



Canada
Province of British Columbia
A Proclamation

ELIZABETH THE SECOND, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom,
Canada and Her other Realms and Territories, Queen, Head of the
Commonwealth, Defender of the Faith

To all to whom these presents shall come – Greeting

WHEREAS family support for children and young people on the autism spectrum is vital for their inclusion and participation in their communities, and

WHEREAS the Pacific Autism Family Centre Foundation, a charitable organization with a mandate to serve the needs of individuals with autism spectrum disorders and all related disorders across British Columbia, was created in response to public need, and

WHEREAS sponsored by the Pacific Autism Family Centre Foundation and operated by the Pacific Autism Family Centre Society, the mandate of the Pacific Autism Family Network (PAFN) is to help families support their children as they grow to become full participants in society and see their goals and aspirations fulfilled, and

WHEREAS the Pacific Autism Family Network provides family-centered, activity-based services to meet the lifespan needs of individuals living with autism spectrum disorders and other developmental disorders and the needs of their families, and

WHEREAS Pacific Autism Family Network—including its main location, the GoodLife Fitness Family Autism Hub, and its three other locations in Prince George, Kelowna and Chilliwack—is a centre of excellence linking together state-of-the-art resources for assessment, treatment, education, support and research related to autism spectrum disorders and other developmental disorders;

NOW KNOW YE THAT We do by these presents proclaim and declare that November 9 to 16, 2021, shall be known as

“Pacific Autism Family Network Week”

in the Province of British Columbia.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent and the Great Seal of Our Province of British Columbia to be hereunto affixed.

WITNESS, The Honourable Janet Austin, Lieutenant Governor of Our Province of British Columbia, in Our City of Victoria, in Our Province, this fourth day of November, two thousand twenty-one and in the seventieth year of Our Reign.

BY COMMAND.

Attorney General and
Minister Responsible for Housing
(counter signature for the Great Seal)

Lieutenant Governor