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Fifteen YACOS Members Were Honoured at Shining Surrey Event

As mentioned last month, our Surrey Shines show on January 30 was an excellent event once again. The talent was the best ever, DJ Alibaba kept everything together and we are grateful to our many sponsors and friends such as Tom Lee Music, the Knights of Columbus, Brandon Kroeger, the Ukrainian Self-Reliance Association, Dominoes Pizza, Trevor Carroll and Reverie Arts and the City of Surrey. So much work goes into a big show like Surrey Shines, but in the end, it is fun to just be there and watch all the excellent acts.

We also can't wait to see the new theatre seats go in this coming summer. Fifteen seats will have the names of YACOS members that have really made a difference here in Surrey. They have all put in lots of hours of volunteer time to work on shows, concerts and other events. Blackwood Partners Management and Central City Mall were very generous and supportive to think of us.



There is always something being planned by YACOS. Next up will be our Surrey High School Film Festival in June. If you would like to join the Youth Arts Council or if you know of someone who may want to be involved in making interesting arts events happen in Surrey for youth, please contact us at 604-585-2787. Check out our Facebook page, too. We always welcome new ideas and energy and we look for new ways to engage young people in our city.

Have a great Spring Break!