone, call BV  
Recreation at 231-5172 or bring  
cash or cheque to Jodi at class

## ZUMBA GOLD

Instructor: April Arnot

A low-impact modified Zumba®

**Wednesdays**

9:30 - 10:30 am

\$50 - 5x, \$92 - 10x, \$172 - 20x,

\$12 drop in

Tae Kwon Do Gym

To pay over the phone, call BV  
Recreation at 231-5172 or bring  
cash or cheque to April at class

## ZUMBA ages 12+

Instructor: April Arnot

Dance fitness class that is fun,  
energetic and make you feel  
amazing!

**Mondays at Fruitvale Hall**

**Thursdays at Montrose Hall**

(omit May 18)

6:30 - 7:30 pm

Thursdays will move to 9:30-

10:30am from May 7 – June 25.

\$50 - 5x, \$92 - 10x, \$172 - 20x,

\$12 drop in

To pay over the phone, call BV  
Recreation at 231-5172 or bring  
cash or cheque to April at class

## SLOG IN THE BOG

*Disc Golf Tournament 2026*



SATURDAY, MAY 23 &  
SUNDAY, MAY 24  
Beaver Valley Family Park,  
near Fruitvale

ENTRY FEE INCLUDES:  
A 4 round PDGA sanctioned  
tournament over 2 days  
LUNCH & BBQ on Saturday

Camping Available

Contact Tournament Director Paul Boden for more  
information at 604-219-2368 or pboden@telus.net



**Disc Golf Tournament!**  
At the Beaver Valley Family Park  
Campground on May 23 & 24!  
Contact Paul Boden to register at  
604-219-2368 or pboden@telus.net

## AM GENTLE YOGA

Instructor: Wendy Robertsen  
Small, slow and gentle movements.  
Wednesdays  
9 – 10:15 am  
\$75 - 6x, \$120 – 12x, \$14 drop in  
(Pass can be used at all regular  
Yoga classes, BWB&B and BKS)  
Montrose Hall  
To pay over the phone, call BV  
Recreation at 231-5172 or bring  
cash or cheque to Wendy at class

## SUMMER PARKS PROGRAM

This is a free program for children  
(ages 6-11) of Fruitvale, Montrose  
and Area A residents.  
June 29 – August 7, 2026  
Mondays & Wednesdays in  
Fruitvale, Tuesdays & Thursdays in  
Montrose and Friday bus field trips!  
Enjoy games, crafts, sports and  
special events!  
A detailed poster will be sent out  
by end of May.

## HATHA YOGA

Balance Force & Ease  
Instructor: Abby Verigin C-IAYT  
\*Payment only through Abby\*  
Wednesdays  
April 15 – May 27, 2026  
6 - 7:15 pm  
Montrose Hall  
\$150 for the series, \$25 drop in  
Email [absverigin@gmail.com](mailto:absverigin@gmail.com)

## STABILITY SERIES

Balance & Core Strength  
Instructor: Abby Verigin C-IAYT  
\*Payment only through Abby\*  
Mondays  
April 13 – May 25, 2026  
4 - 5 pm  
Montrose Hall  
\$120 for the series, \$20 drop in  
Email [absverigin@gmail.com](mailto:absverigin@gmail.com)

## CHAIR YOGA

Instructor: Abby Verigin  
Tuesdays from 10 - 11 am  
Fridays from noon - 1 pm  
(omit May 19)  
A gentle, seated style of yoga  
made for all bodies & abilities.  
\$75 - 6x, \$120 – 12x  
\$14 drop in  
(Pass can be used at all regular  
Yoga classes, BWB&B and BKS)  
Fruitvale Hall  
To pay over the phone, call BV  
Recreation at 231-5172 or bring  
cash or cheque to Abby at class

## Moonlit Meadows YURT

Opening May 15 at the Beaver  
Valley Family Park Campground!  
Enjoy: electric heating, king size  
bed, towels, mini fridge with water,  
microwave, USB charging ports,  
electrical outlets, Wi-Fi, interior  
lighting, ceiling fan, windows with  
blinds, coffee maker, lanterns/solar  
lights and outdoor seating.  
Cost is \$125 per night with two-night  
minimum stay. Cleaning fee of \$50.  
To reserve, please call 231-5172 or  
email [kwalker@rdkb.com](mailto:kwalker@rdkb.com)

## BV FAMILY PARK CAMPGROUND

Open May 15 - September 28.  
Rates are \$20 for dry camping  
and \$25 for power & water.  
The entire park is available for  
weddings, reunions & gatherings  
for \$300 per night. Amenities  
include 19 tent and trailer sites  
(half with water/power hook-up),  
washroom and shower building, a  
kitchen, a large covered gazebo with  
picnic tables, 18 hole championship  
disc golf course, playground, hiking  
trails and pickle ball court.

## MARSH CREEK DISC GOLF COURSE

This PDGA standard 18-hole course  
is located at BV Family Park  
Campground. This course can be  
played year-round. Camp in the park  
and play all 3 courses in the area.  
Washrooms are open from May 15  
to September 28.  
New discs just arrived at the  
Beaver Valley Arena!  
Fresh shipment includes discs,  
bags and caps.  
Purchase from the Rink Operator:  
7am–3pm (May–August, weekdays)

## INDOOR PICKLEBALL

Starting June 1, the BV Arena will be  
open Monday to Friday from 7am –  
3pm for you to get out of the heat  
and enjoy four indoor pickleball  
courts. \$50 for a 2 month summer  
pass or \$5 drop in.

