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**Subject:** Say Yes to Access - June 5th Access Awareness Day

## Hello Community

**Saturday June 5, 2021** is Access Awareness Day – A day for communities to come together to celebrate what it means to be truly accessible and inclusive for everyone!

Access Awareness Day falls within *National AccessAbility Week* which is always celebrated in the last week in May and is designed to draw attention to the talents and contributions that people living with disabilities make in their communities every day!

This year, the theme for Access Awareness Day is "Say Yes to Access". As part of this year's celebrations, our focus is on the different ways that people and communities across B.C. can come together to build true inclusion. To help support local efforts, small grants of \$500 are available to help celebrate the different ways that communities have been successful in promoting greater inclusion.

We will be happy to share more information, please do not hesitate to reach us at info@sparc.bc.ca with the subject line - Say Yes to Access.

- If you would like to host an event
- If you would like to **share information** about the different ways that your community has been successful in coming together to promote greater accessibility.
- If you have ideas about ways to promote greater accessibility
- If you wish to explore potential opportunities for partnership

By working together, it is possible to create communities where everyone can share their talents and abilities in real and meaningful ways and where the possibilities are limitless. We know the difference that we can together make when we Say, Yes to Access.

Thank you for the role that you play every day in making this vision a reality!

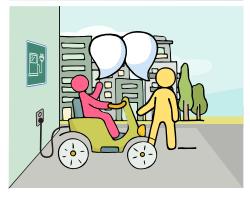


SPARC BC works with communities in building a just and healthy society for all.

SPARC BC's office is located on land within the traditional, ancestral and unceded territories of the Coast Salish people, including Hwlitsum First Nation, Katzie First Nation, Kwantlen First Nation, Kwikwetlem First Nation, Musqueam, Ration, Musqueam, Qayqayt First Nation, Semiahmoo First Nation, Squamish Nation, Tsawwassen First Nation and Tsleil-Waututh Nation.







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