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Helping people find the perfect new home and making that transition easy is my specialty. If you and your family have been considering downsizing from your older, larger, family home into something more modern and easier to care for, then let's talk.











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"After all, Ginger Rogers did everything Fred Astaire did. She just did it backwards and in high heels."

#### **About the Langley Senior Resources Society**

For over 40 years, the Langley Senior Resources Society (LSRS) has provided social, recreational and educational programs and food, health and supportive services for adults 50 years of age and older in Langley. We own and operate the largest, free-standing and independently owned recreation centre in BC and operate the largest Adult Day Program in Fraser Health. We are a community leader on issues important to seniors. LSRS is non-profit charitable organization governed by a volunteer Board of Directors with the day-to-day operations managed through the Executive Director, staff and volunteers. LSRS employs 45 + staff and benefits from the time and talents of over 100 volunteers. We strive to meet the growing needs of seniors in our community.

#### **Board of Directors**

#### **President**

Loretta Solomon

#### **Vice-President**

**Sherry Tingley** 

#### Secretary/Treasurer

Lee Douglas

#### **Directors**

Marlene Best Michael Chang Lorna Dysart

Connect with the Board at board@lsrs.ca

#### **Vision**

An inclusive community where seniors in Langley are valued and supported to learn, socialize, and thrive.

#### **Mission**

As leaders in our community, we provide programs, services, and connection through a holistic approach to meet the emotional, physical, and social needs of seniors and their families.

#### **Values**

Leading with Heart | Compassionate | Welcoming | Inclusive | Innovative | Collaborative | Integrity

Charitable Registration Number: 121924229RR0001

#### Thank you to our generous funders





















#### **Locations and Staff**

#### **Recreation and Resource Centre**

20605 51B Avenue, Langley, BC V3A 9H1

604-530-3020

Monday - Friday 9 am - 4 pm | Saturday 9 am - 2 pm (Sundays and Holidays Closed)

Tuk Shop Thrift Boutique | Cafe (9 - 2)

#### **Executive Director**

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Connor Kahle, Cole Rachwalski

#### Adult Day Program (page 8)

20256 56th Avenue, Langley, BC V3A 3Y5

778-328-2302

Monday - Saturday 8:30 am - 4:00 pm (Sundays and Holidays Closed)

#### **Adult Day Program Manager**

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#### Lead Nurse

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#### **Hydrosound Bathing**

Mirarie Fosana 778-328-2302 ext. 4

#### **Membership Information**

#### Join Us!

Our members are 50+ years old. Everyone is welcome.

Membership is \$63.00 (including GST) per year (Jan-Dec). Renewals start in November and new membership cards are issued annually.

For more details, and to apply, please visit the Centre's Front Desk or call 604-530-3020.



#### **Membership Subsidy**

Seniors (50+) who have a total income less than \$27,000 (single) or \$32,000 (couple) may be eligible for a membership subsidy from the City of Langley and the Township of Langley. Please call Janet at 604-530-3020 ext. 312 or email janetm@lsrs.ca.





Langley Senior RESOURCES SOCIETY





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info@lsrs.ca



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puzzles books clothing housewares

Drop by and drop off: 9-4, M-F

Assistance is available to help carry heavier items.

The Tuk Shop is staffed entirely by volunteers. All proceeds go to LSRS. Last year, over \$35,000 was raised to help serve seniors!



Langley Senior Resource Society 20605 51B Avenue, Langley



#### A Message from our Executive Director



Grab a cozy blanket and a pumpkin latte, there's much to share and alot packed into our program guide this month. We continue to see more and more folks joining us on Saturdays (page 21) which is a good thing! I'd like to thank our amazing volunteers Su Lancaster, Gail Abbott, Loretta Solomon, Sherry Tingley, and Matt Buss. These volunteers ensure anyone coming into our rec centre on Saturdays are welcomed with a friendly face, a cup of coffee, and good conversation.

We have added a new page in our program guide called "LSRS Staff News" (page 8) with info about our team - new arrivals, recent departures and activities that might be interesting to you. Our staff team is our greatest asset; they ensure members and clients have engaging and supportive programs and services, and I am proud to showcase them and their important work.

With our recreation centre fully restored, we are accepting filming opportunities and thank the clubs and programs that are impacted - we closed for a few days in September and may be closing for a few days at the end of October. We work with IWL Films, a film management company, who coordinate the scout tours and director visits, insurance and contracts, and provide onsite support during film days. This is a great revenue source for us but we do try balance this with closing the centre. We have a few guidelines - we do not close for more than 2 days, we span out the closure dates, and we provide blackout dates that we absolutely cannot close. This would include pub lunches and dinners, Seniors Week and Silver Pride. This also includes the entire month of December as we have many activities during this special time of year, I know Kurtis and Janet are busy planning.

