

MOLLIE NYE HOUSE

Official Newsletter of the Lynn Valley Services Society



It's Time to Awaken from Our Winter Slumber and Greet Springtime

Springtime at the Mollie Nye house is about coming out of our winter cocoons and going outside, and if the early buds and flowers are any indication, we should have a gorgeous spring together on the North Shore! We invite you to join us for a cup of tea, a sit in the garden, to try a new class, or meet some new friends. All are welcome to the house!

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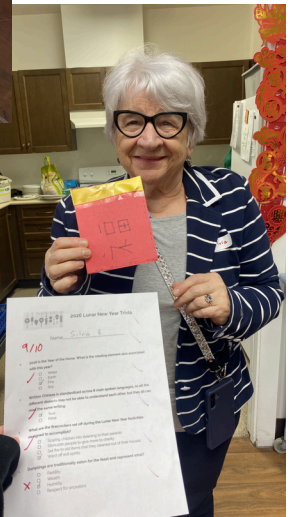
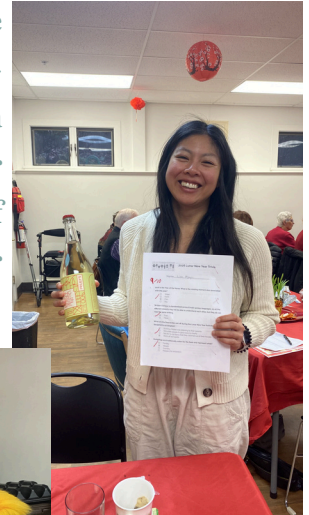
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February Recap

Lunar New Year's Celebration & Dinner

Across plates of beef & broccoli and chicken chow mein, there was much whispering - was #2 True or False? Do dumplings represent wealth or fertility? Our Lunar New Year's ten-question trivia stumped a few of our members, but it turns out this group did pretty well with two 1st place winners and a whopping eight 2nd place winners! Our 2nd place winners got to take home the lovely donated daffodil centrepieces. Good luck and full tummies were had by all to welcome in the Year of the Fire Horse! *Answer key: #2 was true, and dumplings represent wealth (shaped like ancient Chinese gold ingots)*

1st Place Trivia Co-winner Lisa with her bottle of cider



1st Place Trivia Co-winner Silvia with her program punch card (in hand-made red envelope)



Diners enjoying their yummy dinner!



Lion Dance Heads loaned from West Coast Kung-Fu Academy

North Shore Rescue Lecture

Richard Foster, North Shore Rescue Archivist, presented the fascinating history of the team on February 18th to a full house. From the official creation of North Shore Rescue in 1965 to leading global innovation, he underscored its importance to the community. Attendees were enthralled with his recounting of heroic and hair-raising rescues by these determined volunteers. [More info here](#)



Richard holds one of the specialized pieces of equipment used for mountain rescues

Message from the LVSA Board

2026 LVSA Membership Renewal

Thank you to all our members who have purchased their 2026 membership in the last two months. Your board appreciates your ongoing commitment and support. Together, we can make 2026 a successful and impactful year for all our members. If you haven't renewed your membership, you can do so by visiting the reception desk at Mollie Nye House or place it in a sealed envelope with your name and the \$20 fee and drop it in our mailbox located inside the back door.

Thanking you in advance!

Upcoming Event Highlights for March - Mark your Calendars!



Tuesday, March 3rd, from 1-2:30 pm - Create a beautiful one-of-a-kind bookmark and learn the historical and fascinating art of making decorative shapes and intricate designs out of strips of paper. [Register here](#)



Sunday, March 8th from 11 am- 2 pm - Your creativity will bloom as you paint florals in an expressive style using acrylic paint. This workshop is designed for beginners, no experience is needed! [Register here](#)



Saturday, March 14th at 4-7:30 pm - Learn, enjoy, and eat at our Hungarian International cooking class. Hurry, these classes sell out! [Register here](#)



Remember, Spring Break across the North Shore is March 16-27th.



