

# Mt. Boucherie Community Centre Restoration Project - Communications and Engagement

 April 19, 2022, regular Council meeting: provide an update on the communications and public consultation on the return of Mt. Boucherie Community Centre (MBCC) to the community. Public consultation will be open April 20 through to June 20, 2022.

## Goals:

- Inform the community about the restoration of the MBCC, and obtain feedback about programming, amenities, space enhancement, priorities, and the vision for future expansion at MBCC.
- Invite the community to share their memories and stories of the past to incorporate as we celebrate MBCC's 50 years of service.



# Mt. Boucherie Community Centre Restoration Project timeline

Three phases of the project and a timeline look ahead:

- 1. Consultation Phase: April 20 through June 20, 2022

  Consultation outline for print, electronic and community relations.
- 2. Design Phase: July August 2022

  Seek input from Council about the progress of design and community consultation.
- 3. Concept and Final Design Phase: Fall 2022

  Share results with Council and community of consultation and concept design of MBCC.



# **Print methods**



PRINT	
News release – April 20 Launch of public consultation Additional PSAs scheduled final reminder	<b>Engagement toolkit</b> – Printed copies of the postcard, display panels and questionnaire
Print collateral – Postcard, poster – distributed throughout the city with QR code (available at City facilities, local businesses)	Display boards  1) About the project  2) Project timeline  3) Share your memories of MBCC and complete a
Youth-specific Poster: "Mt. Boo and You!" Share your ideas of the types of activities you would like to see	questionnaire
<b>Briefing notes for frontline staff</b> – prepare supporting information to help staff respond to questions	Print ads – Local papers



# **Print samples**

#OUR

Mt. Boucherie Community Hall early 1980s



### MT. BOUCHERIE COMMUNITY CENTRE **RESTORATION PROJECT**

#### We want to hear from you!

The Mt. Boucherie Community Centre Restoration Project is underway. We want your input as we begin to transition this facility back to the community.

From April 20 - June 20, 2022, you'll have the opportunity to share your feedback and help shape programming and the final design of the building.

#### **Get involved:**





In the community Pop-up displays at:

- Westbank Library April 22 May 20
- Westbank Lions Hall May 24 June 17



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## MT. BOUCHERIE COMMUNITY CENTRE **RESTORATION PROJECT**

#### **Share your ideas!**

Do you have ideas for programming, facility enhancements, activities or events you would like to see at Mt. Boucherie Community Centre (MBCC)?

Do you have a favourite memory or story about MBCC?

Please write your comments below or visit OurWK.ca/restoreMBCC

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Postcard – front and back





Learn more:

OurWK.ca/restoreMBCC

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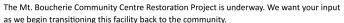


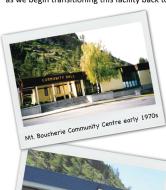
Poster

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Mt. Boucherie Community Centre early 2000s

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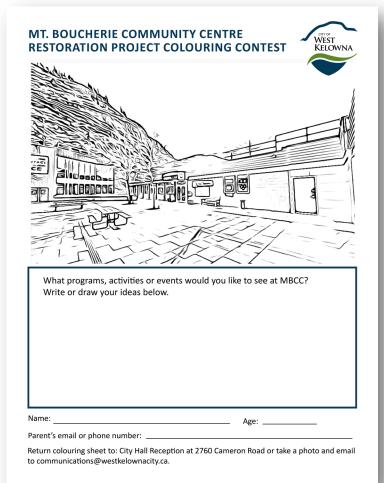


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Colouring sheet



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#### MT. BOUCHERIE COMMUNITY CENTRE **RESTORATION PROJECT**

#### About the project

West Kelowna's central community hub to connect, play and learn

Mt. Boucherie Community Centre (MBCC) holds many memories for the community before the temporary relocation of the municipal hall in 2009, which closed the centre to recreation programming and community events. Activities such as the Westside Winter Fest, weddings, school celebrations, sports tournaments and recreation programming contributed to the social fabric of the community over three decades, fostering connections of residents and visitors.



With the eventual return of the MBCC to the Westside, there is an opportunity to engage members of our community to understand preferences and source ideas to help inform future programming and activities.



As part of this project, we will be developing a facility plan to restore the interior of the building to its former identity as a community

Minor renovations such as removing walls, upgrading flooring, and creating an accessible washroom are required prior to welcoming the community back to MBCC.

