

BRILLIANT STARS

AND

CHAMPIONS OF JUSTICE

are offered at:

Saint James Community Square
3214 West 10th Avenue
on Tuesdays
from 4:00pm to 5:00pm

Mount Pleasant Neighbourhood House
800 East Broadway
on Saturdays
from 11:00am to 12:00noon

Vancouver Bahá'í Centre
5880 Main Street (at 43rd)
on Saturdays
from 11:00am to 12:00noon

Registration

Classes begin on Tuesday, September 24th and Saturday, September 28th and continue until June 2003.

The cost for these classes is \$10 per child for the year.

To register, call:

Halena Jauca at 604-733-7111

About the Bahá'í Faith

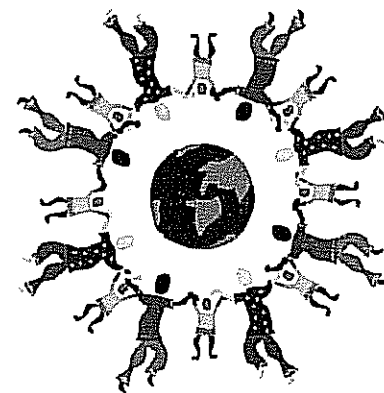
The Bahá'í Faith is the youngest of the world's independent religions. Its founder, Bahá'u'lláh (1817-1892), is regarded by Bahá'ís as the most recent in the line of Messengers of God that stretches back beyond recorded time and that includes Abraham, Moses, Buddha, Zoroaster, Christ and Muhammad.

The most widespread of the world's independent religions, the Bahá'í Faith is established in 235 countries and territories throughout the world. Bahá'ís come from over 2100 ethnic, racial and tribal groups and number some 6 million worldwide.

For more than a century, Bahá'í communities around the world have been working to break down barriers of prejudice between peoples and have collaborated with other like minded groups to promote the model of a global society. At the heart of Bahá'í belief is the conviction that humanity is a single people with a common destiny. In the words of Bahá'u'lláh, "The earth is but one country and mankind its citizens".



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**Classes for children
which focus on
character development
and spiritual
education through
music, art, storytelling
and play**

BRILLIANT STARS

Ages 4 to 7

Topics of Study

Divine Teachers
Flowers of One Garden
Prayer
Truthfulness
Keeping a Promise
Generosity
Kindness to Animals
Love and Unity
Courtesy
Respecting our Parents
Helping Others

*"Education is the indispensable foundation of all human excellence."
Bahá'í Writings*

CHAMPIONS OF JUSTICE

Ages 8 to 11

Topics of Study

Religions of the World
Prayer
Appreciating Diversity
Telling the Truth
Avoiding Bad Language
Obedience to Parents
Courtesy
Helping in Your Home
Bahá'í History
Good Deeds and Habits
Equality of Men and Women

About the Classes



These classes are sponsored by the Bahá'í Community of Vancouver and derive their inspiration from the Bahá'í Teachings.

Bahá'ís believe that "children are the most precious treasure a community can possess, for in them are the promise and guarantee of the future. They bear the seeds of the character of future society which is largely shaped by what the adults constituting the community do or fail to do with respect to children."

The purpose of these classes is to assist the children to acquire spiritual qualities and an upright character, and to help them understand the essential oneness of all religions and of humanity.

"Regard man as a mine rich in gems of inestimable value. Education can, alone, cause it to reveal its treasures, and enable mankind to benefit there from."

Bahá'í Writings