



Office of The Mayor of the City of Burnaby

PROCLAMATION

NEIGHBOURHOOD HOUSE WEEK

- WHEREAS** Neighbourhood Houses in Burnaby open their doors to help create safe, inviting places where people from all backgrounds and walks of life are welcomed and included; and
- WHEREAS** Neighbourhood Houses help to create vibrant neighbourhoods by providing innovative programs that engage people to live healthy, full lives; and
- WHEREAS** The two Neighbourhood Houses, 9 daycare centres, and 1 community hall in Burnaby offer a range of services and supports to strengthen our communities including childcare, newcomer support, youth leadership, adult literacy, supports for seniors and elders, community meals, cultural events, volunteer opportunities – and so much more. They help improve quality of life and prevent social problems by making our communities stronger, more socially aware and more participative; and
- WHEREAS** Neighbours Grow Neighbourhoods, and the efforts of outstanding neighbours should be celebrated throughout community and will be recognized at the Lower Mainland Good Neighbours Awards Ceremony held in Vancouver on May 3rd, 2018; and
- WHEREAS** The City of Burnaby is committed to supporting an engaged, inclusive, and socially just municipality where all citizens and visitors participate; and
- WHEREAS** Neighbourhood Houses are an important part of the social and cultural fabric of this city and throughout the world.

**NOW THEREFORE I, DEREK CORRIGAN, MAYOR OF BURNABY,
DO HEREBY PROCLAIM APRIL 29 – MAY 5, 2018 AS**

"NEIGHBOURHOOD HOUSE WEEK"

IN THE CITY OF BURNABY

Derek R. Corrigan
Mayor



Dated this 23rd day of April, 2018 A.D.