We want your input! From April 20 - June 20, you'll have the opportunity to share your feedback about programming, and help guide the design of the building.

Visit OurWK.ca/restoreMBCC to get involved.



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#### MT. BOUCHERIE COMMUNITY CENTRE **RESTORATION PROJECT** #OUR Share your ideas!

What programs, facility enhancements, activities or events would you like to see at Mt. Boucherie Community Centre?

What are your ideas for recreation in the future?

Write your answers on the provided post-it notes and place them below!

What programs, activities or events would you like to see at MBCC?

What facility enhancements are important to have at MBCC? (such as meeting room space, kitchen space)

Do you have a favourite story or memory of MBCC? (such as attending a program, holiday event)

If future expansion of MBCC were to be considered, what would be the most important to you.

What else do you want us to know about recreation in West Kelowna?

Complete the questionnaire online at OurWK.ca/restoreMBCC. Request a paper copy at 778.797.1234



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#### MT. BOUCHERIE COMMUNITY CENTRE **RESTORATION PROJECT**

#### We want to hear from you!

Your feedback will be used to develop the facility plan for MBCC and identify preferences for programming that reflects the needs of our community.

Community centres are vital spaces that promote resilient communities by facilitating active living, community connectedness, and fostering citizenship amongst residents of all ages, ability levels, backgrounds, identities, and financial means.

Feedback is open from April 20 - June 20, 2022. Your input will help guide the design of the building interior and programs offered to the community.

#### Ways to get involved:



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Winter Fest at Mt. Boucherie Community Hall

Programming at Mt. Boucherie Community Hall



Thank you for your participation! Mt. Boucherie Community Centre Consultation April 20 - June 20, 2022



## **Electronic methods**



## **ELECTRONIC**

## **Engagement website** – OurWK.ca/restoreMBCC

- Online questionnaire includes a short list of questions to help shape programming, amenities and priority areas for renovations and a vision for future (longer-term) expansion at MBCC
- Video slideshow of MBCC Photos of MBCC of the events and activities to use for website ad social media channels
- Digital engagement toolkit post card, display boards and questionnaire. Available on OurWK.ca/restoreMBCC

City website – homepage updates, link to OurWK.ca

Social media campaigns (general and youth-specific) – launch, posts through the engagement period, wrap up/thank you for participating

**Youth-specific feedback through social media** – collect ideas for design, programs and activities of interest

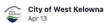
**E-News notification** – email distribution to subscribers and media

**City of West Kelowna Recreation Guide** – engagement opportunity advertisement



## Online sample





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We want your input! From April 20 - June 20,

Visit us online at OurWK.ca

or submit a paper copy

Review the display boards Complete the questionnaire - either online

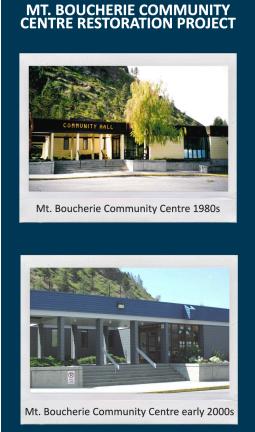
Share your ideas or comments through the ideas portal

What programs, activities or events would you like to see at the Mt. Boucherie Community Centre? Tell us in the comments below. 🔱

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Instagram story sample



Instagram sample

Facebook sample



# **Community relations methods**



## **COMMUNITY RELATIONS**

Updates to neighbourhood associations and businesses

Outreach to stakeholders, youth organizations/service clubs and other past key user groups

Rec team/City Ambassadors at key locations throughout public consultation period

- Pop-up engagement: table with an About and Share
   Your Memories and/or Ideas display boards
- Gellatly walkway, MBSS and other locations when feasible

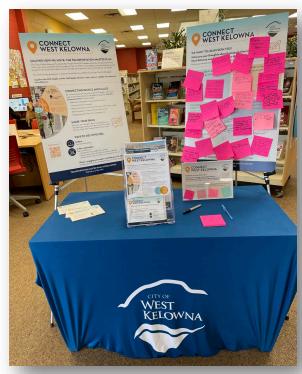
"Mt. Boo and You!" Youth engagement:

- Engagement at schools (interactive display) to capture ideas
- Options to engage MBCC students in-class pending COVID-19 restrictions
- Youth-targeted social media ad campaign



# In-person engagement





Static displays



Pop-up displays