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### @ Everett Crowley Park

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*STARRING: Bobs & Lolo, David Campbell, Los Memories, Kwayedza Marimba, Tiddley Cove Morris Dancers and more.*

**Help plant 1,000 native trees. FREE!**  
**Visit [earthdayvancouver.org](http://earthdayvancouver.org) for details.**

*Organized by the Everett Crowley Park Committee. Hosted by Champlain Heights Community Centre. Presented by ParkLane Homes, Wesgroup and Bank of Montreal.*

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Entrance off Kerr Rd. near E. 64<sup>th</sup> Ave.  
(3 blocks south of Champlain Mall)

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## about earth day:

In spring of 1970, public concern about the deterioration of Earth's environment sparked the proclamation and celebration of a new worldwide holiday – Earth Day! Over 20 million people marked the event with protests demanding measures to protect the environment.

*“May there only be peaceful and cheerful Earth Days to come for our beautiful Spaceship Earth as it continues to spin and circle in frigid space with its warm and fragile cargo of animate life.”*

- UN Secretary-General, U Thant  
(Proclamation, February 26, 1971)

Today, a half billion people in 174 countries all over the world celebrate Earth Day to promote global environmental awareness and protect our planet's vital resources.

## about everett crowley park:

Everett Crowley Park is 40 hectares (100 acres) located in the southeast corner of Vancouver. After being extensively logged in the 1920s, this beautiful natural park became the “Kerr Road Dump.” It served as Vancouver's main landfill for decades, completely filling the Kinross Ravine and destroying Kinross Creek, until the dump closed in 1967. In 1987, the site was officially designated “Everett Crowley Park,” in memory of the former Town Commissioner, community activist and owner of the historic Avalon Dairy.

Today, Vancouver's fifth largest park is being restored with native species and natural habitat to create an urban wilderness that serves public recreation and improves the area's ecological integrity.

*The Everett Crowley Park Committee thanks all of our volunteers, and acknowledges these sponsors for their generous financial support of Earth Day Vancouver 2009:*

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## Legend

- 1 Washrooms
- 2 Tree Plant Sign-Up
- 3 Food Court
- 4 Bandstand
- 5 Exhibits
- 6 Birds of Prey
- 7 First Aid
- 8 Kids' Activities
- 9 Champlain Heights Community Centre

## Featuring:

### Opening Ceremonies

With: Mayor Gregor Robertson, Shanise Brown & other VIPs...

### Live Entertainment

Award-winning performers:

Bobs & Lolo, David Campbell, Kwayedza Marimba, Kung Fu Lion Dancers, Los Memories, Tiddley Cove Morris Dancers...

### Exhibits

Learn about: Owls & falcons with Raptors Ridge Birds of Prey; Snakes & lizards with Reptile Conservation; Musqueam Nation carving with Doug Baker; Urban farming with City Farm Boy & The Natural Gardener; Metro predators with Co-Existing with Coyotes; Blue Orchard Bees with Mason Bee Project; Face painting with Bunkie the Clown...

### Snacks

Enjoy: Crêpes by La Bohème Crêperie; Ice cream by Mr. Cool; Hot dogs by Mr. Tubesteak; Drinks by The Coffee Guy...

### Raffle Prizes

Original carving by Doug Baker, Robert Bateman Fine Art print, Sports gear... Tickets: \$2 (3/\$5)