

Annual Report 2022



INTRODUCTION

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The Vancouver Botanical Gardens Association (VBGA) acknowledges that VanDusen Botanical Garden and Bloedel Conservatory are located on the unceded Ancestral shared lands of the xʷməθkwəy̓əm (Musqueam), Skwxwú7mesh (Squamish), and Səlilwətaʔ/Selilwitulh (Tsleil-Waututh) Nations. We are honoured to be on the lands where these Nations have lived since time immemorial, and where they continue to maintain stewardship and live in balance with nature.

Our mission of connecting people to plants is rooted in place-based education. We work to honour our host Nations' knowledge and protocols and will continue to build relations on trust and respect for the caretakers and knowledge keepers of the land that supports us. In the true spirit of Truth and Reconciliation, we recognize that our work of promoting environmental sustainability and stewardship would not be possible without Indigenous perspectives and knowledge.

VanDusen Botanical Garden and Bloedel Conservatory are jointly operated by the Vancouver Botanical Gardens Association (VBGA) and the City of Vancouver Board of Parks and Recreation. Both organisations share responsibility for the day to day running of the Gardens. This close and long-standing relationship is best represented in what we all get to experience every day at both locations. The work VBGA does together with the Park Board is defined by the roles and responsibilities in our Joint Operating Agreement, most recently updated in 1994.

Both VBGA and Park Board recognize a great deal has changed in the last almost 30 years. For the past number of years, we have been working with Park Board towards the creation of a new Joint Operating Agreement to be approved by elected Park Board officials and VBGA Board, ideally culminating in ratification within the next few months.

A note from VBGA Executive Director Stephen Shapiro

2022 has been another very successful year for VBGA and I would like to thank staff and Board for their hard work and dedication. Much work has gone into the JOA process this past year and I would particularly like to thank committee members; Paul Kluckner, Janet Rhodes, Don Zarowny, Christine McCaffrey, Susan Witter, Ann-Marie Copping, Heidi Jakop, and Marty Kwong in their roles as both volunteers and staff. Hundreds of hours have gone into this important project and I certainly could not have done it without them! We look forward to a bright future ahead.



Stephen Shapiro

Executive Director, Vancouver Botanical Gardens Association

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LETTER FROM VBGA PRESIDENT



As the first year of my term as your VBGA President draws to a close I would like to express my gratitude for your support and let you know that I am very pleased with the progress the Association has made this past twelve months. Our Membership, Education, Volunteer, and Philanthropy programs continue to thrive. We finished 2022 with our highest number of Members ever. I am pleased to report a 10% increase in active adult members from 12,686 in 2021 to 13,977 in 2022, as well as a 17.5% increase in membership revenue from \$418,756 in 2021 to \$492,139 in 2022.

Indigenous ways of knowing, including storytelling and land-centered Indigenous philosophies, were woven through our environmental programming as we continue to increase our focus on Reconciliation initiatives. In 2022, we welcomed our first full-time Indigenous Initiatives Coordinator to the education team and continue to be actively engaged in relationship building with local Indigenous Communities and organizations.

Adult Education participants showed great enthusiasm for the return to onsite programming in 2022, with a 91% fill rate for adult education courses. This year we provided the most childcare places in our history through our camps. Both are significant achievements.

We hosted our first in person volunteer recognition event since 2019, reconnecting and celebrating our resilient volunteer community with music, food, and speeches under a beautiful canopy of leaves at VanDusen's Lathhouse. We were also pleased to host a Member Appreciation event at VanDusen in August to celebrate our members and give them exclusive after-hours access to enjoy the late summer garden.

In 2022, VBGA was proud to join the inaugural year of the American Public Gardens Association's pilot project focused on enhancing inclusion, diversity, equity, and accessibility (IDEA). I look forward to VBGA benefitting from collaboration with public gardens across North America on these important subjects.

Though we budgeted to have a break-even financial result in 2022, VBGA's overall business operations resulted in a \$195,461 deficit. This loss was primarily the result of unrealized losses in our investment portfolio which dropped in value from the prior year, and the absence of large bequests that typically fluctuate year to year. These uncontrollable negative factors were slightly offset by an 11% overage in both membership and education revenues and strong fiscal management of expenses to budget.

I am confident that within the next few months we will have a new Joint Operating Agreement that modernises and strengthens our relationship with Park Board. This will enable a more collaborative approach that will help to ensure that VanDusen Botanical Garden and Bloedel Conservatory continue to grow and thrive. Our Executive Director, Stephen Shapiro, and I have met with Park Board Commissioners who are positive about working with us.

