

project connect

Each fall the Greater Victoria Coalition to End Homelessness puts on Project Connect, a one-day service and information fair for those experiencing homelessness and extreme poverty. Attendees receive a BBQ lunch and a wide range of free services, including: ID replacement, haircuts, tax returns, vet care and much more.

organizations participating in project connect 2012:

- Alcoholics Anonymous
- Anawim Companion Society
- AIDS Vancouver Island
- Carole James' Constituency Office
- Capital City Lions Club
- CRD Bylaw and Animal Care Services
- Elections BC
- Greater Victoria Extreme Weather Protocol
- GT Hiring Solutions
- Heart and Hands Health Collective
- ICBC
- Jason's Magical Moments
- John Howard Society of Victoria
- KPMG
- Literacy Victoria
- McKenzie Veterinary Services
- Ministry of Social Development
- Narcotics Anonymous
- Oak Bay Bicycles
- Oasis Society for Spiritual Health
- Our Place Society
- Out of the Rain Society
- Pacifica Housing
- PEERS Victoria Resource Society
- PFLAG
- Recyclistas Community Bike Shop
- Salvation Army's Beacon Bus
- Society of Living Illicit Drug users (SOLID)
- Society of St. Vincent de Paul
- Together Against Poverty Society (TAPS)
- Umbrella Society
- University of Victoria School of Nursing
- University of Victoria's University 101
- VIHA Aboriginal Health
- VIHA Mental Health and Addictions
- Victoria AIDS Resource & Community Service Society (VARCS)
- Victoria Cool Aid Society
- Victoria Native Friendship Centre
- Victoria Street Soccer
- Local musicians
- Hair dressers from Greater Victoria salons

thank you to the hard working volunteers who make project connect possible



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hope has found a home

care packs

There are many things we all need to be healthy and happy. Each year at Project Connect approximately 700 care packs are assembled and handed out to attendees. The care packs are customized for each individual and filled with essential items for the coming winter, such as:

- Socks
- Gloves and mittens
- Toques
- Scarves
- Razors
- Nail clippers and nail files
- Deodorant
- Lip balm
- Personal hygiene products (i.e. shampoo, hand lotion, shaving cream)
- Feminine hygiene products
- Granola bars and other non-perishable food items