## A.C.T. FITNESS CLASS

Instructor: Violet Richtsfeld  
Aerobic + Chair + Tone. Bring a set  
of 1 or 2 lbs hand held weights.  
Tuesdays & Fridays  
May 5 – 29, 2026  
9:30 - 10:30 am  
Montrose Hall  
\$120 - 10 punch pass, \$14 drop in  
Call Violet at 367-6448 for more info.

# BVYAN Events | May 2026



**FREE for Youth 12-18**

Text BVYAN to (833) 683-0875 to sign up for our NEW text newsletter!

# MAY



					1 <b>BVYAN Leadership Camping Trip @ Kokanee Creek! May 1-3</b>	2
3 ←----	4	5 <b>DROP-IN @ Creekside Park 2-5</b>	6	7	8	9
10	11	12 <b>DROP-IN @ Creekside Park 2-5</b>	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23 <b>BV Maydays (Volunteers) BVYAN Kids Carnival May 23-24</b>
24 <b>BV Maydays (Volunteers) BVYAN Kids Carnival May 23-24</b>	25	26 <b>DROP-IN @ Creekside Park 2-5</b>	27	28	29	30

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**Making a (Fresh) Pasta Lunch! @ Fruitvale Memorial Hall Learn to make fresh food with friends! 10-1**

## Volunteer Opportunities

May 23/24 - **BVYAN Kids Carnival @ BV May Days**

We are running the Kids Carnival at Maydays this year and always looking for volunteers! (Youth and adults welcome, with adults needing a criminal record check)

If you want to sign up, Scan the QR code below to register!



## Events

May 5, 12, 26 - **Drop-in @ Creekside Park**

Join us afterschool at Creekside Park and play games, do activities, or just chill with your friends and have some food and treats!

May 31 - **Fresh Pasta Lunch @ Fruitvale Memorial Hall**

Bring your friends and join us at the Fruitvale Memorial Hall to make a Pasta Lunch! Want to make something specific? Let us know or bring it with you and we will try our best to make it work :)

## Events

May 1-3 - **Camping Trip @ Kokanee Creek Park**

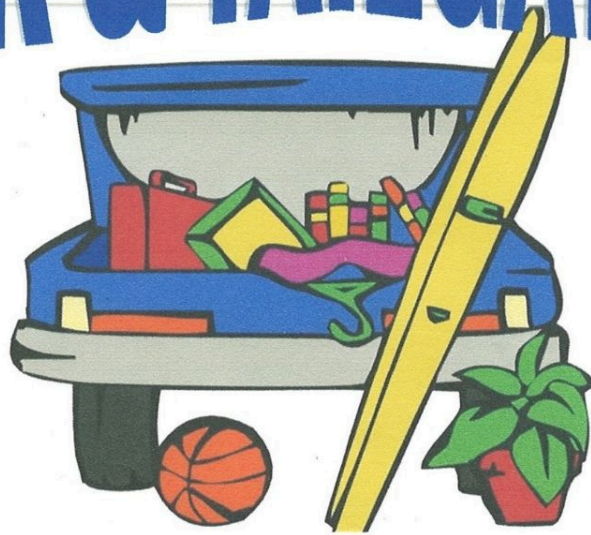
This is a camping trip we did to end off the Leadership: The First Steps workshop that was created by Columbia Basin Trust, and ran by your local YAN coordinators in the Trail and Salmo youth centres!

You are most likely seeing this AFTER the event has ended, but you can still register to be notified when we do our next camping trip when the YAN opens again after summer break! Scan the QR code to preregister!

## Questions?

Email us anytime at [beavervalleyyan@gmail.com](mailto:beavervalleyyan@gmail.com) or text us at (833)-683-0875

# TRUNK & TAILGATE SALE



## 2026 TRUNK & TAILGATE SUNDAY SALE

May3\*June7\*July5\*August9\*Sept13\*October4

**Join us for the next  
yard-type sale to hit  
Fruitvale!**

**Convert your good-quality  
unwanted treasures to  
CASH from the trunk of  
your car or the back of  
your truck!**

**Anything goes - as long as  
it's legal**

Open to private sellers and buyers  
(no commercial vendors)

### **Cost**

\$10 per vehicle,  
paid upon entry

### **Location**

Pole Yard Lane

**FRUITVALE**

No reservations needed,  
just come on over anytime

FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT ANNE [annesaigeon@gmail.com](mailto:annesaigeon@gmail.com)

**Love our Trunk & Tailgate sale?  
We are looking for new hosts for the 2027 season!  
The valley needs this service  
We need help!**



# 2026 BEAVER VALLEY CITIZEN OF THE YEAR

The Beaver Valley Citizen of the Year Committee takes great pleasure in announcing the recipients of the 2026 Citizen of the Year Award to Past & Present Members of the Beaver Valley Food Bank Organization, including members of the Beaver Valley Outreach Meals Program and the Beaver Valley Christmas Hamper Program.

This award recognizes outstanding contribution to the Beaver Valley Community and this group of dedicated volunteers exemplifies these qualities.

We invite the public and all past recipients of this award to attend the award presentation and reception for them at the Beaver Valley Curling Rink  
on  
Friday, May 22 at 7 pm.

