



# BC YOUTH WEEK 2020

## MEMBERSHIP INFORMATION

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## About BC Youth Week

**BC Youth Week** is a provincial celebration of youth held annually during the first week of May. It is a week of fun filled interaction and a celebration intended to build a strong connection between youth and their communities. This event is intended to highlight the interests, accomplishments, and diversity of youth across the province.

**BC Youth Week** operates as a member driven entity and has a structure in place for membership and sponsorship. This structure requires municipalities and organizations to support BC Youth Week through payment of an annual membership fee.

# Why Become a Member?



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## Engage, Empower and Mobilize Youth in Your Community

- ✓ BC Youth Week acts as a mechanism to amplify youth voices
- ✓ Empower youth to share their thoughts, opinions and ideas
- ✓ Support youth to engage with their peers, systems and decision makers



## Connect and Network with other Youth Serving Organizations

- ✓ Connect with over 30 youth serving organizations and programs
- ✓ Participate in monthly information sharing and planning meetings
- ✓ Tap into new ideas and strategies that you can share in your community



## Be a Part of a Provincial Initiative that Celebrates Youth

- ✓ Show your support for youth across British Columbia
- ✓ Have your events recognized as part of the BC Youth Week initiative
- ✓ Be recognized as a supporter of BC Youth Week



# Benefits of Membership



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- ➔ Exclusive use of the BC Youth Week logo and brand, as well as promotional materials
- ➔ Discounted pricing on BC Youth Week materials and swag
- ➔ Facilitator Guide with information and tips for hosting your own BC Youth Week events
- ➔ Exclusive access to grant opportunities to fund your events!
- ➔ Promotion of your events in our media kit, on our website, and social media channels
- ➔ Have access to resources, support and feedback from other BC Youth Week members



**Event:** Abbotsford Youth Commission,  
Paint and Pizza Event



# Membership Fees

Membership fees are collected annually and are utilized to offset costs relating to the overall coordination of BC Youth Week by a designated Marketing Consultant.

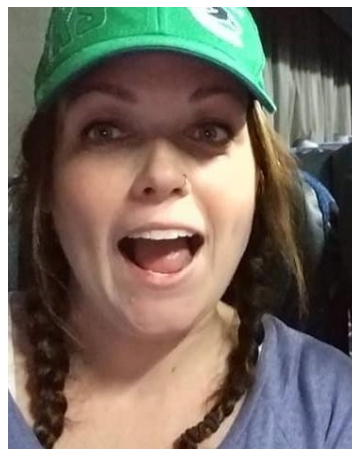
## Municipalities

<b>Large Municipality</b> 150,000 + population	<b>\$300 per year</b>
<b>Medium Municipality</b> 50,000 - 149,999 population	<b>\$200 per year</b>
<b>Small Municipality</b> 25,000 - 49,999 population	<b>\$100 per year</b>
under 25,000 population	<b>\$50 per year</b>

## Other

<b>Non-Profit / Charity</b>	<b>\$50 per year</b>
<b>Student / Parent Group</b>	<b>\$50 per year</b>
<b>Business / Other</b>	<b>\$100 per year</b>

**New members receive a 50% discount on their first year membership fee**



## **Member: City of Courtenay Representative: Alexis Forbes**

"The LINC Youth Centre, has been a member of the BCYW Committee for over 8 years. Over this time, the membership has grown, and accommodated the memberships diversity.

Living on Vancouver Island makes attending face-to-face meetings challenging, but regular conference calls and emails have made me feel more included in the group and has helped The LINC's Youth Week events build more of a presence. It has been awesome to connect with other youth coordinators and agencies and hear what events and initiatives they are launching to see if they could be adapted to our community.

I hope the committee can continue to grow and evolve as celebrating BC Youth is incredibly important - there are so many awesome things they are up to! Hope you'll join us!"



**Youth Week**  
British Columbia • May 1-7

**Contact BC Youth Week:**

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# I'm ready to become a BC Youth Week member, what's my next step?

We're excited to have you join us! Please click on the link below to complete our online BC Youth Week application form. Once we have received your application, we'll be in touch to start the next steps!

## BC Youth Week Membership Application

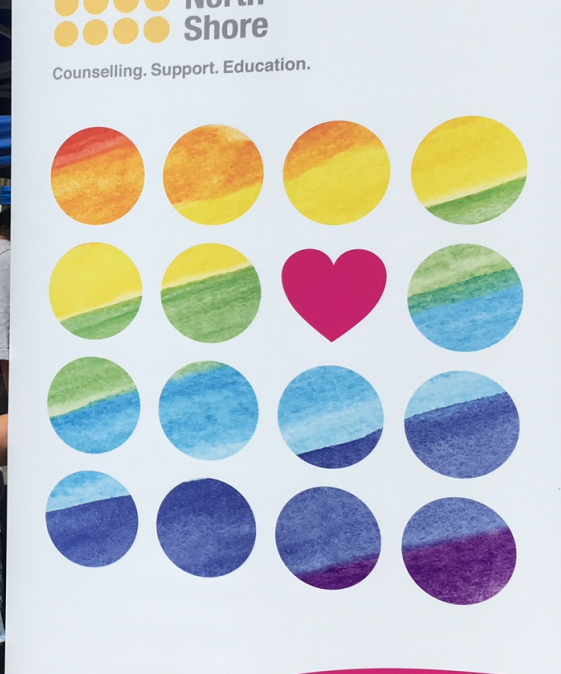


You can also download a pdf version of the application form on our website:  
[bcyouthweek.com/membership](http://bcyouthweek.com/membership)



Photo Credit: Greg Moore Youth Centre on Facebook





**Event:** CityFest, North Vancouver

**Member:** Family Services North Shore

## Our 2019 Members

Abbotsford Youth Commission  
 Abbotsford Bateman Secondary  
 Mental Wellness Committee  
 City of Abbotsford  
 Arrowsmith Recreation  
 BC Council for Families (BCCF)  
 City of Burnaby  
 Clearwater Secondary School  
 City of Coquitlam  
 Coquitlam Place Maillardville Community Centre  
 City of Courtenay  
 City of Delta  
 City of Langley  
 City of Maple Ridge  
 District of Mission

District of North Vancouver  
 Foundary BC  
 Oliver Parks and Recreation  
 District of Mission  
 City of Pill Meadows  
 City of Port Coquitlam  
 City of Richmond  
 Richmond Addiction Services Society  
 District of Squamish  
 City of Surrey  
 Surrey Alexandra Neighbourhood House  
 Surrey Pacific Community Resources  
 Vancouver Al-Mustafa Academy Centre  
 City of Vancouver  
 Vancouver Some Assembly Theatre  
 Company  
 Western Front Society  
 District of West Vancouver  
 Whistler Resort Municipality of Whilter





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