I wish to extend my appreciation to our volunteer Board and VBGA staff for their dedication. I also want to thank our members, volunteers, donors and supporters for their commitment to VBGA. Finally, I wish to extend my gratitude to Stephen Shapiro – his expertise, leadership and support to me and the Board this year has been invaluable.

All the best,

Paul Kluckner
President, Vancouver Botanical Gardens Association

VOLUNTEER ENGAGEMENT

In 2022 we were delighted to welcome back more volunteer teams who help deliver our mission and enhance connection to the Garden and Conservatory through their efforts - including Garden Hosts, Field Trip Guides, Docents, cart driving Garden Guides, and more.

We hosted our first in-person volunteer recognition event since 2019, reconnecting and celebrating our resilient volunteer community with music, food, and speeches under a beautiful canopy of leaves at VanDusen's Lathhouse.

In August, we launched a new Discovery Station volunteer role through which volunteers educate and connect with visitors of all ages via short educational games and activities on topics of Climate Change, Indigenous Perspectives and Native Plants, and Biodiversity. With its short, online training, this position is both impactful and accessible to a wide variety of volunteers.

Volunteer Impact:

- Guides provided botanical walking tours to over 1,800 guests and cart tours for 2,000 visitors with mobility challenges and their guests. Guides also enhanced over 6,000 visitor experiences at the Guide Information Trolley.
- Discovery Station volunteers facilitated interactive environmental educational activities with over 1,500 visitors in just two short months.
- Garden Hosts provided a warm welcome and visitor information to over 6,200 visitors and members at the Membership Desk at VanDusen Visitor Centre.
- Seed Collectors collected, cleaned and sold VanDusen seeds locally and across the globe. Beyond saving and sharing seeds, through their efforts, they generously contributed a most appreciated \$10,000 to the VBGA.
- Today in the Garden volunteers contributed over 500 hours to ensure that visitors see some of the loveliest plants that await them and know where to find them within the Garden.
- The Fresh Flower Arrangers brought the botanical beauty inside the atrium through their regular floral displays.
- Library volunteers enabled us to open the library on Saturdays again - without them available onsite we would not have the library open to the public during the weekend.
- Bird Walk volunteers doubled in numbers to accommodate our sold-out walks.
- Field Trip Guides (previously called School Program Leaders) returned this autumn to share with school-age groups their passion for nature in the Garden.
- 25 volunteers connected with 2,735 youth at our camps, field trips, and preschool story time.
- Docents educated visitors on biodiversity at Bloedel Conservatory. By sharing their deep wealth of knowledge of the birds and plants, they made visits more memorable for over 500 hundred visitors in only a few months.
- Administrative and Communications volunteers were invaluable to staff in making our communications and programming flow beautifully, to the benefit of our whole volunteer team and the public.
- The Plant Sale volunteers spent the year busy re-envisioning the Sale for 2023 where our community connects and greens the city.
- We recruited new Virtual Education Program Hosts as the demand for online programs has continued, while Education Program Hosts working in-person are eager to support many programs.

"The best comment is from visitors that proclaim that VanDusen Garden is the best botanical garden they have ever visited."

- Volunteer



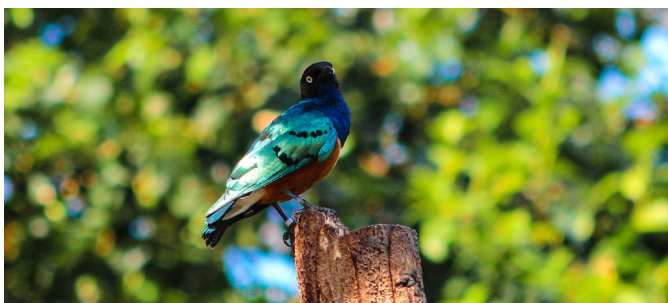
MEMBERSHIP HIGHLIGHTS

The flora and fauna in the Garden and Conservatory, along with VBGA's membership base, continued to grow and thrive in 2022. The New Year ushered in eased pandemic restrictions, renewed optimism, and a reminder of the healing power of nature.

The extreme weather that followed, including an unseasonable cool spring; a historic drought brought on by a late, long hot summer; and two major snowstorms, only served to remind us of the perilous impacts of climate change and the growing importance of our members, whose support helps fund botanical collections, education, and Indigenous initiatives; connect more people to plants; and protect biodiversity for generations to come.

