



Collingwood Neighbourhood House (CNH) HIGHLIGHTS

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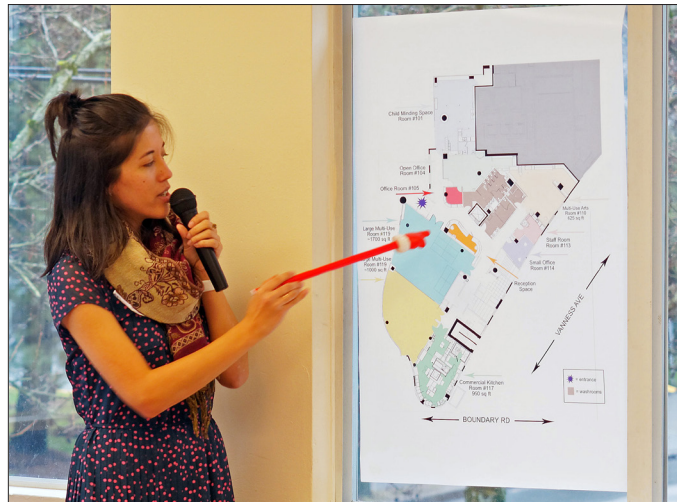
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Neighbourhood residents gather to learn more about the new CNH Annex by Norman Hill

Neighbourhood residents recently gathered at an Annex Community Information Session to learn more about CNH's new Annex, which is being built on Vanness Ave., just a short walk from the Joyce-Collingwood SkyTrain station (see map).

The Annex is being constructed to provide more multi-purpose space for the neighbourhood's growing population. When the Annex opens, CNH's main location on Joyce Street will remain open and programs will be run out of both locations.

At the Information Session, Community Annex Coordinator Emily Chan presented an overview of the site and each room's amenities, a timeline for completion and opening of the Annex, and an explanation of the community partnership possibilities for the Annex. She said that the Annex will be targeted for arts and culture initiatives,



studio time, and cultural activities. It could also be rented out to community arts organizations or local artists.

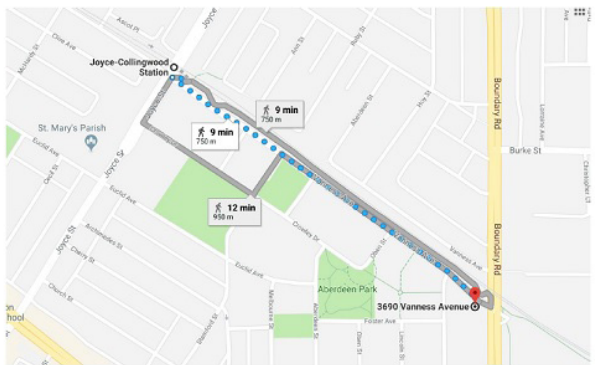
The Annex will have a 900-square-foot commercial-grade kitchen. This could be used for expanded food security programming, cooking classes, hot-lunch preparation for CNH's childcare programs, and catering for CNH programming in the large multipurpose room. Other possibilities include rentals to local entrepreneurs starting small food-related businesses.

There will be a children's room with a play space, seating area, small kitchen and a washroom. The children's room could be used for child-minding of children whose parents are attending Annex programs. The space could also be rented out for children's birthday parties.

The Annex will include a shared office space and a couple of enclosed offices, a staff break room, and fifty-one parking spaces. As well, there will be an outside plaza that could be used for programming or community engagement.

Anyone interested in learning more about the Annex can view the PowerPoint presentation from the Information Session at <http://www.cnh.bc.ca/wp-content/uploads/2018/02/Annex-Open-House-Powerpoint.pdf>. People with questions or suggestions should contact Emily Chan at echan@cnh.bc.ca

Where is the Annex?



There were many opportunities for participants to share their thoughts and feedback, including an exercise in which people looked at priorities for the Annex and were able to vote for their favourites and add comments. People were very interested in the space as an arts and culture hub and had lots of questions about what kinds of arts and cultural activities will be offered.

The Annex will include an approximately 2,700-square-foot multipurpose space with a sprung floor (like in a gymnasium or dance studio). This could be used to host dance classes, large events, and performances.

There will be an approximately 700-square-foot multipurpose arts room that could host art workshops, artist

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Week 1: March 19-23	5 Full Days (9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.) \$115	5 Half Days (9:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon) \$65
Week 2: March 26-29	4 Full Days (9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.) \$92	4 Half Days (9:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon) \$52

COMMUNITY LUNCH

Collingwood Neighbourhood House invites you to lunch every Tuesday and Thursday. Full meal prices are \$7 for adults, \$6 for seniors, \$5 for students and \$3.25 for children under 12. Items can be purchased a la carte or "to go."

March lunch menu

Thursday, March 1

Cabbage roll
Salad
Orange cranberry cake

Tuesday, March 6

Cream of broccoli soup
Cauliflower and smoked salmon frittata
Salad
Carrot cake

Thursday, March 8

Chicken cacciatore / veggie option on rice
Salad
Pecan tart

Tuesday, March 13

Roasted squash soup
Turkey or veggie enchiladas
Salad
Shortbread cookies

Thursday, March 15

Beef or veggie stew with bread
Salad
Chocolate walnut tart

Tuesday, March 20

Vegetable soup
Chicken / veggie burger
Salad
Vanilla cup cake

Thursday, March 22

Baked lemon white fish with brown rice and roasted potatoes
Salad
Chocolate zucchini cake

Tuesday, March 27

Carrot soup
Spinach or chicken pie
Salad
Marble brownie

Thursday, March 29

Meat or veggie lasagna
Salad
Garlic bread
Apple bran muffin