This month, we are pleased to offer a free **Tai Chi "try-it" class** (page 33), sign up early, we only have 12 spots! LSRS has offered Tai Chi in the past and we hope members will enjoy this gentle movement activity.

Our 2025 Membership Renewal campaign is coming up and this year, we will raise our annual fee from \$63 to \$67 per year. Our membership fee has not increased for over 9 years and the time has come for a slight increase. We are fortunate to have subsidy grants from both the City of Langley and the Township of Langley for anyone who may find the fee a financial hardship. Our membership is growing, more clients are coming to us for support, and we are doing our best to

#### **LSRS Staff News**

LSRS has a dedicated staff team who work hard to ensure our programs, services, activities, and events with seniors in Langley. Learn more about our staff team - including new employees, recent departures and retirements.



John Zaminskis has joined us as Kitchen and Catering Services Manager. With many years experience as a Chef, Kitchen and Catering Manager, and food truck operator, John will provide leadership to our food services team while growing our catering services. He's already made a difference with a kitchen deep clean, reorganizing workstations and some great menu ideas.



**Kurtis Dueck** is our new Programs and Member Engagement Manager. With solid experience in seniors recreation programming, he is a fitness and yoga instructor as well as an events specialist. He is looking forward to getting to know our members and clients and bringing new activities to LSRS, like Tai

Chi and Bingo.

**Courtney Sullivan** joins our Adult Day Program team with previous experience as a health care assistant in long-term care. With a passion for holistic wellness, Courtney went back to school to study Therapeutic Recreation where she finds joy helping others pursue recreation and leisure interests that foster personal wellness.

**Andrea Myers** is another new member of our Adult Day Program team. From London, Ontario, Andrea worked with older adults and specialized populations in a variety of recreation program settings for 7 years. She relocated to BC to pursue her interests in rock climbing, hiking and camping and is passionate about connecting with people and supporting them in finding meaning and joy in every day.

On September 25, our team held our **Quarterly All Staff Meeting** to discuss our strategic plan goals and outcomes, hear directly from our Managers about the activities in their department, and extend a warm welcome and sad goodbye to those those staff transitioning in and out of LSRS.



#### **Adult Day Program**

At our secondary location, the **Adult Day Program** provides specialized care and recreation for adults with physical and/or cognitive limitations who live alone or with family caregivers within the Langley area.

- Recreation
- Caregiver support groups
- Health care
- Meal and dietary services
- Hydrosound bathing

The program is funded primarily by Fraser Health. Privately funded clients are also welcome, including those who may need immediate service, those who do not qualify for Continuing Care funding, or those who are funded through third party agencies such as ICBC, WorkSafe BC and Veterans Affairs Canada.

This location is open **Monday - Saturday, 8:30 am - 4:00 pm**. Contact Alicia Koback at 778-328-2302 for more details.



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#### **HYRDOSOUND BATHING PROGRAM**

Do you or a loved one have difficulty getting in and out of a bathtub? If so, our community bathing service may be an option. Designed for older adults who find it hard to bathe safely at home, baths are provided in a safe and private bathing area with help from a trained care aide. Bathing supplies include towels, hypo-allergenic shampoo and soap. \$20 per bath.



#### **CAREGIVER SUPPORT GROUPS**

Free and open to members and non-members. For anyone caring for an adult family member or friend with a chronic physical or cognitive health condition.

**Tuesdays, 1:15 - 2:15 pm (open to MEN)** 

at our Adult Day Program location - 20256 56th Avenue

Thursdays, 1:00 - 2:30 pm (open to ALL)

at the Recreation and Resource Centre - 20605 51B Avenue

#### **Community Services**

Community Services are available for free to adults 60 years of age and older.

Call **604-530-3020** for appointments & more information.

#### Information and Referral

Our Community Services staff advocate for all seniors in the Township and City of Langley (not just members) -- free of charge. To learn more about how we can help you, please call the Centre or visit our website at www.lsrs.ca.

#### **Housing Navigation**

Staff and trained volunteers can assist older adults with information on housing options and support with finding and maintaining appropriate housing, including:

- Subsidized rental housing
- BC Housing
- Shelter Aid for Elderly Renters (SAFER)
- Food Security
- Shelters
- Home Owner Grants
- BC Rebate for Accessible Home Adaptations (BC RAHA)
- Property Tax Deferment
- Support with landlord and property manager concerns
- Independent living, assisted living and residential care



#### **Social Prescribing**

Enables health care professionals to refer older adults to local community-based programs and services to support their health and wellness (e.g., social and recreational programs, supports for aging in place at home, mental health and nutrition services, etc.).







#### **Better at Home**

Better at Home services help adults 65 years of age and older remain at home longer. These services are offered on a sliding scale based on your annual household income.

For more information, contact Community Services at 604-530-3020.

