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Regent Park TV is a community television station serving Regent Park that is operated by the FOCUS Media Arts Centre. RPTV is accessible to everyone on the Regent Park TV YouTube Channel: www.youtube.com/regentparktv

RPTV Weekly News Show Episode 41



Welcome to RPTV Weekly News Show Episode 41. In this weekly news show hosted by RPTV reporters Allanis Inguillo, Kedar Ahmed, Fred Alvarado, Jabin Haque, and Victoria Nanneti, we present news that impacts on Toronto's Regent Park and the surrounding areas.

Topics include:

- Man seriously injured after daylight Toronto stabbing, suspect arrested,
- Report of Rezoning of Regent Park community Meeting,
- Daniels Spectrum celebrates 10th anniversary with World Premiere of "Songs from the Journey 2022",
- City of Toronto releases 2022/23 Winter Services Plan for people experiencing homelessness,
- Novotel residents, supporters protest against alleged forced evictions,
- Cabbagetown mansion being repurposed as affordable housing for unhoused Indigenous men,
- Man seriously injured after daylight Toronto stabbing, suspect arrested,
- Cabbagetown businesses say they're dying due to construction and traffic,
- 15 Toronto city councillors voice concern over strong mayor powers in letter to province,
- Covid-19 Vaccination and Wellness clinics in Regent Park,
- Events and Jobs in the Regent Park Community



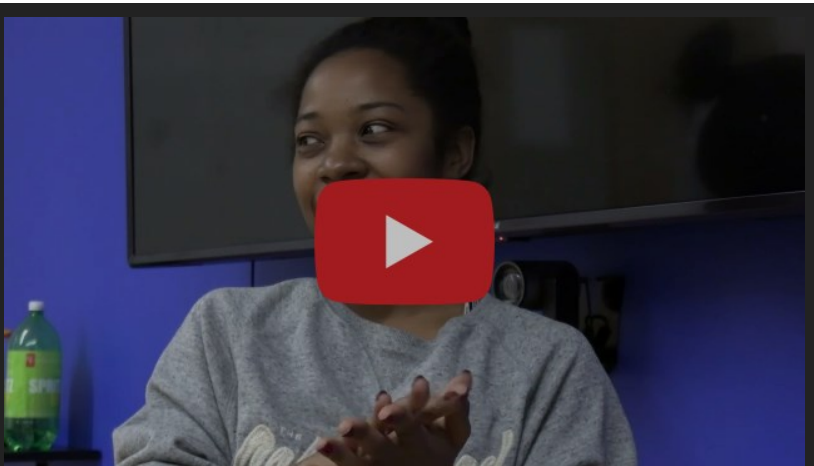
On December 8th, 2022, the University of Toronto and the Focus Media Arts Centre celebrated their third annual collaboration together, by presenting A multimedia exhibition of the course: Changing Cultures of Regent Park.

Throughout the fall of this year, Focus Media Arts Centre and the University of Toronto teamed up with U of T Urban Studies students and Regent Park residents to conduct research and build an understanding of the neighbourhood's dynamic history of immigration, housing and community organizing. The 12-week course was led by Professor Aditi Mehta with support from FOCUS staff.

On December 8th, course participants celebrated their learnings by presenting a multi-media exhibition of their work. The multi-media event was held on the third floor of the Daniels Spectrum Centre at 585 Dundas St East. Course participants celebrated their learnings by presenting exhibits featuring overviews of their research some of which involve videos and radio clips of Regent Park community members they interviewed. Each participant involved in the course received a course certificate as well as a stipend.

To know more about the projects visit the course website - <https://www.uoftxrpfocus.com/2022>

A Conversation with Chloe Brown



On December 7th, 2022, the Femme collective hosted a meeting with third place mayoral candidate Chloe Brown in the Daniel Spectrum Arts Centre building. The Femme Collective is a women's media group associated with RPTV. In this meeting, Chloe Brown responds to questions asked by members of Femme about her experiences as a person of colour and a woman running for mayor.

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CLIMATE CONVERSATIONS

Episode 11: GreenUP



Lili Paradi (she/her)

In Radio Regent Climate Conversations episode 11, Regent youth reporters Leah Glasgow and Remon Brown interviewed climate activist Lili Paradi. Lili Paradi is a communications manager for GreenUp. She graduated from the University of Edinburgh with a Masters of science communications and a Bachelors in wildlife biology/conservation. In this interview she is asked various questions about Greenup's role in climate change, how we can reduce the effects of climate change, and how GreenUp can have an impact on the wellbeing of the community?

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Featured Article

[Rezoning of Regent Park](#)

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