We are pleased to report a 10% increase in active adult members from 12,686 in 2021 to 13,977 in 2022, and a 12% increase in member households from 8,779 in 2021 to 9,838 in 2022, as well as a 17.5% increase in revenues from \$418,756 in 2021 to \$492,139 in 2022.

VBGA members continue to place high value on unlimited daily access to the Garden and Conservatory, as well as an abundance of additional benefits including express entry with the tap of a valid membership card. Plus, members enjoy a variety of additional discounts to educational programs and classes for adults; nature camps for kids (including priority registration); special events such as Sakura Days and Festival of Lights; Shaughnessy Restaurant; and the Garden Gift Shop.



"Thank you for providing members with a magical new experience at the Garden"

- VBGA Member



We were excited to host a Member Appreciation event at VanDusen in August to celebrate our members and give them exclusive after-hours access to enjoy the late summer garden. Hundreds of members enjoyed the first member-only evening since the pandemic, which featured spectacular blooms and foliage, cooler temperatures, and the rich colours of the early evening light. Members also enjoyed free guided Garden tours and light refreshments.

We were also excited to host a second Member Appreciation event to coincide with the member-exclusive Garden Gift Shop sale in November. We served free coffee, tea, and cookies, and connected with hundreds of members who enjoyed first dibs and discounts on holiday merchandise followed by a beautiful, sunny late fall afternoon at the Garden.

Our Membership team remains committed to providing exceptional service at our Membership Desk in the Visitor Centre, over the phone, and online, which would not be possible without our team of Member Service Associates and the generous support of VBGA's volunteer Garden Hosts and Guides; our Vancouver Park Board partners; and our VBGA team members in Education, Philanthropy, and Volunteer Engagement.

We are grateful for our growing community of new and renewing members whose support helps us steward these precious sanctuaries for generations to come.

VBGA EDUCATION

Growing plant-based literacy

In 2022, the education team saw a 71% increase in educational programming and services. Over 14,000 engagement opportunities were filled, which is on par with our highest ever engagement in 2019. Connecting with our participants is what drives us. Whether they are beginners or seasoned program enthusiasts, we understand everyone approaches nature from their own unique perspectives, interests, and needs and we strive to provide opportunities for all learners.



Students of Nature

Preschoolers, post-secondary, and life-long learners were actively engaged in our courses, classes, and camps in 2022. One of our highlights was the launch of Wonder Walks for our youngest learners. Wonder Walks is an outdoor, inquiry-led program which connects our youngest Garden visitors to seasonal explorations of plants and animals that call the Garden home and is offered on weekdays for preschool-aged children and their adult caregivers.

Our guided field trips made a return in spring. Students from kindergarten through to the twelfth grade enjoyed field trips with themes including: A Sense of Nature, Fantastic Flowers, Natural Heritage Walk, and Pond Peering. In 2022 we welcomed 6,067 students and chaperones on our Field Trips, an increase from 378 in 2021, and 239 in 2020. 2022 also saw the return of our bursary program, “Connecting Urban Youth to Nature”,

which aims to make VanDusen Botanical Garden accessible to all students. Thanks to our donors, 523 students and chaperones from various schools and community organizations were able to visit with reduced financial barriers.

In 2022 we served as hosts for SFU’s School for Interactive Arts students and provided a career placement for a UBC faculty of Land and Food Systems student. In addition, we awarded 3 fellowship roles to UBC and SFU graduates through the Institute of Environmental Learning that focused on participatory action research at the Garden and Conservatory. We also employed 18 post-secondary students in seasonal co-op and camp roles to support the planning and delivery of youth programs, including Spring Break and Summer Camps.

“They came home excited about what they did and learned and couldn’t wait to go back the next day.”

- Spring Break Camp Parent

Popular and impactful, our Teacher Professional Development programs were offered online and in-person in 2022 to both district-wide and private staff groups. These programs provided opportunities to engage with, and support teachers’ connection to the world of plants and nature through curricular-linked, immersive workshops. In September we welcomed 75 teachers to the return of our annual Teacher Open House (the first since the pandemic). We were also happy to offer The Classroom Garden Series for a second year with funding allowing free registration to 153 teachers. This online 10-part series with Megan Zeni supports K-7 elementary teachers eager to explore opportunities for teaching across the curriculum in their West Coast school garden.