#### **Transportation to Appointments**

A volunteer driver picks you up at home and takes you to your appointment, then returns you home. Rides can be purchased in advance or as a gift.





#### **Grocery Shopping**

A volunteer picks you up at home and takes you to the store of your choice, or they can pick up a shopping list and shop for you.

#### **Light Housekeeping**

A paid housekeeper will provide 2 hours of cleaning on a weekly, bi-weekly or monthly basis. (Full price services available. There is a wait list if subsidy is needed.)

#### **Friendly Visits**

A trained volunteer will visit you at home on a weekly basis to reduce isolation and loneliness. Free.

#### **Telephone Buddies**

Trained volunteers call an isolated older adult for a weekly friendly chat.



#### Café and Food Services







Langley Senior Resources Society is proud to be an affliliate member of the Council of Senior Citizens' Organization of BC and a member of Langley Seniors in Action.



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Learn how to leave a gift in your will to the Langley Senior Resources Society.



Visit the donate page at Isrs.ca, contact Kate at 604-530-3020 ext. 321, or kateL@Isrs.ca.

#### **Legal Clinic**



#### 2024 marks the 50<sup>th</sup> year for Allen MacCallum as a practicing Lawyer in British Columbia.

We are proud of his professional milestone and look forward to celebrating the honour given by the Law Society of British Columbia. To help make his 50th year celebration memorable, we're calling for contributions from our local community.

We are inviting anyone with stories and memories in respect to Allen MacCallum from the past five decades to kindly write to sophie@maclg.com. We'd love to get in touch with you ahead of the celebration.

#### **OUR PRACTICE AREAS:**

- · Wills and Estate Planning
- Probate and Estate Administration
- · Corporate and Commercial Law
- Real Estate Law and Land Law
- Family Law

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## A Firm Tradition

One of our firm's many long-standing traditions is Allen's monthly visits to the Langley Senior Resource Society.

We're proud that Langley's Senior Resource Society had found a deeply experienced yet approachable legal partner in MacCallum Law Group LLP. Carrying on the tradition, our Lawyer team are proud to serve LSRS, visiting once a month to provide legal advice to members.





# Working Together

Book your free 30 minute appointment at the LSRS front desk or call 604,530,3020

#### **UPCOMING DATES:**

- Monday, October 7, 2024 from 1 3 pm
- Monday, **November 4**, 2024 from 1 3 pm
- Monday, **December 2**, 2024 from 1 3pm

Appointments are popular, and we strongly encourage you to pre-register in advance.

#### **Health Clinics**

#### **HEARING CLINIC**

The success you have with your hearing aids will largely be dependent on how well the hearing aids are functioning. Cleaning and servicing of your hearing aids should be done on a monthly basis.

- Testing hearing aid components for proper function
- Thorough cleaning of hearing aids
- Check hearing aid fit
- Inspection of your ears to check for earwax build-up
- Installation of a fresh battery in each hearing aid
- Answer any hearing questions

Tuesday, October 8, 11:30 am - 1:00 pm

No appointment necessary.

Members only.



#### **FOOT CARE CLINIC**

Foot care clinic services at LSRS include:

- Foot assessments and care of athlete's foot, bunions, callouses, corns, dry and cracked skin, diabetic assessment, fungal nails, hammer or claw toes, and thickened toenails
- · Cutting and filing of toenails
- Foot massage with essential oils
- Education for prevention of issues

If you intend on having your toenails cut, please do not cut them for 6 weeks prior to your appointment.

30 minute appointments take place every Thursday & Friday with Vanessa. Call the Front Desk for availability.

#### Fee

Member \$53 | Non-Member \$60 Effective June 1, 2024, a \$5 fee will be charged for all cancellations.

#### **MASSAGE CLINIC - EVERY MONDAY**

The activities of daily living can be **less painful**. Our registered massage therapist Jacklyn Harvey can help! Tailored treatment plans for your unique needs with an adjustable recliner, massage table and massage chair. Most insurers will cover massage. Don't forget to bring your receipt to your insurance provider. Every Monday

Massage can help with many ailments including:

- joints and muscles
- · rheumatoid arthritis and osteoarthritis
- flexibility, balance and range of motion
- posture and circulation
- stroke recovery, sleep, digestion, and depression

30-minute appointments

Members \$63

Non-members \$70





As adults age, there is a decline in immune function which increases the risk of development and/or progression of infections and other diseases. An example of this was demonstrated during the COVID-19 pandemic, in which older adults suffered disproportionally.

The RESILIENCE Study is evaluating the effectiveness of QBKPN Site-Specific Immunomodulator in improving natural immune function and reducing respiratory infections in adults aged 65 years and older.

#### Who can participate?

You may be eligible to participate if you are:

- √ 65 years of age or older
- Interested in participating in a clinical study evaluating a new therapy designed to enhance your natural immunity

### If you would like to hear more about this study:

Please contact the **Qu Study Team** who will be pleased to discuss the study with you and answer your questions.

