

WEISER COMMUNITY PARK



Built on the site of the old Weiser Lock Company's factory, Weiser Community Park draws its inspiration from the site's industrial heritage.

Location

Burnaby, British Columbia

Date

1997–2001

Owner + Client

Adera Group

The park shelter and sculptural interpretation of the smoke stack recall images of the Weiser Lock buildings. The use of scored concrete as a building material for the walls and paved surfaces further enhances the industrial feel. Incorporated within the main park wall is a passive rainwater feature shaped to mimic one of the many keys produced by the Weiser Company during its long history. The park's multi-age play area, seating, and wide array of seasonal planting provide a pleasant focal element.