

REGISTRATION OPENS June 18th 2025 10:00am in-person

RAYCAM COOPERATIVE CENTRE SUMMER 2025 **PROGRAM GUIDE**







We're grateful to come together on the traditional, ancestral and unceded territories of the x^wməθk^wəýəm (Musqueam), Skwxwú7mesh (Squamish), and səlilwətal (Tsleil-Waututh) Nations.

ABOUT RAYCAM

RayCam Cooperative Centre is located in the Downtown Eastside/Strathcona/Hastings Corridor of the inner city of Vancouver. RayCam opened its doors in 1976 through the effort of area residents, the City of Vancouver and CMHC. The Centre provides a wide range of services and outreach programs for community residents.



We are jointly operated by two Associations with volunteer Boards of Directors who live in the community. The Board works in partnership with The City of Vancouver, The Vancouver Board of Parks and Recreation and The British Columbia Housing Management Commission.

RayCam Cooperative Centre is a centre for the young and old, providing recreational and social activities where new skills can be learned. We provide youth, family and mutual support services and we operate a Licensed Daycare for 3 to 5 year old children and Licensed Out Of School Care for school aged children. We are a place where old friends meet and where new friends are made. We have a full sized gym, a games room, after school programs, evening programs, a senior's lounge and family programs.

Through strategies and partnerships RayCam builds capacity and provides a place for community to come together ensuring community voices are heard.

JUN30 - AUG 30

INFORMATION

Cooperative Centre		Fitness Centre	
Monday to Friday	9:00 AM - 6:00 PM	Monday to Friday	9:00 AM - 5:45 PM
Saturday	9:00 AM - 5:00 PM	Saturday	9:00 AM - 4:45 PM
Sunday	Closed	Sunday	Closed
Statutory Holidays	July 1 Aug 4	Statutory Holidays	July 1 Aug 4

^Subject to change without notice.

*A OneCard is required and scanned at front desk before entry. Last entry into Fitness Centre is 30 minutes before closing time.

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Program Registration

Programs are viewable online at www.vanrec.ca Registration is In Person or by Phone only. No Online Registrations.

Summer 2025

In person: Wednesday, June 18th 10AM

The following programs are run by the RayCam Cooperative Association. Please refer to their website for details and registration: <u>www.raycamcooperative.com</u>

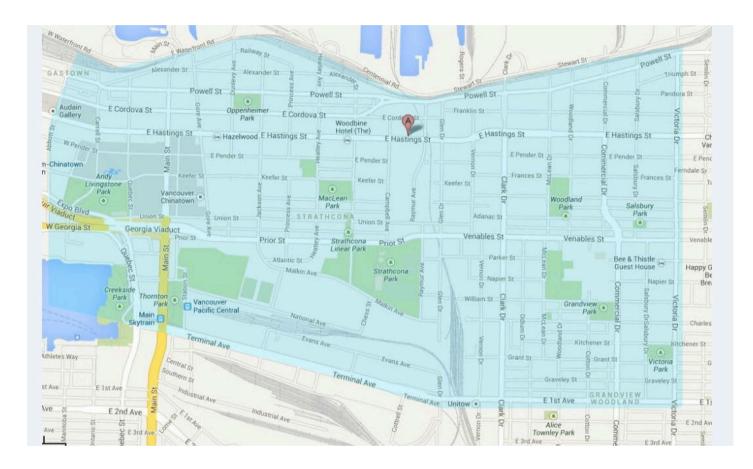
1. Daycare

2. Out of School Care (including summer camps)

3. Early Years and Family Support Programs

INFORMATION

RAYCAM IN-CATCHMENT



All programs at RayCam Cooperative Centre are free of charge for residents living in the Downtown Eastside catchment. All programs require a RayCam Membership loaded onto a OneCard and registration.

CHILDREN (6 - 9)

Art, Culture & Drama

Children/Preteen - Arts Club Stage Stars (8-12 yrs)

Dive into the world of drama with the amazing staff from the Arts Club! Its a place for kids aged 6-12 to unleash their creativity! Our weekly sessions are packed with fun activities that encourage self-expression and build confidence.

Tu Jul 08-Aug 19 | 11:00 AM-1:00 PM 569198

Sports

Children - Soccer (6-12yrs)

Kick into the game with the Children Soccer Program! Perfect your dribbling, master your shot, and play in a friendly, yet competitive environment. Open to all skill levels, this is where future stars are born and friendships are made. Lace up your sneakers and join the fun!

F Jul 11-Aug 22 | 1:00 PM-2:30 PM 569192



Children - Floor Hockey (6-12 yrs)

Join our fun floor hockey program for kids ages 6-9! Perfect for beginners and young players, this program teaches essential skills like dribbling, passing, and teamwork in a lively and friendly atmosphere. With enthusiastic coaches and exciting games, F Jul 11-Aug 22 | 2:30 PM-4:00 PM 569500

Camp

EFS Soccer Camp (6-12 yrs)

Please note: Parents are required to bring their children to the field, stay at the field during the camp, and bring their children home afterward.