Email: info@isstudy.ca Phone: 1-877-223-8637 Website: www.qubiologics.com/clinicaltrials/resilience-study

#### What is QBKPN?

QBKPN is a new medication in a class known as Site-Specific Immunomodulators (SSI).

SSIs are designed to train and/or improve innate immune function to reduce the risk of infections, improve immune response to cancer, and slow the progression of chronic inflammatory diseases.

# What does the study involve?

If you are eligible and want to participate, you will be:

- Randomly assigned to receive QBKPN or placebo given through a small needle under the skin three times a week for 16 weeks
- We will measure your immune function using blood tests over the course of the study, monitor you for infections, and ask you about your quality of life, over a period of a year.

#### Who is conducting the study?

**Study Sponsor:** Qu Biologics, which is receiving funding from the National Research Council of Canada Industrial Research Assistance Program, to support the study.

Qu Biologics is a clinical stage biotechnology company located in Burnaby, British Columbia, which is developing the immunomodulatory platform called Site-Specific Immunomodulators (SSIs.)

Principal Investigator: Dr. Theodore Steiner

Dr. Steiner is a Professor of Medicine at the University of British Columbia. He is also an Infectious Diseases Specialist at Vancouver General Hospital, a Research Scientist at BC Children's Hospital Research Institute, and the Chief Medical Officer for Infectious Diseases at Qu Biologics.













# REPAIR CAFE



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### LANGLEY SENIORS RESOURCE CENTRE

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Self-Management Health Workshops



CHRONIC PAIN

Oct 9 - Nov 13 Shepherd of the Valley Church 20097 72 Ave, Langley



CHRONIC

Oct 20 - Nov 24 Walnut Grove Community Centre

> Available FREE for BC Adults - spouses, partners and caregivers. Small group workshops -REGISTER NOW



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Send us an email if you'd like to meet the guys and see what it's all about: info@MensShedLangley.ca Discover a place where men can come together, share their skills, and form meaningful connections. Men's Shed Langley offers a supportive environment where you can avoid isolation and contribute to the betterment of our community. Join us in advocating respect, decency, and friendship.



#### **Events**





#### Part of the WorkSafe BC Provider Network



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# ALL CANDIDATES MEETING

Join us for one of our upcoming All Candidates Meetings to learn more about our local candidates, before you vote.



Advance Polling begins October 10, 2024.

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### SENIORS' ISSUES

Transportation, Healthcare, Poverty Reduction, Food Security, Social Inclusion, Provincial Seniors Strategy



- LANGLEY WILLOWBROOK FRIDAY, OCTOBER 4 Oct.
- Langley Seniors Resource Centre, 20605 51B Avenue, Langley 2:00pm to 4:00pm (Doors Open at 1:30pm)
- LANGLEY WALNUT GROVE MONDAY, OCTOBER 7 Oct. West Langley Hall, 9402 - 208 Street, Langley 2:00pm to 4:00pm (Doors Open at 1:30pm)
- LANGLEY ALDERGROVE WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 9 Oct. Langley Arts Council, 26770 - 29 Avenue, Aldergrove 2:00pm to 4:00pm (Doors Open at 1:30pm)















#### **Events**





### **Regular Programs at a Glance**

Monday	Monday Morning Talk Show	10:00 - 11:00 am	36
	Table Tennis	10:00 am - 12 pm	32
	Circle of Friends	11:30 am - 12:30 pm	34
	Jam Session	1:00 - 3:00 pm	28
	Bridge Partners	1:00 - 4:00 pm	29
	Fit and Fab	9:00 - 10:00 am	31
	Adaptive & Lively Chair Yoga	10:15 - 11:15 am	31
	Flying Solo	11:00 am - 12 pm	34
Tuesday	Line Dancing	11:30 am - 12:30 pm	32
Tuesday	Senior Pride Social Group	3rd Tue of Month: 11:30 am - 12:30 pm	35
	Canasta	12:30 - 4:00 pm	29
	Carpet Bowling	1:00 - 3:00 pm	32
	Caregiver Support Group: Men	1:15 - 2:15 pm (Adult Day Program)	9, 35
Wednesday	Tim's Bits Woodcarving	9:00 - 11:00 am	28
	Walking Group	10:00 - 11:00 am	30
	Table Tennis	10:00 am - 12:00 pm	32
	Changing Gears	1st Wed of Month: 10:30 am - 12 pm	34
	Mexican Dominoes	12:30 - 4:00 pm	29
	Shanghai Rummy	12:30 - 4:00 pm	29
	Cribbage	1:00 - 3:00 pm	29
	Euchre	1:00 - 3:00 pm	29
	Fit and Fab	9:00 - 10:00 am	31
	Knit Together	9:00 am - 12:00 pm	28
Thursday	Fusion Chair Yoga	10:15 - 11:15 am	31
	Whist	12:30 - 4:00 pm	29
	Book Club	1st Thurs of Month: 12:30 - 2:00 pm	34
	Carpet Bowling	1:00 - 3:00 pm	32
	Caregiver Support Group	1:00 - 2:30 pm	9, 35

Key: Arts, Crafts, Music | Cards and Games | Yoga, Physical Activity, Fitness, Sports Conversation, Social, Education | Other

<sup>&</sup>quot;Aging is not about how many years have passed but how much life you've embraced."

