



## BC DAY!

Due to the BC Day STAT holiday the Mermaid and Inlet Avenue programs and facilities will be closed on Monday August 4<sup>th</sup> 2008. We hope everyone enjoys a happy long weekend.

### August 2008 Program Schedules

Please visit [www.scacl.ca](http://www.scacl.ca) to view our online activity schedules for the Supported Employment Program and Day Program.

- **Supper Club** will be held August 7<sup>th</sup> and 21<sup>st</sup> 3:00pm - 5:00pm
- **Fitness** at Kinetic will end at the end of August. Fees for fitness will only be \$25 for the month.



### Inlet Centre is Moving in the Fall

SCACL has purchased the suite next door to Mermaid from Dolphin Physiotherapy. The plan is to renovate to create both a revenue generating rental office space and to add an adjoining space to our facility with enough room to move Bottle Me and Supported Work. This will create a permanent home for SW and Bottle Me. The move will take place sometime in the late fall.

### Fundraising Campaign for Renovation of New Facility

The renovations have begun next door (see above) with an estimated cost well beyond what has been anticipated. As a result SCACL will be fundraising to support the costs associated with this project. Our first big event will be in the fall: Mark your calendars for we will be hosting a dance on Nov 1<sup>st</sup> at the Roberts Creek Hall.



## **Art News**

### **SCACL is participating in the Salmon Art Display and Auction**

The Day Program participants have been painting a giant salmon with the theme of moons that will be submitted to the Gibsons Landing Business Association Annual Salmon Run Art Auction and Display. The artwork will be on display between August 31<sup>st</sup> – September 5<sup>th</sup> at either: Gift of the Eagle Gallery, Artworks Tours and Framing, or Spirit of Pac Gallery.

### **Art in Hackett Park**

Once again The Art Folks Program headed by Sherrie Whitbread and Gordon Munroe will be participating in the Hackett Park Craft Fair August 16<sup>th</sup> and 17<sup>th</sup>. Look for our booth at the Fair.

### **The 4th Annual Art Show for Persons with Developmental Disabilities**

This event will be held at beautiful Heritage Hall in Vancouver in October and is accepting applications now. All artists are welcome to submit art work including stories and poems, and there is no fee. SCACL has application forms here and they are due no later than Sept. 28<sup>th</sup>.



### **CARF Accreditation**

SCACL is due to be re-accredited by CARF in September. We will be welcoming the surveyors September 15<sup>th</sup> and 16<sup>th</sup> and allowing them access to our. All stakeholders are welcome to attend the CARF exit meeting which will be held on the afternoon of Sept. 16<sup>th</sup> at the Mermaid office. Please contact the office for more information.



### **Meet the Community Council on August 20th**

The CLBC Council is hosting a meeting on August 20<sup>th</sup> at the Sechelt Arts Centre 7:00pm – 8:30pm. This is an opportunity for all family members, stakeholders and Service Providers to meet the council and ask questions. Coffee, tea and goodies will be provided.