Diverse Nature-based Offerings

Our offerings included guided community days in the Garden, family events for all ages, day camps for children, courses and workshops for adults, library book clubs, and chance encounters with a discovery cart at the Garden or Conservatory.

In 2022, Indigenous ways of knowing, including storytelling and land-centered Indigenous philosophies, were woven through our environmental programming as we continue to increase our focus on Reconciliation initiatives. We welcomed our first full-time Indigenous Initiatives Coordinator to the education team and continue to be actively engaged in relationship building with local Indigenous Communities and organizations.

"I think both workshops and leaders were great! I loved the First Nations stories and use of local plants especially."

- Teacher Pro-D Participant

Nature Club camps in 2022, we provided the most childcare places in VBGA's camp history. We also incorporated parents' feedback and began offering after camp care for the first time. With community and donor support, we were able to provide 27 children with a fully sponsored camp bursary.



"I enjoyed the session; it was very educational and fun. I got to learn a lot about not only bumblebees but also other insects and plants found at VanDusen Garden."

- Adult Ed Participant



"The instructor was super engaging and lively, really knew her stuff, and had very attractive and informative slides"

- Adult Ed Participant

Adult Education participants showed great enthusiasm for the return to onsite programming in 2022, with a 91% fill rate for adult education courses. We received many messages of appreciation for the online format which we continue to offer since launching during the pandemic. Of the 54 courses we offered this year, 22 were online.

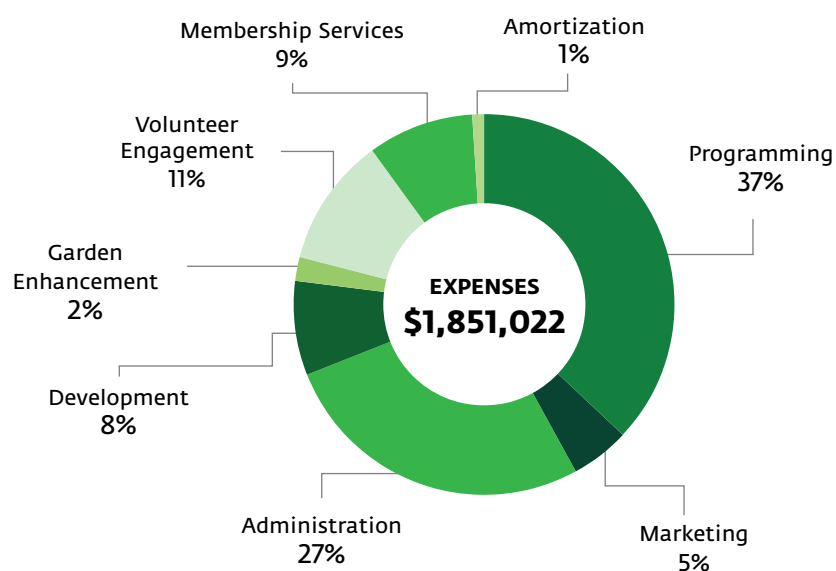
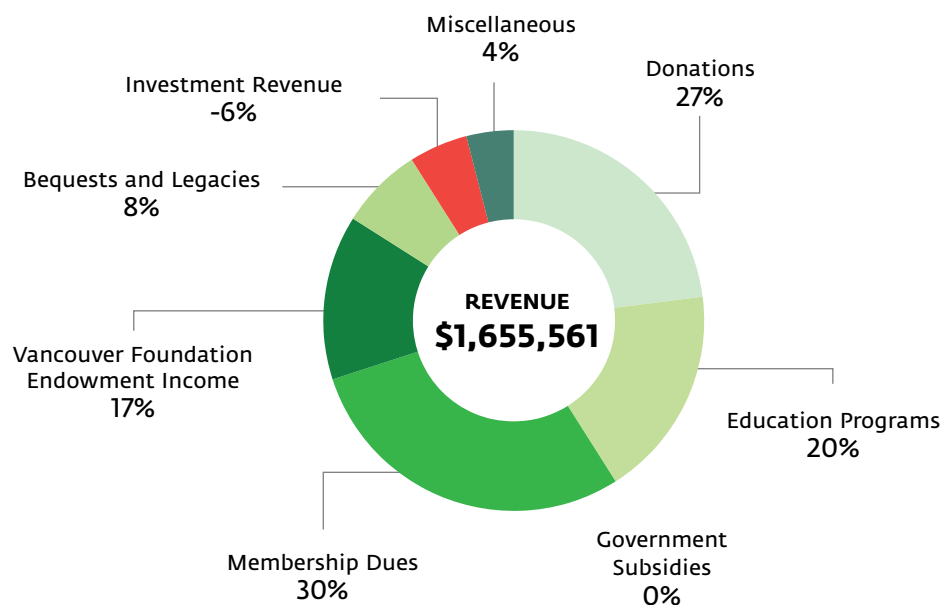
With over 1,650 campers aged between five to ten years old registering in our Spring, Summer, Pro-D and Weekend

