



# CHILLIWACK Greenheart News

June  
2013

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Information on current events, announcements and policies from your City Council

## Burning Is Prohibited Including for Cooking

Effective May 1 to September 30, 2013 all outdoor burning is prohibited within the City of Chilliwack. This ban also applies to the use of a wood burning fire for cooking or outdoor wood burning appliances such as Chimineas.

Burning restrictions do not apply to gas fueled appliances such as BBQ's or outdoor heaters.

Please help protect our airshed and consider using 'green' options for disposing of debris such as the Parr Road site or on-site composting.

Burning in a prohibited season will result in fines ranging from \$250 - \$1000.

For more information call 604.792.8713 or visit [chilliwack.com/burning](http://chilliwack.com/burning).



## Village Classic Car Show Downtown

Sunday, June 23 | 11 am to 4 pm

The 11th Annual Village Classic Car Show comes to life downtown for 5 hours of free, family fun. Definitely one of the hottest events of the summer in Chilliwack. Stroll the streets of Wellington, Mill, Young, Victoria, and upper Yale and relive the memories of over 300 classic cars. Then, look to the future with our new tuner car section featuring custom builds and awesome audio systems.

### Vehicle Registration

Car enthusiasts, mark your calendars! Vehicle registration begins at 7:00 am at the Landing Sports Centre at 45530 Spadina Avenue. Vehicles will then be escorted to the event venue starting at 9:00 am. For more information, please email [events@downtownchilliwack.com](mailto:events@downtownchilliwack.com), visit [downtownchilliwack.com/event](http://downtownchilliwack.com/event) or call 604.792.4576.

## Buskers/Street Entertainers Needed Again

The City of Chilliwack is looking for any Buskers/Street Entertainers to perform downtown during the summer months. This is a great opportunity to display your talent and earn money at the same time.

The Busking season runs from the beginning of May until the end of September. Buskers will need to fill out an application and perform an audition. Successful entertainers will be authorized to perform seven days a week from 10:00 am until 10:00 pm, at their convenience. The more entertainers interested, the more locations we can add. Only Buskers/Street Entertainers with an application, validated by the City of Chilliwack, will be permitted to perform.

For more information email [info@chilliwack.com](mailto:info@chilliwack.com) or call 604.793.2904.



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## water RESTRICTIONS

June 1 to September 30

5:00 am to 8:00 am or  
7:00 pm to 10:00 pm

Even numbered addresses:

Wednesday and Saturday

Odd numbered addresses:

Thursday and Sunday

## Speed Watch Coordinator Needed

Speed Watch is a volunteer organization sponsored by ICBC that works directly with the RCMP and the City of Chilliwack to create traffic regulation awareness. The program is currently looking for a volunteer coordinator. If you would like to know more, please call 604.393.3000.

## Property Taxes

### Claim Home Owner Grant Online

The Home Owner Grant application, that forms part of your Tax Notice (located on the bottom of your Notice), MUST be received on or before the due date of July 2, 2013 in order to avoid penalties being imposed. Home Owner Grant applications that are incomplete, unclaimed or late will result in penalty charges.

### Convenience at Your Fingertips

Home Owner Grant applications, payments and historical property information can all be completed or acquired online at [mychilliwack.com](http://mychilliwack.com). Please call the City Tax Department at 604.792.9498 or email [info@chilliwack.com](mailto:info@chilliwack.com) if you have questions or need assistance, or, if you do not receive your Property Tax Notice.

## It's Time For The Green Commute Bike To Work/School Challenge

May 20 - June 2

Win This Bike!  
Manhattan Smoothie  
\$429 Value



The City of Chilliwack's annual 'Bike to Work/School' challenge is designed to encourage residents to leave their cars at home and use another form of sustainable transportation for their commute.

If you do not own a bike, try car pooling, walking or using public transportation as an alternative.

By participating in sustainable transportation, you will be eligible to enter to win a new bike. For more information, please visit [chilliwack.com/btw](http://chilliwack.com/btw) or call 604.793.2907.

## Grand Opening Sardis Library

Monday, June 24

Join the festivities at the official opening of the Sardis Library.

For more information, email [info@chilliwack.com](mailto:info@chilliwack.com) or call 604.793.2900.

## Summer Programs From Our Libraries

### Yarrow Days at Pioneer Park - June 1

Library staff will be hosting a craft table for kids and a 'How's That Made' activity table for tweens and teens, small book sale and contests.

### Chilliwack Library Photo Contest

June 1 - August 10

Amateur photographers can showcase their talent. After judging, photographs will be displayed in the library. Prizes awarded Sept. 4 at 7pm.

### Up, Up & Away - Jun. 10 to Aug. 31

Hey Kids, dust off your wings, pump up your zeppelins, strap on your jetpacks and go up, up and away with the Summer Reading Club (all locations). It's FUN & FREE!

**Puppet Show, Elspeth Bowers - Chilliwack Library**  
Sat. June 22 - 10:30 to 11:30 am

Make safety a priority  
and join the fun!

10am - 2pm  
Sears Parking Lot  
Cottonwood Mall

ROAD SAFETY  
Day June 15

Crash Simulator  
Helicopter  
Fire Trucks  
Huge Tonka Truck  
Car Seat  
Inspections  
Prizes

Bring the family and join us for an all out jam packed day of safety with a helicopter, fire trucks, RCMP Rollover Crash Simulator, police cars, RCMP command centre, a huge 'Tonka' tow truck and so much more.

If you would like more information, please visit [safercity.ca](http://safercity.ca), email [info@chilliwack.com](mailto:info@chilliwack.com) or call 604.793.2907.