#### **Regular Programs at a Glance**

Friday	Walking Group	10:00 - 11:00 am	30
	Choir	10:00 am - 12:00 pm	28
	Art Class: Oil and Acrylic	10:00 am - 1:00 pm	28
	Samba	11:00 am - 3:00 pm	29
	Mexican Dominoes	12:30 - 4:00 pm	29
	Bridge	1:00 - 4:00 pm	29
	Cribbage	10:00 am - 12:00 pm	29
Monday - Friday	Gardening Circle	Seasonal	32
	Snooker	9:00 am - 4:00 pm	32
Saturday	Table Tennis	9:30 - 11:30 am	32
	Card & Board Games	9:15 am - 1:45 pm	29
	Accessible Mat Yoga	12:00 pm - 1:00 pm	31
	Saturday Social	11:00 am - 12:00 pm	35
	Snooker	9:00 am - 2:00 pm	32





#### LSRS Rec Centre is open on Saturdays from 9am - 2pm

#### Schedule includes

Self-Serve Cafe; Tuk Shop, card and board games, table tennis, accessible mat yoga and Saturday social group

- Things to know
- The Front Desk will be closed.
- · The Community Services Department is closed.
- · The Tuk Shop accepts cash only.



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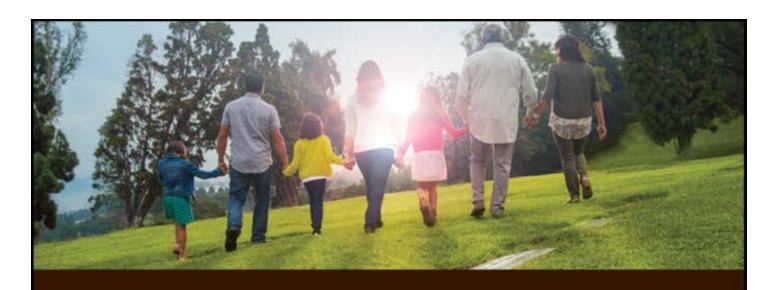


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# Don't Worry About a Thing!

Home repairs? Not your problem. Grocery shopping? Skip it. And don't bother bringing your vacuum cleaner along. Your days are precious; make the most of them by spending time doing what you love with friends and family.

We work hard to ensure every day is an opportunity to connect, relax and live life to the fullest. Come for a toir and discover our joyful way of life.

Come for a tour, we'll treat you to lunch.

Call Keri to Schedule a Tour

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#### Program, Event, and Trip Registration Information

Membership is required to participate in most of our programs, unless otherwise noted.

Please register at the Centre's Front Desk or call the Front Desk at 604-530-3020 to register with a credit card.









#### **Program, Event and Trip Cancellation Policy**

#### If We Cancel

LSRS is committed to maintaining affordable programs, events and trips. In the event we have low registration or extenuating circumstances, we will either cancel or re-schedule. In this circumstance, full refunds will be given.

#### If **You** Cancel

A refund and cancellation deadline is set for every program, event or trip. To receive a refund, cancellation must be completed on or before the specified date. A \$5.00 service charge will be deducted.

#### **For Foot Care Cancellations**

For a full refund, 48 hours notice is required for change or cancellation of appointments.

#### **How You Will Be Refunded**

Refunds will be given via the same method by which payment was received (cash, cheque, debit, or credit).

#### **Arts, Crafts, and Music Programs**

LSRS membership is required to participate in these programs.

#### **Art Class: Oil and Acrylic Painting**

Receive 1-on-1 guidance from instructor Bette Hurd in these creative sessions where everyone paints their subject of choice.

Fridays - Nov 1 - Dec 13 10:00 am - 1:00 pm | Activity Room \$66.00 | Members only Cancel/Refund by October 18



#### Choir

A social choir with no auditions or requirement to read music.
Participants enjoy singing old favourites together and learning new songs. One social outing per session.
Space is available - join any time. No sdession November 15.

Fridays - Sept 13 to Dec 6

10:00 am - 12:00 pm | Main Hall

\$30.00 | Members only

Remembrance Day Assembly on Nov 8
and Christmas Carols on Dec 6.

