



PROCLAMATION

NANAIMO FIDDLE WEEK May 21 ~ 27, 2023

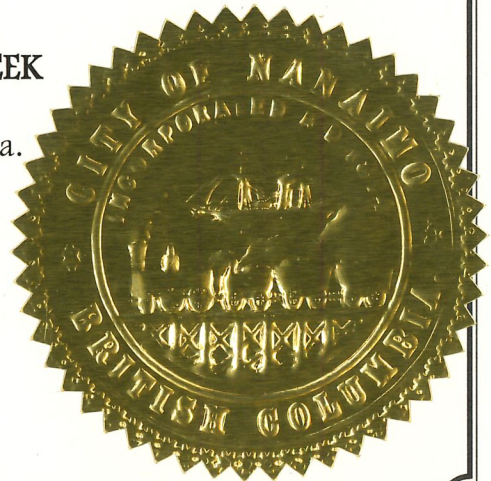
- WHEREAS: the Nanaimo Fiddle Society exists to advance education and community connections in Nanaimo by providing all-ages musical instruction; and
- WHEREAS: the Nanaimo Fiddle Society promotes awareness of traditional fiddle music through performances and dances throughout the Nanaimo area; and
- WHEREAS: the Nanaimo Fiddle Society seeks to alleviate some of the effects of poverty by providing scholarships, bursaries, and instrument loans to community members without financial resources who wish to play fiddle music; and
- WHEREAS: fiddle players from the Nanaimo region have been recognized at the national level by organizations like CBC and the Canadian Folk Music Awards; and
- WHEREAS: Canada's National Fiddling Day falls on the third Saturday of each May.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Leonard Krog, Mayor of the City of Nanaimo, do hereby proclaim May 21 ~ 27, 2023 as:

NANAIMO FIDDLE WEEK

in the City of Nanaimo, Province of British Columbia.

Leonard Krog
MAYOR



Dated this 28th day of February 2023