Designed for young athletes ages 6-12, our camp offers the perfect blend of fun and skillbuilding on the field. Led by experienced coaches, kids will learn fundamental techniques, teamwork, and sportsmanship in a supportive environment.

Location: Trillium Field - 600 National Ave, Vancouver, BC V6A 2E5

M-F Jul 07-Jul 11 | 12:00 PM-1:30 PM 569196

Children - SportBall (6-9 yrs)

Score big with sports! Our quick-paced classes for kids aged 6 to 12 focus on multiple sports that are educational, has team spirit, and are a lot of fun! M Jul 07-Aug 18 | 4:00 PM-5:00 PM 569193



Social

Preteen - Youth Transitions (12-13 yrs)

Ready for what's next? Take the first steps into your teen years by signing up for these special youth lounge hangs. Aimed at preteens aging into their youth years. Experience a mix of hands-on activities and just hanging out, while building confidence and learning the ropes of this space. This is where the next chapter begins, fun included! Tu Jul 08-Aug 19 | 2:00 PM-3:30 PM 569208

Outings & Bus Excursions

Preteen - Preteen Adventures (9-12 yrs)

This field trip for preteens brings together all the best stuff—sports, swimming, beach vibes, and park adventures. It's all about getting active, making friends, and soaking up the sun while exploring the outdoors. Games, challenges, chill time, and nonstop action—this is where the fun happens. M Jul 7-Aug 18 | 11:00 AM-4:00 PM 569499

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YOUTH (13 - 18)

Social

Youth - Youth Lounge Drop-in (13-18 yrs)

Looking for a place to hang out? Come to the lounge for games and a fun place to hang out with our awesome Youth Team! Tu Jul 11-Aug 19 | 03:30 PM-5:30 PM F Jul 14-Aug 22 | 12:30 PM-5:30 PM 569209

Educational

Youth - Future Leaders Level Up (13-18 yrs)

Unlock your true potential with our dynamic youth program featuring hands-on workshops in a variety of exciting skills! From creative arts and technology to leadership and problem-solving, our instructors guide participants through interactive sessions that foster growth and exploration. Each workshop is designed to be engaging and educational, helping kids build confidence, discover new talents, and develop valuable life skills! W Jul 02-Aug 201:00 PM-3:00 PM 569205

Outings & Bus Excursions

Youth - Splash Crew (13-18 yrs)

Join us for a dynamic youth program that offers a variety of swimming experiences at both indoor/ourdoor pools and beaches. Participants will have the opportunity to develop their skills, stay active, and enjoy time in the water in a safe, supportive, and fun environment! M Jul 07-Aug 18 | 12:00 PM-4:00 PM 569201

Youth - Newworks Dance (12-18 yrs)

Get ready to move, groove, and express yourself! Our high-energy Hip Hop Dance Class is perfect for youth who want to learn the latest moves, build confidence, and have fun in a supportive, creative space. No experience needed—just bring your style, your energy, and your love of music. From classic foundations to new-school choreography, this class covers it all. Let's dance!

Tu Jul 8-Aug 19 | 03:30 PM-4:30 PM 570559



Youth - Teen Outings (13-18 yrs)

Get ready to explore your city like never before with Teen Outings! Our program is your passport to urban adventures and discovering hidden gems right in your backyard. From leisure sports and beach hangouts to sightseeing and park challenges, this program blends high-energy fun with time to chill and connect. It's the perfect mix of movement, freedom, and good vibes. Th Jul 03-Aug 21 | 11:00 AM-4:00 PM 569207

ADULTS & SENIORS (19+)

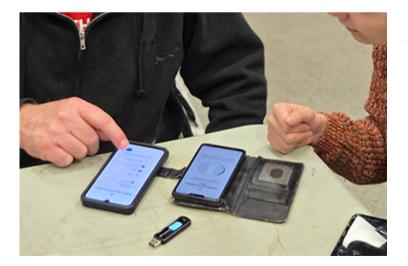
All Adults and Seniors programs are for participants living in-catchment or have no fixed addresses in the neighborhood

Art, Culture & Environment

Adults and Seniors - Cozy Crafters (19+ yrs) Join us for a creative session of variable arts and crafts with Ray Cam Staff and NICSS! No experience is necessary. Must register for the program. In-catchment participants only, please refer to the in-catchment map at the front desk. No session on July 1 and Aug 26. Tues Jul 8-Aug 19 10:30 AM-12:30 PM #564223 Seniors Lounge



Education



Adults & Seniors - Tech Cafe (19+ yrs)

In partnership between the DTES Literacy Roundtable and UBC Learning Exchange program. Join us if you need help with technology devices and e-accounts needed. Free drop in! No session on Aug 27. Wed Jul 2-Aug 20 1:00 PM-3:00 PM #564221 Seniors Lounge

ADULTS & SENIORS (19+)

Sports



Adults & Seniors - Badminton and Pickleball (19+ yrs) Join us for our Adults and Seniors Badminton & Pickleball Program—where fun comes first and experience is optional! Whether you're a seasoned pro or have never picked up a paddle, this is your chance to stay active and meet new friends. Please wear appropriate active wear and shoes.



