



Financial Statements

Revenue

Festival Income	\$2,572
Gaming	\$65,000
Government	\$147,268
Membership	\$3,066
United Way	\$50,000
Other funders	\$42,624
Misc	\$5,808
Total Revenue	\$316,338
Expenditures	\$308,926
TOTAL	\$7,412

Complete financial statements
available upon request

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2013/14

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United Way Partner Agency

Annual Report 2013/14

Community VOLUNTEER Connections



A poster with a white heart at the top, followed by the text 'KEEP CALM AND VOLUNTEER' in a bold, sans-serif font. The background is dark grey.

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♥ Gurus & Mysteries

We developed two new innovative ways to engage volunteers in our work.

- ⇒ **Mystery Volunteers** contacted Volunteer Programs through social media, email & phone to report back on what encouraged & discouraged them from volunteering. Organizations used our findings to improve their welcome for potential volunteers.
- ⇒ **Volunteer Gurus** help people find their destiny as volunteers, by giving out referrals for great volunteer opportunities.

Thank you, United Way

♥ Volunteer Festivals



We profiled 49 community organizations at our **TriCities VolunteerFest** (October 2013) and the **New Westminster Festival of Volunteers** (January 2014).

Thank you BC Gaming

♥ Training & Workshops

CVC ran six workshops this year in partnership with the **Administrators of Volunteer Resources BC** and **Volunteer Canada**. Topics included the new Criminal Record Reviews (Ministry of Justice), Attracting University Students (Douglas College), and Using Social Media to Engage Volunteers (Michele Mateus).

Thank you, United Way & BC Gaming

1,255 followers & counting @VolunteerConnec



MISSION

Community Volunteer Connections **brings communities together** by promoting and creating **meaningful volunteer engagement.**

VISION

Communities and organizations **empowered** by volunteers.

Tri-Cities Seniors Planning Network



CVC hosts the Tri-Cities Seniors Planning Network, a group of seniors, organizations and businesses who meet monthly to build an Age-Friendly Tri-Cities. In 2013/14, Network volunteers launched a survey investigating seniors issues in local transportation that gathered responses from 216 seniors, and is using that information to organize a Transportation Forum featuring speakers from Translink, ICBC, and HandyDART.

Thank you, Vancouver Foundation

The Lodges



Our team of Cottonwood, Connolly and Cypress Lodge volunteers support residents with sever & persistent mental illnesses. Volunteers help residents explore their interests, rebuild their confidence, and get into community.

Funded by Fraser Health

Public Health



Our volunteers supported **Child Health Clinics, Flu Clinics, Healthy Babies programs, Youth Clinics and Breastfeeding Clinics**, making sure our most vulnerable citizens are safely immunized from preventable disease.

Funded by Fraser Health

Volunteer Integration



The **Volunteer Integration Program** helps people with developmental disabilities to volunteer, and Volunteer Partners work with them to provide extra support. VIP volunteers are in care centres, food banks, animal shelters.

Funded by Community Living BC

CVC Flying Squad



The **CVC Flying Squad** grew to **501 members**, who helped out at **over 200 volunteer opportunities**, from the Farmer's Market to the SHARE Food Bank Fill Up.

Thank you, Coast Capital, BC Gaming & United Way

