

INTERNATIONAL MOTHER LANGUAGE DAY – VANCOUVER (IMLD)

Roundhouse Community Arts and Recreation Centre

Saturday, February 18, 2012

10:00 – 8:00 pm

International Mother Language Day (IMLD) was proclaimed by UNESCO's General Conference in November 1999. The International Day has been observed every year since February 2000 to promote linguistic and cultural diversity and multilingualism. Languages are the most powerful instruments of preserving and developing our tangible and intangible heritage. All moves to promote the dissemination of mother tongues will serve not only to encourage linguistic diversity and multilingual education, but also to develop fuller awareness of linguistic, and cultural traditions throughout the world to inspire solidarity based on understanding, tolerance and dialogue.

The IMLD planning committee:

Thursday October 6, 2011 from 6:00 - 8:00pm.

Agenda:

1. Introduction
2. February 21, 2011 IMLD report
3. Funding report
4. Hiring and job description for event coordinator – February 18, 2012
5. Partners
6. February 18, 2011 – Event program
7. Other business

Partners

 <p>CANADIAN COMMISSION FOR UNESCO COMMISSION CANADIENNE POUR L'UNESCO</p> <p>www.unesco.ca</p>	
	 <p>Vancouver Public Library www.vpl.ca</p>

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