



**CITY OF MAPLE RIDGE
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Celebrate BC Youth Week (May 1-7) with Maple Ridge Parks, Recreation & Culture

Maple Ridge, BC: The City of Maple Ridge Parks, Recreation & Culture’s youth team is excited to celebrate BC Youth Week with a series of fun activities for local youth ages twelve to eighteen. This year's events include drop-in recreational activities, taco night, a three on three basketball tournament, a scooter competition and more.

"BC Youth Week is an opportunity for us to recognize and celebrate the incredible contributions that our young people make to our community," said Mayor Ruimy "The City is proud to support our youth by offering a range of engaging activities that promote wellness and social connection. We encourage all local youth to take advantage of these fun events and celebrate BC Youth Week in style!"

The City’s finale event in celebration of BC Youth Week is the 15th Annual Youth Talent Show, which takes place at The ACT Arts Centre on May 8.

These events are the great way for local youth to celebrate BC Youth Week and connect with their community. Don't miss out on this opportunity to have fun, make new friends, and celebrate the amazing young people in Maple Ridge!

For full details, visit www.mapleridge.ca/1501.

BC Youth Week

BC Youth Week is a provincial celebration of youth held annually during the first week of May. It is a week of fun filled interaction and a celebration intended to build a strong connection between youth and their communities. This event is intended to highlight the interests, accomplishments, and diversity of youth across the province.

For more information, visit www.bcyouthweek.com.

Background Material:

MAY 1 4:30 PM Sign Up 6:30 PM Start	FREE FIRE BALL TOURNAMENT	GMYC
MAY 2 4:30 PM - 8:00 PM	FREE ICE CREAM SANDWICH	GMYC
MAY 3 3:00 PM - 9:00 PM	FREE DROP-IN SWIM & FITNESS	MRLC
MAY 4 6:00 PM	FREE TACO NIGHT	GMYC
MAY 5 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM	FREE 3 ON 3 BASKETBALL TOURNEY	ĆƏSQƏNELƏ
MAY 7 4:30 PM Sign Up 6:30 PM Start	\$10 SCOOTER COMP	GMYC
MAY 8 Doors 6:30 PM Show 7:00 PM	FREE YOUTH TALENT SHOW	THE ACT

**FULL SCHEDULE DETAILS AVAILABLE AT
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