#### **Jam Session**

Bring your instruments, your voice, your ears and your enthusiasm. You can participate by bringing an instrument to play, singing, or just listening.

Mondays, 1:00 - 3:00 pm Brock Douglas Room | Free

#### **Knit-2-Gether**

Bring your own creations to work on in a social setting. Knitting, crocheting, embroidery and more. Come for conversation, friendship, and sharing ideas.

Thursdays, 9:00 am - 12:00 pm Sun Room | Free

#### **Tim's Bits Woodcarving**

Woodcarving is a time-tested hobby that many find both relaxing and fun. Come and find out what it is all about. Beginners are welcome. Bring your own tools and projects.

Wednesdays, 9:00 - 11:00 am SunRoom | Free



#### **Cards and Games**

LSRS membership is required to participate in these programs.

All are welcome, no experience necessary. Beginners will be taught how to play.

#### **Bridge - Partners**

Mondays, 1:00 - 4:00 pm Sun Room | Free

#### **Bridge**

Fridays, 1:00 - 4:00 pm Sun Room | Free

#### Canasta

Tuesdays, 12:30 - 4:00 pm Brock - Douglas Room | Free

#### Cribbage

Wednesdays, 1:00 - 3:00 pm Main Hall | Free

#### Cribbage

Fridays, 10:00 am - 12:00 pm Lounge | Free



#### **Traditional Euchre**

Wednesdays, 1:00 - 3:00 pm Sun Room | Free

#### **Mexican Dominoes**

This fun domino game can be played with 2-5 players to a table. Wednesdays and Fridays 12:30 - 4:00 pm Lounge | Free

#### Samba

Fridays, 11:00 am - 3:00 pm Brock - Douglas Room | Free

#### **Shanghai Rummy**

Wednesdays, 12:30 - 4:00 pm Brock - Douglas Room | Free

#### Whist

Thursdays, 12:30 - 4:00 pm Sun Room | Free

Cards & board games are available every Saturday on a first-come, first-served basis.

#### **Health, Fitness & Sports**

# **October Walks**

Enjoy treks through the beautiful trails in the City and Township of Langley.

Wednesdays at 10 am

October 2
Municipal Nature Park
224 St & approx. 5th Avenue

October 9
Pitt Meadows Dyke
Meet at Church at 9:30am
21015 96th Avenue

October 16
Brae Island
Meet at 9451 Glover Road

October 23
Campbell Valley Park
River Loop and Racetrack
16th Avenue parking lot

October 30

Derek Doubleday Arboretum

Meet at LSRS Rec Centre

Fridays at 10 am

October 4
Campbell Valley Park
Ravine trail/some hills
8th Avenue parking lot

October 11 Blauuw Eco Forest 8640 257A Street

October 18
Derby Reach
21801 Allard Crescent

October 25
Brydon Lagoon
Meet at Portage Park
204th & 51A Avenue

November 1
Fort to Fort Trail
Meet at Bedford Plaza

Wednesday Walking Group Leader Al Frost: cell 604-240-3607

home (preferred): 604-534-1798

Friday Walking Group Leader Carole Chesham: 604-825-2636 Landline: 604-530-1741

#### **Health, Fitness & Sports**

LSRS membership is required to participate in these programs, except where noted.

#### **Adaptive & Lively Chair Yoga**

An energetic/gentle class to improve strength, flexibility, mobility and breathwork while exploring the benefits of yoga from a seated position. Practice all important balance skills while standing or sitting.

Suggestion: bring your own mat and strap. This class requires being barefoot or wearing non-slip socks or shoes.

Tuesdays, November 5 - December 17 10:15 - 11:15 am | Main Hall Members - \$49 | Non-members - \$59 Cancel/Refund by October 22

#### Fit 'n' Fab

Join Stacey for an inclusive and diverse class for all levels that work on aerobic fitness, strength, flexibility, and balance. Use bands, weights, balls, and body weight for a full body workout.

Tuesdays and Thursdays
9:00 - 10:00 am | Main Hall
10 session punch cards:
Members - \$60 Non-Members - \$75
Drop-in - \$7.50

#### **Fusion Chair Yoga**

Combines the benefits of chair yoga with the bonus of optional hand weights and resistance bands for additional strengthening and stretching. Practice all important balance skills while standing or sitting.

Suggestion: bring your own mat. Other props available. This class requires being barefoot or wearing non-slip socks or shoes.

Thursdays, November 7 - December 19 10:15 - 11:15 am | Main Hall

Members - \$49 | Non-Members - \$59 Cancel/Refund by October 24

#### **Accessible Mat Yoga**

Adapted for everyone, practice stability, balance and strengthening while standing. Participants must be able to independently transition safely and comfortably down to the mat for stretching.

