



Community Newsletter

November 2019

PNE Pumpkin Promenade



Join us for PNE's first Pumpkin Promenade at Hastings Park TONIGHT!

Friday, November 1, 2019 | 5:30pm to 7:00pm

Hastings Park Sports Court (Located east of the skate park at Renfrew & Pandora. Enter through Gate 2)

Free

It's a night to gather with your neighbours and build community, while giving your jack-o-lanterns one last chance to shine.

Bring your pumpkins, light them up (flameless candles provided), parade them around, and then leave your pumpkins here and volunteers from **Pumpkins for Pigs: Food Waste Diversion Project** will deliver them to local farms to be made into delicious treats for animals (like the ones below)!



Photo credit: Janice, Hearts on Noses Sanctuary

Confirmed recipients: Early Bird Family Farm, Happy Herd Farm Sanctuary, Little Oink Bank Pig Sanctuary, and Critter Care Wildlife Society.

Bring your own drinking vessel for complimentary hot chocolate and snacks sponsored by Tim Horton's – Kaslo. Hastings Sunrise Community Policing Centre will also be onsite to chat with neighbours and offer tips on how to keep our community safe.

Please ensure pumpkins are clean of any felt markings (remove with rubbing alcohol), all candles and dripped wax must be removed, and any pumpkins starting to mold cannot be donated.

Farmers Market returns to Hastings Park



Hastings Park Farmers Market is returning for another season! Come down to shop local, socialize with your neighbours, and enjoy Hastings Park.

In addition to food trucks, shop a variety of vegetables, egg and dairy products, artisanal prepared food, fresh baked goods, farm fresh meat, and liquor. For more info, [click here](#).

Every Sunday from November 3rd, 2019 through April 26th, 2020
(closed Dec 29th, 2019)

10:00 am – 2:00 pm

Please enter through Gate 2 off of Renfrew Street. We encourage guests to walk, bike, or take transit.

Spread the word! Please help us promote this market through social media, word of mouth etc. Visit Vancouver Farmers Market Facebook page (<https://www.facebook.com/vanmarkets/>) and tag photos/tweets @vanmarkets #HastingsParkFM on Instagram and Twitter.

See you out at the Market rain, shine, or snow!

Hastings Park/ PNE Community Advisory Group (CAG)-Call for community representation for 2020.



The Pacific National Exhibition is looking for community members to be part of the Community Advisory Group (CAG). This group's involvement will include the following:

- Learn about the PNE and its initiatives
- Share the community's feedback as well as helping to ensure the community has accurate information about the PNE
- Provide community perspective on event impacts
- Be aware of Master Plan project's status
- Suggest input to PNE community programs and initiatives
- Discover ways to help PNE develop community communication channels

For more details on qualifications, time commitment, meeting frequency and how to apply, please visit: www.pne.ca/cag.

Application process started: Wednesday, October 2, 2019 at 10am

Application deadline: Wednesday, November 6, 2019 at 10am

Apply Now

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Whitney Law at 604-251-7708 or wlaw@pne.ca.

Aurora Winter Festival





Aurora Winter Festival Coming to Hastings Park/PNE

This November, the Aurora Winter Festival is being held at Hastings Park/PNE, and will expand to fifteen acres to take the festival to a whole new level!

The 2019 event beginning November 22 will be four times larger than the previous year and will feature expanded activities and programming in the Mystical Worlds experience, an increased ice skating surface, a longer tube park, and double the number of rides and games.

Guests will be able to visit the Mystical Worlds which feature giant sculptures, animated sets, brilliant light displays, and a number of fun characters. The festival also features a light tunnel showcasing the Aurora Borealis, a story-time theatre with Santa, a giant tube park, ice skating on the frozen pond, six amusement rides, games, an entertainment tent with live music, a variety of food trucks, and a market with 40 holiday-inspired vendors, among other attractions.

In preparation for this event, the Sanctuary will remain accessible to all patrons, with parts of the Sanctuary possibly being closed off and rerouted during set-up. During the duration of Aurora, the Sanctuary will be accessible to all patrons daily until 3pm.

Below are the areas that may be affected from Nov 5-17. Map below.

