

# An Invitation to Support the GREAT BLUE HERON NATURE RESERVE SOCIETY



The **Great Blue Heron Nature Reserve Society** is a non-profit-organization whose mandate is to provide community programs, initiate conservation projects and host the Rotary Interpretive Centre.

**The Great Blue Heron Nature Reserve Society** provides a wide variety of programs and services to Chilliwack, the Fraser Valley and visitors to our area.

Programs are designed to broaden the community's awareness, appreciation and quiet enjoyment of the natural and historical values of the site. The **Great Blue Heron Nature Reserve** is a 325 acre , un-dyked floodplain on the Vedder River in Chilliwack, British Columbia. The wetlands site supports a wide variety of wetland wildlife including several endangered species. Hundreds of Greta Blue Herons nest here every year and the site protects the endangered Western Painted Turtle, Salish Sucker and Oregon Forest Snail.

## ***Sharing Nature with our Community in 2015***

- ✓ *Over 22 000 people visited the Rotary Interpretive Centre*
- ✓ *2000 school children took part in education programs*
- ✓ *The GBHNRS offered over 20 free public events*

## **EVENTS**

*Family Nature Festival*  
*Earth Day*  
*Salmon Watch*  
*Heron Homecoming*  
*Camps & Workshops*  
*Community Outreach*

## **PROJECTS**

*Site Conservation*  
*Interpretive Signage*  
*Trail & Site Development*  
*Research*

## **OPERATIONS**

*Rotary Interpretive Centre*  
*School & Group Programs*  
*Discovery Classrooms*  
*Volunteer Management*

## **How can you get involved?**

**Be an Event Sponsor** Choose from Heron Homecoming, Family Nature Festival, Earth Day or Salmon Watch

**Sponsor Projects** Our 2016 projects include Kid's Discovery Zone, Discovery Classroom, Interpretive Trail Signs and Salmon Station.

**Support Operations** Sponsorships are appreciated for the day to day running of the Rotary Interpretive Centre, volunteer support and program planning,

**Take out a 2016 Sponsoring Membership** We offer sponsoring memberships at the \$500 and \$1000 level.

Thank you for considering supporting the GREAT BLUE HERON NATURE RESERVE

## Recognition Program

	Website Sponsor Page	Framed Certificate	Donor Wall	Facebook	Event Banner	Thank you Plaque	Website Home Page	Staff Event
<b>Heron \$10 000 +</b>	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Platinum \$5 000 +</b>	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Gold \$1000+</b>	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Silver \$500 +</b>	*	*	*	*	*			
<b>Bronze \$250 +</b>	*	*	*	*				

For more details on our events, projects and membership one of our GBHNRS board members or our Executive Director would be happy to meet with you.



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