Saturdays, November 2 - December 14 12:00 - 1:00 pm | Main Hall Members - \$42 | Non-Members - \$52 Cancel/Refund by October 26 No session - November 23 (closed for the Craft Fair)

#### **Health, Fitness and Sports**

LSRS membership is required to participate in these programs, except where noted.

#### **Carpet Bowling**

Join us for non-strenuous, fun rounds of carpet bowling!

Tuesdays and Thursdays

1:00 - 3:00 pm

Main Hall | \$13/year



#### **Line Dancing**

Git 'yer boots scootin' with Darlene. Tuesdays, Nov 5 - Dec 17 11:30 am - 12:30 pm | Main Hall \$49 members | \$59 non-members Cancel/Refund by October 22

#### **Table Tennis**

This light exercise promotes hand-eye coordination and helps keep you fit. Beginners and experienced players are welcome. Please wear running shoes or light-coloured rubber-soled non-slip shoes.

Mondays & Wednesdays:

10:00 am - 12:00 pm

Saturdays: 9:30 am - 11:30 am

Main Hall | \$10/year

#### **Gardening Circle**

Keep the plants, flowers and gardens looking great at the Recreation and Resource Centre. Choose your hours and workload. Meet others at informal gatherings.

Seasonal (weather permitting) | Free



#### **Snooker**

Play a game of snooker with friends in the best snooker room in Langley! No food and drinks with lids only.

Monday - Friday, 9:00 am - 4:00 pm Saturdays - 9:00 am - 2:00 pm Snooker Room | \$30/year



#### **Health, Fitness and Sports**



Taiwan, Singapore, and Malaysia.

#### **Conversation, Social, and Education Programs**

LSRS membership is required to participate in these programs.

#### **Changing Gears**

Come join this group of young-minded individuals who enjoy socializing, good conversation, and making new friends while finding their 'new normal' adapting to changes in their lives.

1st Wednesday of the Month, 10:30 am - 12:00 pm

Brock - Douglas Room | Free

#### **Circle of Friends**

A casual, welcoming, upbeat gathering of people making and growing friendships. We share common interests and personal stories and get together for a meal outside the Centre once a month.

Mondays, 11:30 am - 12:30 pm

Brock - Douglas Room | Free

#### **Flying Solo**

This is a group for individuals who have lost a spouse, partner or loved one. Please join us to meet new people and make friends. Includes support, topic discussions, trivia, humour, resource materials and monthly lunch outings. We all share a loss but together we move forward.

Tuesdays, 11:00 am - 12:00 pm Brock - Douglas Room | Free

#### The Diners Club

Discover the dining delights of Langley with foodie-friends. New location every month. Numbers are limited so register early!



#### Tuesday, October 1 at 6:00pm

#### **Boston Pizza**

19700 Langley Bypass

Join us for pasta Tuesday! All gourmet pastas are \$15.99.

#### **Tuesday, November 5 at 6:00pm**

#### Sushi Ami

20151 Fraser Highway

Specializing in Japanese and Korean cuisine. Menu features sushi, sashimi, and tempura options.

#### **Book Club**

Meet other enthusiastic readers, discuss books, and help choose each month's title. Books will be provided. Members only.

1st Thursday of the Month, 12:30 pm Activity Room | Free

#### **Conversation, Social, and Education Programs**

#### **Caregiver Support Groups**

Support groups are free and open to members and non-members. They are for anyone caring for an adult family member or friend with a chronic physical or cognitive health condition. The demands and responsibilities of caregiving can be overwhelming and stressful and speaking with others can help you cope. For more information, contact Alicia Koback at 778-328-2302 ext. 1 or aliciak@lsrs.ca.

#### **Caregiver Support Group**

This support group is open to all. Thursdays, 1:00 - 2:30 pm Recreation and Resource Centre location

#### **Men's Caregiver Support Group**

This support group is open to men. Tuesdays, 1:15 - 2:15 pm Adult Day Program Location

#### **Saturday Social**

A self-run hangout for folks who want to chat and make connections.

Saturday, 11:00 am - 12:00 pm | Brock-Douglas Room | Free



#### **Senior Pride Social Group**

A space for folks over 50 in the LGBTQ2S+ community to gather, connect and engage in meaningful conversation. An environment where we can make connections and memories with our like-spirited neighbours with informal fun, guest speakers, and lunch companionship.

We meet the third Tuesday of every month. Sorry, this group is not for allies.

Please contact **seniorpride.lsrs@gmail.com** for schedule and more information.

Society membership or Langley residency are not required.

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#### **Conversation, Social, and Education Programs**

LSRS membership is NOT required to participate in this program.

# Free & Open to the Public MONDAY MORNING TALK SHOW Mondays @ 10 am

#### OCTOBER 7

#### THE IMPORTANT ROLE OF NATURAL IMMUNITY IN HEALTH AGING

Our aging immune system leaves us susceptible to the development of cancer, chronic inflammatory diseases, infections, and an overall decline in health. Learn what you can do to boost your natural immunity.

