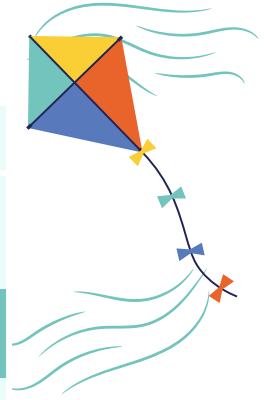




# September 2024 Programs



Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<b>2</b> CLOSED for Labour Day	<b>3</b> Drop in @ Quayside 9:30 - 11:30 AM	<b>4</b> Drop in @ Quayside 9:30 - 11:30 AM Drop in @ Eighth + Eight 9:30 - 11:30 AM	<b>5</b> Drop in @ Quayside 9:30 - 11:30 AM	<b>6</b> Drop in @ Quayside 9:30 - 11:30 AM Drop in @ Eighth + Eight 9:30 - 11:30 AM
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<b>16</b> Drop in @ Quayside 9:30 - 11:30 AM Baby Talk Drop in @ Quayside 1:00 - 2:00 PM AGM @ Quayside 7:00 - 9:00 PM *registered event	<b>17</b> Drop in @ Quayside 9:30 - 11:30 AM Positive Discipline @ Quayside 12:30-2:30 PM *registered course	<b>18</b> Drop in @ Quayside 9:30 - 11:30 AM	<b>19</b> Drop in @ Quayside 9:30 - 11:30 AM	<b>20</b> Drop in @ Quayside 9:30 - 11:30 AM
<b>23</b> Drop in @ Quayside 9:30 - 11:30 AM Baby Talk Drop in @ Quayside * NWP Library 1:00 - 2:00 PM Tigrinya Storytime @ NWPL 1:30 - 2:30 PM	<b>24</b> Drop in @ Quayside 9:30 - 11:30 AM Positive Discipline @ Quayside 12:30-2:30 PM *registered course You Are Not Alone @ Quayside 7:00-9:00 PM *registered event	<b>25</b> Drop in @ Quayside 9:30 - 11:30 AM Drop in @ the NWP Library 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM	<b>26</b> Drop in @ Quayside 9:30 - 11:30 AM	<b>27</b> Drop in @ Quayside 9:30 - 11:30 AM Drop in @ Eighth + Eight 9:30 - 11:30 AM
<b>30</b> CLOSED for Truth & Reconciliation Day	<b>Oct 1</b> Drop in @ Quayside 9:30 - 11:30 AM Positive Discipline @ Quayside 12:30-2:30 PM *registered course	<b>2</b> Drop in @ Quayside 9:30 - 11:30 AM Drop in @ Eighth + Eight 9:30 - 11:30 AM	<b>3</b> Drop in @ Quayside 9:30 - 11:30 AM	<b>4</b> Drop in @ Quayside 9:30 - 11:30 AM Drop in @ Eighth + Eight 9:30 - 11:30 AM



Family Place programming is designed for caregivers and children aged 0-6. There is *no cost* to participate in these programs. We offer drop ins *without pre-registration* uptown and downtown and also special registered events. Follow us on @newwestfamilies for updates, giveaways and resources. Visit our website [www.newwestfamilies.ca](http://www.newwestfamilies.ca)





# September 2024 Programs

We offer play and early learning for your little ones in a caregiver-participation setting, without fees or pre-registration! Make connections and gain parenting and family resources from our team from these locations:

**Quayside** 112-960 Quayside Drive, next to Craft Café.

Drop-in Monday-Friday 9:30-11:30 AM. *Note that Family Place-Quayside will be closed Labour Day on September 2, and Truth & Reconciliation Day on September 30.*

Special guests at drop-in this month:

 Monday, September 9 Colour it Cantonese Special Circle time of song and rhyme in Cantonese with Priscilla;

 Thursday, September 12 learn from YMCA Childcare Resource and Referrals consultant, Susan;

 Monday, September 16 Don't miss Mrs Lori for her Parent-tot Musical experience at our Circle Time;

 Tuesday, September 17 Andrea the Fraser Health dental hygienist will be available to give check-ups & chat.

 Thursday, September 19 chat with Michelle from Kinsight about your child's development;

**Eighth + Eight** 735 8th Avenue, room 1A, in the Massey Theatre Building.

Drop-in Monday, Wednesday and Friday 9:30-11:30 AM. *Note that there will be no uptown drop-ins Sept. 16-24. We will host uptown drop-in at the children's section in the New West Public Library on Wed., Sept. 25 from 10 AM-12PM.*

Special guests at drop-in this month:

 Friday, September 6 learn from YMCA Childcare Resource and Referrals consultant, Susan;

 Friday, September 6 and 27 Andrea the Fraser Health dental hygienist will be available to give check ups & chat.

 Friday, September 13 chat with Hannah from Kinsight about your child's development;

 Friday drop-ins at Eighth & Eight we are joined by Annie from Cameray Child & Family Services

## Baby Talk Drop-in | Mondays 1:00 - 2:00 @ Quayside

A space for new parents and caregivers with pre-mobile babies (under 12 months) to connect and learn tips, skills and resources from our Family Support Worker and expert guests. Drop in each week for a different topic and a chance to ask questions and discuss your concerns and experiences. Special Guests this month:

\*Monday, September 9 Olivia Yung from SFU Language Development Lab;

\*Monday, September 23 Rebekah, children's librarian from the New Westminster Public Library.

## Tigrinya Storytime | Monday September 23 1:30 - 2:30 @ New Westminster Public Library Children's Section

Join Mrs. Aida and Fernanda for a special story time with song and rhyme in the Tigrinya language. Let our team connect you to the many services of the New Westminster Public Library!

## Positive Discipline in Everyday Parenting | Tuesdays, September 17- November 19 12:30-2:30 PM @ Quayside

This 9 week program teaches you long-term solutions that develop your parenting practice - this isn't permissive parenting and it isn't punishment! It is about teaching non-violence, empathy, self-respect, human rights and how these relate to your parenting. Childminding available with 48 hours notice.

The course is FREE but requires you to register <https://tinyurl.com/5b6xck55>

## You are not Alone | Tuesday, September 24 7:00 PM -9:00 PM @ Quayside

Are you a parent/caregiver of a neurodiverse child and seeking support and connections? Join us for a special meet-and-greet designed to decode your journey, guide you to resources, and connect you with families who share your experience. Free event, space is limited. Register today: <https://tinyurl.com/2s3e64cj>

## New Westminster Family Place Annual General Meeting | Monday, September 16 7:00-9:00 PM @ Quayside

Join us in celebrating this past year's impacts and the 35 years we have spent connecting and supporting families in New Westminster. Light refreshments served. For more information, please email [info@newwestfamilies.ca](mailto:info@newwestfamilies.ca).

## Toy Lending Library | FREE AND ONGOING | @ New Westminster Public Library Main Branch @ 716 6th Ave

Visit the main branch of the public library to borrow up to 3 toys for 3 weeks with your library card.

Learn more: [bit.ly/3vOsE06](https://bit.ly/3vOsE06)

