

AUGUST CALENDAR



MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY
3 CLOSED FOR STATUTORY HOLIDAY	GROCERY 4 1-4PM	GROCERY 5 1-4PM	WOMEN'S GROCERY 6 10-12PM
10 GAMES DAY 2-4PM	11 GRUPO LATINO 5-7PM	12	13 SURREY GROUP 2-4PM
17 GAMES DAY 2-4PM	GROCERY 18 1-4PM POSITIVE TALK 5:30-7:30PM	GROCERY 19 1-4PM BANNOCK IN THE RESOURCE CENTRE	WOMEN'S GROCERY 20 10-12PM
24 GAMES DAY 2-4PM	25 GRUPO LATINO 5-7PM SURREY GROUP 5:30-7:30PM	26	27
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Join Viva, hosted by Ribbon Community. Viva is a community of women living with HIV in BC, who communicate with other HIV-positive women directly, primarily online.

Viva provides peer support, reduces isolation, offers a notice board for its members to post events and information related to HIV/AIDS, and a space to connect people who want to take action on the issues that are important to them.

POSITIVE TALK

THIRD TUESDAY | 6:00–7:30 PM

Positive Talk brings together people living with HIV, and welcomes everyone in our communities. Peers host dedicated spaces for African, Caribbean, and Black community members (Leon), women (Millennium), and Arabic speakers (Meryam).

Call or text **Leon** at 236-833-0766 for the ACB Group
Call or text **Gary** at 236-833-0175 for Positive Talk
Call or text **Millennium** at 236-833-0949 for Womens Group

مجموعة اجتماعية باللغة العربية. كل ثالث ثلاثاء من كل شهر. من الساعة 6:00 مساءً حتى 7:30 مساءً. طعام، أصدقاء، ومعلومات عن فيروس نقص المناعة. سيكون هناك سحب لبطاقات الهدايا في نهاية الاجتماع. لمزيد من المعلومات، اتصلوا بمریم -اتصل أو أرسل رسالة نصية إلى 333-236-2975.

RIBBON'S NEWSLETTERS

Ribbon Community runs many programs, with some having dedicated newsletters. Scan the QR code(s) below to sign up for the programs of your choice to keep up to date with what they're doing!

If you are having trouble signing up, please contact Nabaa at NabaaR@RibbonCommunity.org

- **Ribbon Insider:** Stay up to date with evering taking place during a month in the lower mainland at Ribbon Community.



- **Positive Gathering/Surrey Group:** A social group for folks living with HIV that takes place in Surrey.



- **GIPA/MEPA:** This program meaningfully engages and involves people living with HIV in public policy dicussions.



- **Grupo Latino:** Nuestro Grupo Latino es un grupo exclusivo para personas que se encuentren viviendo con el virus del VIH y es en español.



- **Positive Talk:** A social group bringing together different communitites of people who are living with HIV



- **Indigenous Programs:** Our Indigenous programs are developed by and with the Indigenous Commitee, sign up to stay up to date on when events are happening.



RIBBON IN SURREY

August 13 | 2:00-4:00 PM

August 25 | 5:30-7:30 PM

All people living with HIV are welcome at this free group hosted in Surrey. We will have snacks and a draw for \$25.00.

Contact **Joshna** at JoshnaH@RibbonCommunity.org

Text/call/phone **604-315-1968** for additional details.

GROCERY SPECIALS

August 4, 5, & 6:

- Tuna
- Ravioli
- Pasta
- Pasta Sauce

August 18, 19, & 20:

- Rice
- Soup
- Cereal
- Corned Beef

LEISURE ACCESS PROGRAM

August 19 | 1:00 - 4:00 PM

First Floor of 1101 Seymour St

The Leisure Access program provides free and reduced cost admissions to Park Board facilities for Vancouver residents.

A staff member from the Vancouver Board of Parks and Recreation will be here to answer any questions about the program and to sign people up. **This is open to everyone at Ribbon Community.**

BANNOCK DAY

August 19 in the Resource Centre

Bannock from Mr. Bannock will be served during the day in the Resource Centre on the 4th floor at Ribbon. Feel free to stop by and grab yourself some bannock.