

June 22, 2010

Dear Ward 20 Parents,

RE: Child Care Options during G20 School Closures

On Friday evening my office received notice that the Toronto District School Board and Toronto Catholic District School Board are closing the following schools on Thursday June 24th and Friday June 25th, 2010:

- Alpha Alternative JS
- Beverley PS
- Island Public/Natural Science School
- Ogden Junior PS
- Orde Street Junior PS
- St. Joseph College School
- St. Michael Choir School
- The Waterfront School

We realize that this creates a difficult situation for parents in the downtown who must work and will not have alternate options for the care of their school age children this week.

Although other schools in the City remain open, all student transportation has been cancelled by all of the publicly funded school boards on Friday, June 25th.

Working with staff of local community-based agencies, along with support from the City Manager and my office, the following options have been made available free of charge.

Three centres will offer free programs for school-age children on Thursday and Friday of this week.

- Alexandra Park Community Centre (Spadina & Dundas area)
- Scadding Court Community Centre (Bathurst & Dundas)
- University Settlement House (McCaul & Dundas area)

More details on this are available on the next page.

My office has been regularly sending e-mail updates to residents about impacts of the G20 Summit. If you would like to receive these updates, visit www.ward20.ca, where you can subscribe to my e-mail list to receive future updates. All past updates are also posted online.

As always, please do not hesitate to get in touch with my office at any time by calling 416 392-4044, or by emailing councillor_vaughan@toronto.ca.

Best regards,



Adam Vaughan
City Councillor, Ward 20, Trinity-Spadina



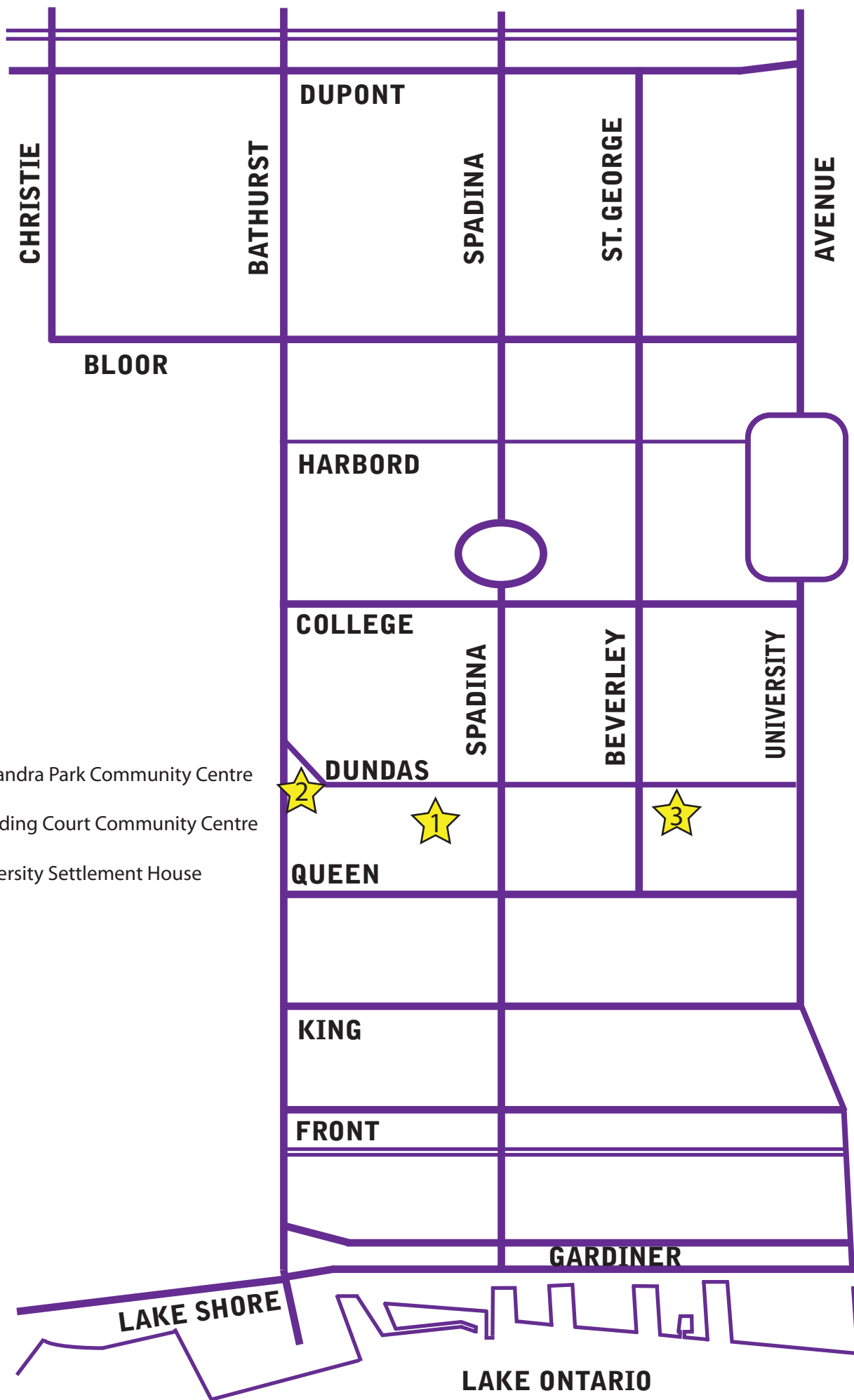
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| <p>Alexandra Park Community Centre (APCC)</p> <p>105 Grange Court (entrance from Cameron St., just west of Spadina)</p> | <p>This Thursday and Friday only - Alexandra Park Community Centre (APCC) will offer supervised programming for up to 120 children from Kindergarten to Grade 8. Please register for this program by calling Donna.</p> <p>Drop-in between 8:30 – 9:30 am only. Programming will run until 5:30 pm.</p> | <p>Call Donna Harrow for details or to check availability.</p> <p>416.824.9136</p> |
| <p>Scadding Court Community Centre (SCCC)</p> <p>707 Dundas St. W., (S/E corner of Bathurst & Dundas)</p> | <p>This Thursday and Friday only - Scadding Court Community Centre (SCCC) will offer supervised programming for 80 children from Kindergarten to Grade 6. Please register for this program by calling Walter.</p> <p>A drop in for an unlimited number of children in Grades 7-8 is also available.</p> <p>Program hours: 8:30 am to 5 pm.</p> | <p>Please register for this program by calling Walter.</p> <p>416.392.0335 ext. 240</p> |
| <p>University Settlement House (USH)</p> <p>23 Grange Road, (off McCaul St, between Dundas & Queen St W)</p> | <p>University Settlement House (USH) is open on Thursday June 24th only. USH is closed on Friday. USH's drop-in program can accommodate up to 25 children from Kindergarten to Grade 8.</p> <p>Drop-in between 8:30 – 9:30 am only. Programming will run until 6 pm.</p> | <p>Call Chantelle Flowers for details or to check availability.</p> <p>416.598-3444 x 228</p> |

For more information:

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- 1 - Alexandra Park Community Centre
- 2 - Scadding Court Community Centre
- 3 - University Settlement House