> Dr. Hal Gunn CEO and Founder, Qu Biologics

#### **OCTOBER 21**

#### MOVEMENT IS MEDICINE

Big picture talk on the benefits derived from physical movement on parameters like longevity, balance, strength and happiness.

#### Dan Sivertson

Owner, Pure Form Physio BHK, BSc PT, M. Manual Ther. CGIMS



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#### **OCTOBER 14**

#### CLOSED - THANKSGIVING



#### OCTOBER 28

#### **BUSTING BAT MYTHS**

Bats are an often misunderstood mammal. Terri-Lou will share why bats are so important and why they are such good community citizens. Find out how loss of natural habitats is threatening bats and what you can do to help.

#### Terri-Lou Trainor

Certified Bat Ambassador, a member of the Langley Field Naturalists and a Citizen Scientist with BC Bats

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#### **Bus Trip Information**

For the safety, concern and enjoyment of all passengers, volunteers and staff, please read the following information before booking a bus trip.

#### **Accessibility**

All passengers must be physically able to do the following in order to take a trip unaided:

- Walk a minimum of 2 km.
- Be able to walk up and down the bus stairs unaided.
- Have good balance so that uneven surfaces do not become a fall hazard.
   This includes boat ramps, walks outdoors and gravel pathways.
- Not require the use of a scooter.

If you require additional support, you must bring an aide with you.

Bus capacity only allows for 2 walkers on a full bus. If you have not notified LSRS that you are bringing a walker, you may not be able to bring it.

Tips for the driver are not included and much appreciated.

#### **Policies**

Please speak to the Manager of Programs and Member Engagement if you need special arrangements to accommodate you for a trip prior to registering. Failure to do so could forfeit your ability to come on the trip and no refunds will be given.

- Bus trips begin and end at the Recreation and Resource Center. You must have a ride to the Center and home. If you are walking home, be aware of the time we will be returning.
- Drivers, guides, hosts/hostesses, and staff are not allowed to give participants a ride home. The guide or host/hostess can call you a cab.
- Do not rely on other passengers to give you a ride home unless arranged prior to the trip.
- All belongings, including scooters, cannot be left in the Recreation and Resource Center while you are on a trip.
- Minimum of 14 days notice is required for cancellations/refunds.





#### **Bus Trips**

# **CHINATOWN STORYTELLING**

#### Friday, October 4 | 8:15 am - 4:15 pm

Members \$119 Non-Members \$139

Visit the recently opened Chinatown Storytelling Center for a guided tour featuring personal stories told by the community about specific memories, objects, and people that shaped who they are today. Enjoy lunch at Peaceful Restaurant, a Chinatown neighbourhood sightseeing tour and an afternoon stop at T & T Supermarket Chinatown store. Activity Level: Easy

#### PACKAGE INCLUDES

Cafe Calabria morning coffee | Chinatown Storytelling Center | Iunch at The Peaceful Restaurant | Neighbourhood Coach Sightseeing Tour | T & T Supermarket Chinatown All fees and taxes



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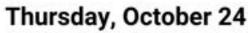


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Activity Level: Moderate



7:15 am - 5:15 pm Members \$169 Non-Members \$189

#### PACKAGE INCLUDES

1.5 hour Boeing Factory Tour Admission to Boeing Gallery Shopping at the Boeing Store Lunch at Ivar's Mukilteo Landing All fees and taxes



Enjoy

#### **Bus Trips**



# CIRQUE DU SOLEIL ECHO

ECHO tells a tale of connection, intention, and the bond between humans, the animal kingdom and the world we share through a stunning show of acrobatics, technology and artistry. Includes escorted entry and lunch on Commercial Drive prior to the show.

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y, Nov 2 Sunday, Nov 24 nd date - 6:45pm 9am - 4:15pm 1pm show

Members \$169 | Non-Members \$189



Cirque Du Soleil ticket | Escorted Entry Light Lunch - Cafe Callabria | All fees and taxes



Enjoy



Travel to the Chehalis/Harrison River Estuary to view large numbers of Bald and Golden Eagles. Find your perch at the Sandpiper Resorts Observation Deck, at Eagle Point Community Park, and the shores of the Harrison and Fraser Rivers near the Kilby Historic site.

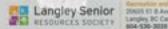
#### Thursday, November 28

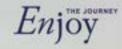
9:15 am - 5:15 pm

Members \$119 | Non-Members \$139

#### PACKAGE INCLUDES

Rivers Edge Restaurant Lunch | Multiple Viewing Locations in Eagle Point Community Park | Kilby Historic Site Admission All fees and taxes











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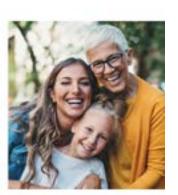
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