



CHINOOK WAWA DAY

ABORIGINAL CULTURAL EXPERIENCES

Saturday June 27, 2015.

Food, art, architecture, music, traditional medicine, carving and an opportunity for paddling. Gain insights into aboriginal cultures and learn a few words in Chinook Wawa, the trade language spoken throughout British Columbia.

Chinook Wawa was spoken by thousands of Aboriginal and non-aboriginal people from California to Alaska in the late 1800s. It was the working language of Vancouver in its early days, used at the Hastings Mill and canneries and mills along the coast. Most of the words come from native languages like Chinook and Nootka as well as French and English. Older British Columbians still use words of Wawa like **skookum** meaning robust, high **muckamuck** meaning bigwig and **saltchuck** meaning ocean.

Featured presenters will include Prof. Jay Powell, one of the few people who learned Wawa from aboriginal elders; Denise Sparrow, from the Musqueam First Nation who will provide food; Bill McLennan, of the Museum of Anthropology who is an authority on Aboriginal architecture et al, Debra Crabtree, Aboriginal Program Coordinator at Emily Carr and Artist James Harry.

The day will begin at 10:00 AM in Multipurpose Room 4. Participants should bring rain gear as some of the activities will be outside and may include paddling. The day will conclude at 4:00 PM. Lunch and refreshments will be provided by Denise Sparrow from Salishan Caterers Musqueam. The cost per participant will be \$35.

Priority registration will be given to youth, but this event is open to all ages. We have a limited number of youth scholarships available if cost of registration is an issue for your family.

Youth participants attending without their parents must have Application Forms and Waivers (pages 2-4 of this document) completed ahead of time. Families and adults please get in touch with Lynn at lzanatta@globalcivic.org

This event is sponsored by the [Global Civic Policy Society](#).

For more information please e-mail Lynn at lzanatta@globalcivic.org.

Chinook Wawa Day - Aboriginal Cultural Experience
Creekside Community Center
Saturday, June 27 10:00 AM to 4:00 PM



Chinook Wawa Day - Youth Participant Application Form and Waiver

Please submit your application as soon as possible, as space is limited. Please read the waiver (page 3 of this form) for information regarding cancellation policy.

Name of Youth Participant: _____

Male Female Age at camp: _____ Grade in Sept 2015: _____

Birthdate: _____

Phone: () _____

E-Mail: _____

Address Street: _____

City: _____ Province _____

Postal Code: _____

Parents' Name(s): _____

Phone: () _____

E-mail: _____

Emergency Contact: (other than parents who will be contacted first)

Name: _____

Relation: _____

Home Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Address: _____

PLEASE RETURN THIS FORM TO:

Chinook Wawa Day – Youth Participant
c/o Global Civic Policy Society

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Chinook Wawa Day: Aboriginal Cultural Experiences
HEALTH/MEDICAL INFORMATION FOR MINORS:
(To be filled out by the parent)

Please be open about the information you give us. Disclosure will not necessarily prevent a child from coming to camp, but failure to inform us could lead to difficulties. Without good information, we are less able to provide a positive experience for your child. Such situations might even result in the child having to be sent home at your expense.

B.C. Care Card number (or equivalent): _____

Doctor's Name: _____

Doctor's phone number: _____

Does the camper have any life-threatening medical condition of which we need to be aware? Yes No

Physical Difficulties Yes No

Emotional Difficulties Yes No

Social Difficulties Yes No

Behavioural Concerns Yes No

Learning Difficulties Yes No

Does your child need a teaching assistant, or is s/he in a special class at school? Yes No

If yes to any question, please explain:

Please indicate your child's present state of health:

List any drug and/or food allergies s/he has:

List medications (include name, dosage, daily schedule and reason for treatment):

List any dietary needs or restrictions:

Is there anything else we should know about your child?



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PARENTAL CONSENT/WAIVER FORM FOR MINORS**

1. I / we the parent or guardian of

Name of Youth Participant: _____

give my voluntary consent to his/her participation in the CHINOOK WAWA YOUTH CAMP activities. Furthermore, I authorize CHINOOK WAWA YOUTH CAMP, its staff or agents to approve and obtain any and all medical attention deemed necessary for the welfare and good health of the above named when ordered by professional medical staff; with the understanding that all reasonable attempts have been made to consult with myself beforehand, except in the case of minor illness and/or first aid where deemed appropriate including the administration of over the counter medications (Tylenol, antacid, antidiarrheal formula, allergy formula, cold formula, Gravol, Advil, etc.) to my camper without express permission given by myself.

2. I/we release CHINOOK WAWA YOUTH CAMP, its trustees, directors, corporation members, staff and agents from any loss, personal injury, accident, misfortune or damage to the above named or his/her property, with the understanding that reasonable precautions shall be taken to ensure the health and safety of the above named.
3. I/we understand the CHINOOK WAWA YOUTH CAMP, its staff or agents reserve the right to dismiss a participant who is, in their opinion, a hazard to the safety and well-being of others, or who appears to have rejected the reasonable guidelines of the activity.
4. I/we understand that an evaluation of my child may be necessary in order to determine whether s/he can be accommodated at camp.
5. I/we agree to permit reasonable use of photos and videos or other pictures of applicant campers in promoting the camp or camp activities and programs. I/we, the parent guardian of the youth named above, grant permission for my child to be photographed/recorded/filmed by news media as part of the CHINOOK WAWA YOUTH CAMP events, which may be covered by the news media.
6. I/we have read the application form and brochure and accept the conditions of enrolment.

Signature(s) of Parent/Guardian: _____

Date: _____

catering fee of \$35 enclosed