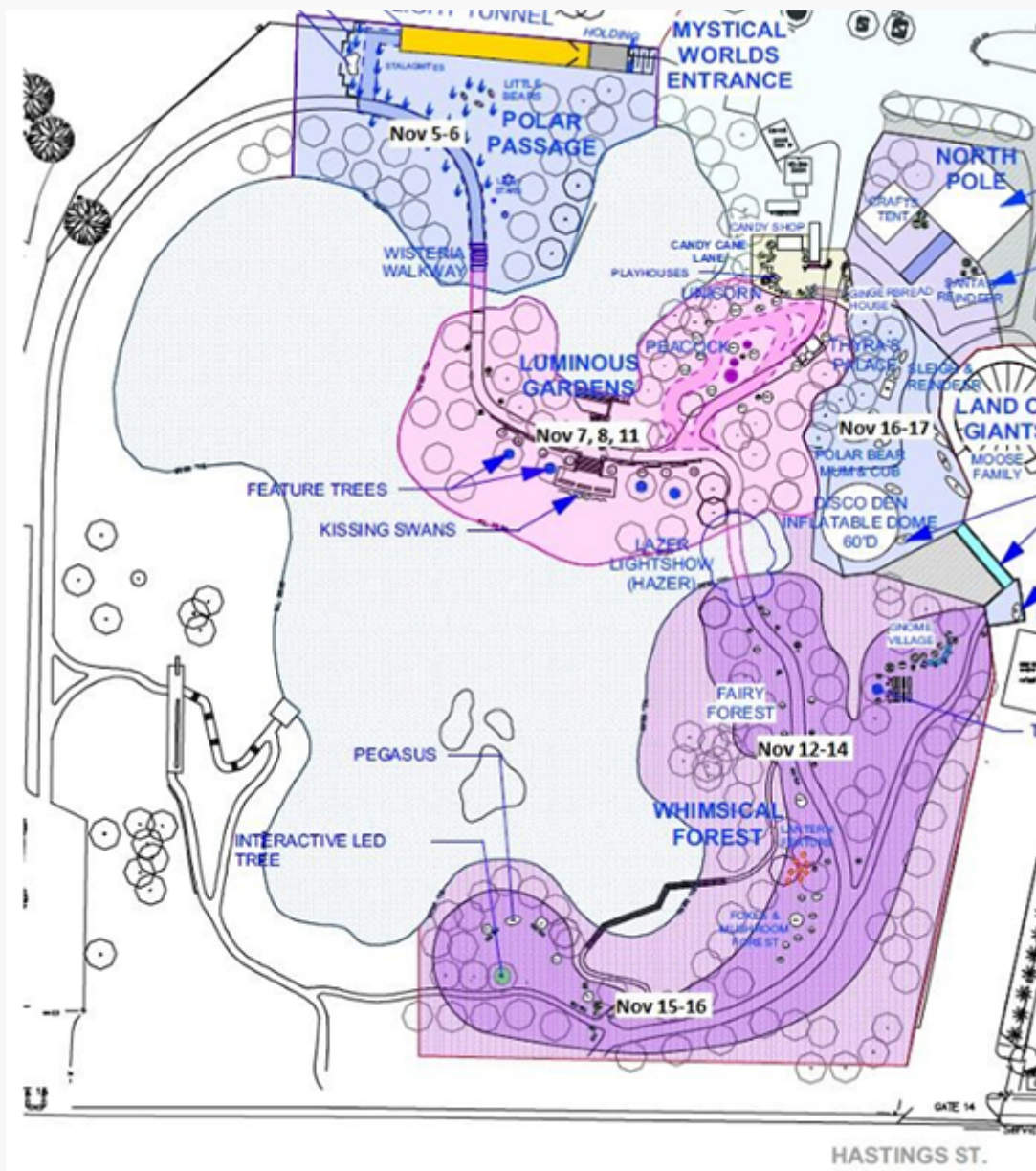
Nov 5-6: Polar Passage

Nov 7, 8, 11: Luminous Gardens

Nov 12-14: north end of Whimsical Forest

Nov 15-16: south end of Whimsical Forest

Nov 16-17: North Pole and Land of Giants



Upcoming Events at the PNE

November 1 PNE Pumpkin Promenade

Sports Court

November 3 - April Winter Farmers Market

Centre Grounds

November 9	City and Colour	Pacific Coliseum
November 9 & 10	Vancouver Train Expo	PNE Forum
November 22-23	Hopscotch Festival	PNE Forum
November 22 - January 5	Aurora Winter Festival	PNE Amphitheatre
November 28 - December 1	Disney on Ice: Mickey's Search Party	Pacific Coliseum
November 30	Illenium	PNE Forum

Visit PNE.ca for more upcoming events!

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Your Community Engagement

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