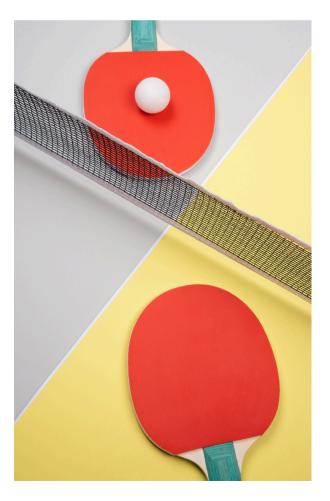
In-catchment registered participants only. Please refer to the in-catchment map at the front desk. No sessions on July 1, Aug 4 & Aug 25

Mon Jul 7-Aug 18 1:00-3:00 PM #565193 Gymnasium

Adults & Seniors - Ping Pong Drop-in (19+ yrs)

Join our Seniors Ping Pong Program? No experience needed, just a willingness to have a great time! Whether you're a seasoned paddler or have never held a paddle before, this is your chance to enjoy light exercise, laughter, and friendly matches. This program is for in catchment participants only. Please refer to the in-catchment map at the front desk. No sessions on July 1, Aug 4 & Aug 25.

- Mon Jul 7-Aug 18 10:15 AM-12:45 PM #565194
- Tues Jul 8-Aug 19 1:00 PM-3:30 PM #565195
- Wed Jul 2-Aug 20 12:30 PM-3:30 PM #565196
- Sat Jul 5-Aug 23 10:00 AM-1:00 PM #564238 Gymnasium



SENIORS (55+)

All Seniors programs are for participants living in-catchment or have no fixed addresses in the neighborhood

Social



Seniors - Bingo (55+ yrs)

Love playing Bingo? Come join us every Monday morning to play! No experience is necessary. Must register for the program. In-catchment participants only, please refer to the in-catchment map at the front desk. No session on Aug 4th and 25th. Mon Jul 7-Aug 25 10:30 AM-12:30 PM #564224 Seniors Lounge

Seniors - Karaoke (55+ yrs)

Love singing your heart out? Come join us every Wednesday and sing your favorite songs! No experience necessary! Must register for the program. In-catchment participants only, please refer to the in-catchment map at the front desk. No session on Aug 27. W Jul 2-Aug 20 10:00 AM-12:00 PM #564225 Seniors Lounge







Summer 2025 Seniors Out Trip Registration Dates



Seniors Out Trip registration **opens 7 days** before the out trip date. In-catchment seniors only. Seniors should wear active, comfortable clothes & shoes. Lunch is provided. Out trips are from 10am-3pm.

Friday July 4th - Deer Lake Park_#564226 Registration Date: Friday June 27th @ 9:00am Friday July 11th - Fort Langley #564227 Registration Date: Friday July 4th @ 9:00am

Friday July 18th - Locarno Beach #564228 **Registration Date:** Friday July 11th @ 9:00am

Friday July 25th - Bunzten Lake #564229 **Registration Date:** Friday July 18th @ 9:00am

Friday Aug 1st - Iona Regional Park #564231 Registration Date: Friday July 25th @ 9:00am Friday Aug 8th - Richmond Sunflower Fest #564233 Registration Date: Friday Aug 1st @ 9:00am Friday Aug 15th - Cypress Trestle Bridge #564234 Registration Date: Friday Aug 8th @ 9:00am

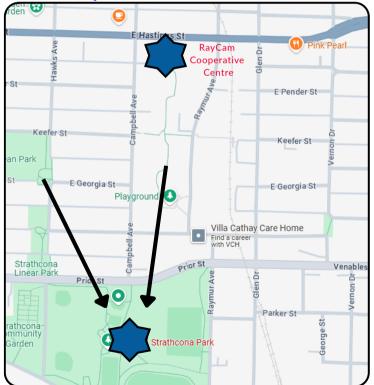
Friday Aug 22nd - Lonsdale Quay + Market #564235 Registration Date: Friday Aug 15th @ 9:00am



STRATHCONA PARK

Community - Strathcona Park (everyone)

Welcome to Strathcona Park, the ultimate destination for fun and excitement for all ages! Nestled amidst serene natural beauty, Strathcona Park offers a vibrant atmosphere filled with arts and crafts, skateboarding, sports, and games. Whether you're into painting masterpieces, scoring in soccer and basketball, or challenging others to friendly competitions, there's something for everyone here. Join us for endless adventures and unforgettable memories at Strathcona Park! Tu W Th Jul 02-Aug 28 | 11:30 PM-5:30 PM 569194



Community - Strathcona Park Location









SPECIAL EVENTS

RAYCAM

OPERATIVE CENTER & STRATHCONA COMMUNITY CENTER

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TUESDAY JULY 29TH @ 11:30AM-2:00PM STRATHCONA PARK 857 MALKIN AVE

BAT 202