Wednesday, March 18, from 4-5 pm - Join River Moon crafting (Part I) to make your own wall hangings. [Register here](#)



Wednesday, March 18th from 7-8:30 pm - Drumming with Abby in an upbeat & playful rhythmic experience! Both experts and beginners are welcome. Buckets and percussion provided OBYO drum. [Register here](#)

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Thursday, March 19th from 4-5 pm - River Moon crafting (Part II) Make more crafts! [Register here](#)



Friday, March 20th at 7 pm - Matt Kennedy performs for Music Night @ Mollie Nye House. Tickets are \$10 online, at the house, or at the door. Cash bar. [Get tickets here](#)



Saturday, March 21st, from 11 am - 4 pm Mystery Box Thrift and Vintage Shopping event. Free admission! [More info here](#)



Thursday, March 26th, from 1-2:30 pm - Join us for Climate Cafe, an environmental discussion group led by Ocean Ambassadors Canada. This month's topic is clean water. Free, but please register as there is limited space. [Register here](#)



Saturday, March 28th, from 3:30-4:30 pm - Bring your boots and dancing shoes for Beginning Line Dancing! [Register here](#)



Monday, March 30th, from 4-5 pm - Begin your beginning knitting journey with teacher Jen's guidance. 12-week session. [Register here](#)

Rentals Highlight

Did you know that you can rent space at the charming Mollie Nye Heritage House? As a small community centre, rentals fund a large part of our programs and staff. Our spaces are often used for meetings, book clubs, birthday parties, exercise groups, church or memorial services, lectures, trainings, classes, craft fairs, music events, martial arts, filming, and much more. [More info here](#)



Small Room
(Library) 10-
person capacity.
Regular
Rate-\$24.50/hr
Non Profit
Rate-\$17/hr



Medium Room
(Dining/Living
Room)
16-person
capacity
Regular
Rate-\$44/hr Non
Profit
Rate-\$31.50/hr



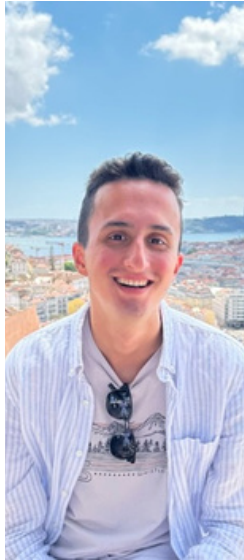
Large Room
(Activity Room)
50-person
capacity
Regular Rate—
\$56/hr Non Profit
Rate-\$39.00/hr



Keep an eye out for our new Little Free
Library going up this month in the garden!

Meet the Staff - Cole C.

Cole is the newest member of the Mollie Nye team as our Youth Centre Coordinator. He will be working out of the Karen Magnussen Recreation Centre to bring youth programs across the North Shore. He is a native of North Vancouver and loves COBS scones. Please say hello if you see him around the house or at KMRC!



House Notes -

The Mollie Nye House Hours:
Monday - Friday 10 am - 5 pm
(closed for lunch 12:30-1 pm)

Closed on all statutory holidays and the last two weeks of December.

Address is

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Program Highlight - Gather with Helen

Gather is a warm, inclusive conversation group that brings people together to share stories, ideas, and reflections, creating connection, belonging, and meaningful community.

They meet on Saturday mornings from 10 am - 12 pm.

[More information and sign up here](#)



Members share snacks, sips, and crafts!

March 2026

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1	2 Beginner Tai Chi 9:50-10:40 Walking Group 10-11:30am Chair stretch 11:45-12:45 pm Mahjong 1:15-3:15 pm Beginner Knitting 4-5pm	3 ESL Class 10-12 pm EmPWRment 10-11 am Parkinson's 11:30-12:30 Sewing 1-4 pm Paper Quilling 1-2:30pm	4 Sorry - No Munch & Mingle Today	5 ESL Class 10 am-12 pm	6 Friendly Fridays 10:30-12:30 pm EmPWRment Fitness 1-2 pm	7 Gather w/Helen 10-12 pm
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