



Community Information & Volunteer Centre
Calendar of Community Events: March - May 2012

MARCH



	National Epilepsy Month
	Juvenile Arthritis Month
	Easter Seals Month
	Polio Awareness Month
1	Yard Waste Collection begins



2	29th Annual Okanagan College Spaghetti Bridge Building Contest, 9am - 3pm. For more info contact Michelle at 250.862.5473.
2	World Day of Prayer, First United Church, 1pm



3	World Book Day; share a book with a senior or a child
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3-4	Maple Fest, call the French Cultural Centre for more info
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5-9	Research Week UBCO for more info please visit http://www.ubc.ca/okanagan/celebrateresearch/welcome.html
7	Adoption Centre of BC Information Session. Call 250.763.8002 or 1.800.935.4237 to register.

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8	International Women's Day
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8	Royal Night at the Ramada, Delightful Dames and Decadent Desserts, Soroptomist International. Contact Arlana at 250.300.9933 or arlanainsights@gmail.com for more info
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8-18	Pinkalicious the Musical, Bumbershoot Children's Theatre, http://www.bumbershoottheatre.com
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8-11	21 st Annual Travelling World Community Film Festival; for more info visit: http://www.worldfilmfestkelowna.net/
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10	Seedy Swap, OK College, 1000 KLO Road, 10am - 3pm
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10	17th Annual Ken Olson Floor Hockey Tournament, Rutland Boys and Girls Clubs, 9am, Kelsey Johnson @ 250-765-3345 or rutlandpal2@boysandgirlsclubs.ca
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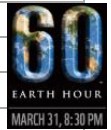
11	The Women's Fair, Coast Capri Hotel, 10am - 2pm
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11	Daylight Savings Begins
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13-22	Nature Detectives Spring Break Camps at the EECO, 9am. To register or for info, 250.469.6140
15 and 19	Babysitter Training Course, 250.765.3163
16	Ensemble Made in Canada, Piano Quartet, Mary Irwin Theatre, 7:30pm
17	St. Patrick's Day
17	Doo Wap Swap Meet, 250.860.0044
17	Steven Page, 7:30pm, Rotary Centre for the Arts, http://www.rotarycentreforthearts.com
20	First Day of Spring
21	International Day for the Elimination of Racial Discrimination
22	World Water Day
23-24	Ubutu - The Cape Town Project, Rotary Centre for the Arts, 7:30pm, 250.717.5304
24	Free Family Night, 6pm, Parkinson Recreation Centre
24	World Tuberculosis Day
24	Food for Photos, fundraiser for the Kelowna Community Food Bank, Mission Creek Regional Park, Jennifer 250.18.0809
24-25	Babies in Bloom, Okanagan Baby Fair, Okanagan College Centre for Learning, 1000 KLO Rd, 10am - 5pm
30	Swinging with the Stars Gala, Central Okanagan Hospice Society, Coast Capri Hotel. For more info, 250.763.5511.
31	Kelowna Singles Dance, Rutland Centennial Hall, 7:30pm
31	Earth Hour; turn your lights off from 8:30pm - 9:30pm

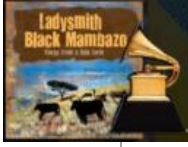


APRIL

	Daffodil Month, Canadian Cancer Society
	National Parkinson Awareness Month
	Earth Month
1	Campus to Campus Half Marathon, 8:15am start, Okanagan College. For more info, www.okanagan.bc.ca
1	Spring Fling Fair, Parkinsons Rec, 10am - 4pm
2	Want to buy a composter? Visit http://www.regionaldistrict.com
5	Neighbourhood Nosh, Laurel Packinhouse, 4pm
5	Thursday Night Dance, Water Street Senior's Centre, 7:30, 250.860.4391
6	Good Friday
6	Easter Pancake Breakfast, 10am - 1pm, FREE pancake breakfast plus free clothing, Parkinson Rec Centre, visit http://www.victorylifefellowship.net for more info



7	World Health Day
8	Easter Sunday
8-14	National Wildlife Week
9	Ladysmith Black Mambazo volcal group, Kelowna Community Theatre, 7:30pm
14	Environmental Mind Grind Day; www.kelowna.ca/
14	The High Bar Gang, Rotary Centre for the Arts, 7:30pm
15-21	National Volunteer Week. For info call 250.763.8008 ext. 25 or visit www.kcr.ca
18	Newcomers Club, Water Street Seniors Centre, 7pm
20-22	Global Youth Service Days



21	Cancer Society, Daffodil Ball, for more info call 250.762.6381 or visit http://www.daffodilballbc.com
22	Earth Day
26	Canadian Mennonite University Choir and the Okanagan Festival Singers, First Mennonite Church, 250.764.6024
27-28	30-Hour Famine - World Vision fundraiser to combat hunger world wide. For more info, visit http://www.30hourfamine.org/
28	3 rd Annual Spring Kids Flea Market, Rutland Centennial Hall, 8am - 1pm, http://www.facebook.com/events/#!/events/306371069393024/
28-29	Annual Kelowna Yacht Club Boat & Leisure Show. For more info, call 250.762.3310 or visit www.kelownayachtclub.com .
29	Kiwanis Music Festival Gala Concert, Bottega Farm Inn, 2:30pm. http://www.kelownakiwanisfestival.com/ for more info

MAY

	Speech and Hearing Awareness Month
	Asian Heritage Month
	International Motorcycle Safety Month
	Leave a Legacy Month
1	Vedanta Academy presents Beauty and the Beast, 7pm, Kelowna Community Theatre, http://www.vedantaacademy.com/v-news.html
6	Scotiabank MS Walk 2012 * 250.762.5850 to volunteer or register





4-9	Okanagan Spring Wine Festival. For details visit http://www.owfs.com/	
6	10 th Annual Hike for Hospice; call 250.763.5511 for more info	
8	World Red Cross Day same day every year	
9	Kelowna Farmers & Crafters Easter Market, Dilworth & Springfield, 8am - 1pm	
10-20	Dooby Dooby Moo, Bumbershoot Children's Theatre, 6:30pm, http://www.bumbershoottheatre.com	
11	Valley First Plane Pull Challenge for the United Way, 11am, 250.860.2356 to register your organization	
11-12	MS Carnation Campaign, call 250.762-5850 for more info	Use the power of the flower to end MS.
12	Kelowna Farmers & Crafters Easter Market, Dilworth & Springfield, 8am - 1pm	
13	Mother's Day	
16	Newcomers Club, Water Street Seniors Centre, 1360 Water Street, 7pm	
17	Kelowna Gifts to Grandmothers, every Thursday at 9:30am, 250.762.0694	
17-20	Rutland May Days, 10am, Centennial Park, http://rutlandpark.ca/ for info	
18	Yom HaShoah (Holocaust Memorial Day)	
19-20	Knox Mountain Hill Climb; for more info go to http://www.knoxmtnhillclimb.ca/	
21	Victoria Day	
23-26	Heart & Stroke Big Bike; call 250.860.6275 for more info or to register your team	
26	Capital One Race for Kids, for Okanagan Boys and Girls Clubs, 250-762-3914 http://www.raceforkids.ca	
28 - June 3	Bike to Work http://www.biketowork.ca/kelowna to register	

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