

Calendar

Tri-City Home Show

Friday, March 24

1 – 8 p.m.

Saturday, March 25

9:30 a.m. – 5:30 p.m.

Sunday, March 26

10 a.m. – 4 p.m.

Poirier Sport and Leisure Complex

Monday, March 27

Council-in-Committee

2 p.m.

Regular Council

7 p.m.

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Council Meeting Details

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Building an Inclusive Community Coquitlam Adds Translation Tool to Website

Recognizing that over 40% of Coquitlam residents were born outside of Canada – with China, South Korea and Iran being the top three countries of origin – the City has added the Google™ Translate tool to the coquitlam.ca website. With the ability to translate the web content into over 100 languages, this tool makes the City’s online information more accessible to those who may speak other languages. You can find out more about the translation tool at coquitlam.ca/translate.

To learn more about what we are doing to ensure Coquitlam is safe, inclusive and accessible for everyone, and what you can do to support equity, diversity and inclusion in our community, visit coquitlam.ca/EDI.

Fitness and Fun Get Creative in Art Classes at MCC

This spring, Maillardville Community Centre, located at 1200 Cartier Ave., is offering a variety of art classes. Check out:

- Loose Watercolor Painting (Course ID# 113215)
- Watercolor Illustration (Course ID# 113218)
- Nature Journaling (Course ID# 113212)
- Youth Drawing (Course ID# 113238)
- Comic Creations (Course ID#113242)

To register online, go to coquitlam.ca/registration and click Register for Programs. In the online registration system, type the course ID# in the keyword search bar to view the program and sign up, or call 604-927-4386.

Neighbourhood News Maillardville Community Centre

Maillardville Community Centre offers programs and amenities for all interests and abilities.

Programs Include:

- Parent and child drop-ins
- Early years programs
- Wide variety of sports
- Music, dance, science, cooking and art programs
- Fitness classes

Amenities:

- Gymnasium
- Fitness/dance studio
- Children’s indoor/outdoor program spaces
- Teaching kitchen
- Multipurpose rooms
- Youth and Seniors lounges
- Room rentals

Learn more about Maillardville Community Centre’s feature amenities, activities and programs at coquitlam.ca/MCC.



Looking Out for Our Environment New Top-Ups to Heat Pump Rebates

Now is the time to convert to an energy-efficient heat pump. The City is offering a new rebate top-up for Coquitlam households who swap their natural gas, propane or oil heating systems to an electric heat pump – in addition to rebates already being offered by provincial and federal government programs. Heat pumps are the most energy-efficient way to heat or cool a home in B.C. and can replace heat sources, such as a furnace or baseboards, and air conditioners. They are more climate-friendly than heaters, which use fossil fuels and pump greenhouse gases into the environment.

Pop by the Tri-City Home Show this weekend at Poirier Sport and Leisure Complex, visit the City of Coquitlam booth and ask our staff your questions. Rebates provide qualifying homeowners \$350 to \$1,200, depending on their conversion.

You can find all the details by visiting coquitlam.ca/energyupgrades.

Did You Know? Coquitlam Utility Bill Deadline

Coquitlam homeowners have a few days left to pay their utility bills before incurring a five per cent penalty.

Utility bills were issued at the end of February and cover the costs for water service, sewer service, garbage and green waste collection. Utility payments are due March 31. After this date, a five per cent penalty will be added to amounts unpaid. For more information, visit coquitlam.ca/utility.

Receive reminders and important information regarding your utility bill and property tax by subscribing to the Property Tax and Annual Utility Bill Reminders NotifyMe list. Visit coquitlam.ca/notifyme to subscribe.

Financial Assistance for Recreation

Making recreation affordable and accessible.

Eligible residents can apply today.

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