

PROCLAMATION

KidSport BC Week, Powered by Sport BC October 1 to 7, 2023

WHEREAS: KidSport chapters across the province have to date provided sport registration grants to more than 80,000 kids who face financial barriers across British Columbia;

WHEREAS: sport participation provides benefits beyond physical health to enhance social and academic performance and overall wellbeing, creates opportunities for connection, growth, and the development of leadership, teamwork skills, and fair play;

WHEREAS: KidSport helps remove financial barriers that prevent some children from experiencing the benefits of a season of sport by covering costs related to season of sport registration fees;

WHEREAS: KidSport encourages and promotes partnerships and support at a local level between the local chapter and businesses, professional sport groups and organizations, and the community at large, by raising awareness and funds to support local kids; and

WHEREAS: KidSport Greater Victoria is a long-standing and integral part of the Capital Regional District, aiming to annually help more than 1000 local children and youth ages 18 and under to improve their physical and social health through access to organized sport.

NOW, THEREFORE: I, Mayor Kevin Murdoch, Mayor of the District of Oak Bay do hereby proclaim that the week of October 1-7, 2023, shall be known as KidSport BC Week, Powered by Sport BC in the District of Oak Bay.



Kevin Murdoch, Mayor
The District of Oak Bay