Intergenerational programs provided an opportunity for guests of all ages to visit, explore and engage with the Gardens in exciting and informative ways. These whole family programs are designed to create fun and educational immersive experiences with plants and nature. Preschoolers and their caregivers explored Tree-mendous Trees in Preschool Storytime, families got up close and personal with hummingbirds and practiced their Backyard Bird Count identification skills, and participants of all ages enjoyed our holiday wreath making workshop.

The Yosef Wosk Library & Resource Centre had over 3,000 visitors in 2022 and we welcomed over 1,000 participants to our library programming. Our five online Speaker Series sessions included topics such as BioCultural Diversity and Education, and Resilient Gardens for a Changing Climate. The Library hosted an in-person book launch for author Gary Lewis's book, *The Complete Book of Groundcovers*, hosted 3 artist exhibitions and openings, and held 5 popular online book club events. 2022 also marked the return of regular in-person volunteers who contribute tremendously to getting the library's collections on the shelves, library programming, and enhancing customer service.

FINANCIAL RESULTS

Our financial statements are audited by BDO Canada LLP. A copy of our full audited financial statements is available on our website, vandusengarden.org/about.



*The administration costs shown are not allocated to specific program areas and are centralized support services.

2022 DEVELOPMENT



2022 was a year of rejuvenation for Development at the VBGA. We are deeply grateful to our loyal donors who renewed their support and commitment to stewarding and enhancing the Gardens. As the seasons passed, more and more lovers of the Gardens stepped forward and made their donations to help others in our community explore the wonders of VanDusen Botanical Garden and Bloedel Conservatory. We are deeply humbled by our donors' belief in our mission and work - without you, none of this would be possible.

Donor generosity revitalized in-person educational events, allowing us to welcome over 13,000 visitors into our nature-based classrooms to experience top quality environmental education. Donor-funded bursaries eased some of the financial difficulties faced by our community last year, removing financial barriers to allow children and families to experience the magic of the Gardens. Our donors also enabled us to move forward with plans for a specialized Teaching Garden, which we hope to open in the near future.

We wish to say a special and heartfelt thank you to the many supporters who included the VBGA in their will; it was their

thoughtful consideration of future generations that provided much of the funding that made our mission such a huge success this year.

With the renewed support of our donors, VBGA looks forward to new undertakings in the year ahead. The quality of our educational programs has built the VBGA's reputation as a leader in environmental and botanical education. Our 2023 education sessions will be some of the most fun and engaging that the VBGA has ever hosted, all thanks to the ongoing generosity of our donors. In recognition of the incredible contributions of the donors who have made the VBGA what it is today, we also plan to revive our donor recognition events and provide more opportunities for connection.

Thank you to everyone who contributed to making 2022 the incredible year of regrowth that it was. Your kind support planted seeds of curiosity and love for the Gardens, helping us to grow a brighter and greener tomorrow.

THANK YOU 2022 SUPPORTERS

Vancouver Botanical Gardens Association gratefully acknowledges the generosity of our donors whose support is critical to sustaining our activities, programs, and services allowing us to continue connecting people to the importance of biodiversity and deepening their connection with nature.

Every effort has been made to ensure the accuracy of this list. If there are errors or omissions, please accept our apologies and contact our development team at 604-257-8677.

LIFETIME CUMULATIVE GIVING

*(1985 to December
31, 2021)*

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Alma VanDusen Garden Fund,
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*(January 1st 2022 to
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 Service Canada
 The Grayross Foundation,
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 Vancouver Foundation
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 Estate of Mollie Thackeray

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 Nature Canada (Work to Grow)
 Paddy Wales
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Note that additional donors have also been acknowledged throughout our premises for their generosity.



Vancouver Botanical Gardens Association (VBGA)

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The VBGA is incorporated under the BC
Societies Act and is a registered charity.

Charitable No. **119281301 RR0001**

