## قاش ARABIC LANGUAGE AND CULTURE SEMINAR

## Saturday, March 12, 10:30-12:30

## Community Centre, MacPherson Room

This free public event will seek to introduce Arabic culture and language to the community of Revelstoke. This seminar is in support of the 25,000+ Syrian refugees currently sponsored by the government and private sponsors, and in preparation for a refugee family coming to Revelstoke.

The presentation will provide an overview of:

- The surprising varieties of Arabic language and dialects
- Arabs' pride in the language and its impact on culture
- The Arabic alphabet, writing and numeral system
- The major differences between Arabic and English
- Other aspects of Middle Eastern culture

Speaker: Sandra Baumgartner

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