## ROCK CITY NEWS

## COUNCIL UPDATE WHITE ROCK'S BUSKING PROGRAM

One sure sign of summer in White Rock is the presence of street performance artists practicing their craft throughout the city in select busking 'hot' spots.

Places you might experience a live show include:

- White Rock Museum and Archives Plaza
- East Beach
- Marine Drive at Finlay Street
- Near the ATM on Marine Drive at the foot of Martin Street
- Waterfront Park, next to the white rock on the beach
- Near the Whale Wall on the corner of Russell Avenue and Johnston Road
- Five Corners at Johnston Road and Pacific Avenue

The City of White Rock introduced the busking program in 2010 in order to bring live entertainment to our streets and sidewalks, making arts and culture accessible to all. This year we anticipate up to 40 registered buskers.

As a Council, we recognize the importance of arts and culture in White Rock on numerous different aspects of life. It enhances life satisfaction levels and builds pride in the community as well supports our local economy and tourism.

Next time you have the pleasure of seeing a talented street performance artist, we encourage you to recognize them and their

talent with a cash donation as they don't receive funding from other sources.

Our City by the Sea promotes arts and culture.



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