

SEPTEMBER CALENDAR

- ⑥ **RDN Board Meeting**
1 p.m.
- ⑧ **RDN Electoral Area Services Committee**
1 p.m.
- ②③ **RDN Special Board Meeting**
10 a.m.
- ②⑦ **RDN Board Meeting**
1 p.m.

All Board, Electoral Area Services Committee and Hospital District Board meetings take place in the Board Chambers at 6300 Hammond Bay Road, Nanaimo and are also webstreamed.

OUR RDN – PHOTO CONTEST WINNERS

Congratulations to the winners of the *Our RDN - Photo Contest!*

- **Enjoying Our Great Outdoors:** Tracy L.
- **My Hometown:** Gordon P.
- **Going Green:** Angie O.
- **Your Region (Youth):** Finn H.
- **People's Choice Award:** Saffron C.
- **Draw Prize Winner:** David A.

Thank you to all who submitted photos as well as to those who voted for their favourite images. To view the contest photos showcasing the diversity and spirit of our region, visit www.getinvolved.rdn.ca/photo-contest-2022.



www.getinvolved.rdn.ca

2022 GENERAL LOCAL ELECTIONS

Interested in running in the RDN general local elections? The candidate nomination deadline is September 9 at 4 p.m. Learn more at www.rdn.bc.ca/2022elections.



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WATER STEWARDSHIP REBATES

Rainwater Harvesting: Eligible RDN residents can receive up to \$750 for the installation or addition of 1,000 imperial gallons of rainwater storage.

Irrigation Upgrades and Soil Improvements: Eligible RDN residents can receive up to \$475 for irrigation upgrades and/or 50 per cent off garden soil improvements up to \$100. Receive \$100 bonus rebate for completing both irrigation and soil upgrades.

Wellhead Upgrades and

Well Water Testing: Eligible RDN residents can receive up to \$650 for wellhead upgrades or up to \$500 for the closure of any unused well. In addition, 50 percent off (up to \$175) a full spectrum water quality analysis is available to RDN private well-owners.



For a complete breakdown of RDN rebate programs, eligibility and information on how to apply, visit www.rdnrebates.ca or call 250-390-6560.

www.rdnrebates.ca

ELECTORAL AREA A PARKS, RECREATION AND CULTURE

The RDN will be collaborating with local partners to offer direct recreation and culture programming to the Electoral A community. Do you have an idea for a program or workshop you would like to offer in Yellowpoint, Cassidy, South Wellington or Cedar through the RDN Recreation and Parks department? We'd love to hear about it. Visit www.rdn.bc.ca/ea-program-proposal for more information.

The South Wellington Community Centre project is underway. Stay tuned at www.getinvolved.rdn.ca/south-wellington-community-centre and sign up for updates as the project moves forward.

www.rdn.bc.ca/ea-program-proposal

TRANSIT SEASONAL SERVICE CHANGE

Effective September 4, 2022

- Increased service frequency to routes serving secondary and post-secondary institutions
- Adjusted schedules to match BC Ferries' Departure Bay and Horseshoe Bay sailings



For more information, please visit www.bctransit.com/nanaimo

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PARKS RECREATION AND CULTURE COMMISSION

The next Parks Recreation and Culture Commission meeting is:

EA A: Cedar, South Wellington, Yellowpoint, Cassidy
September 21 at 7 p.m.
Cedar Heritage Centre (not webstreamed)
1644 MacMillan Road, Nanaimo

www.rdn.bc.ca/recreation-and-parks-advisory-committees

PARKS & OPEN SPACE ADVISORY COMMITTEE

The next Parks & Open Space Advisory Committee meeting is:

EA B: Gabriola, Mudge and Decourcy Islands
September 26 at 10:30 a.m.
Gabriola Agricultural Co-op (Agi Hall) (webstreamed)
465 South Road, Gabriola

www.rdn.bc.ca/recreation-and-parks-advisory-committees

REGIONAL PARKS AND TRAILS SELECT COMMITTEE

The next Regional Parks and Trails Select Committee meeting is:

September 7 at 10 a.m.
Board Chambers (webstreamed)
6300 Hammond Bay Road, Nanaimo

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