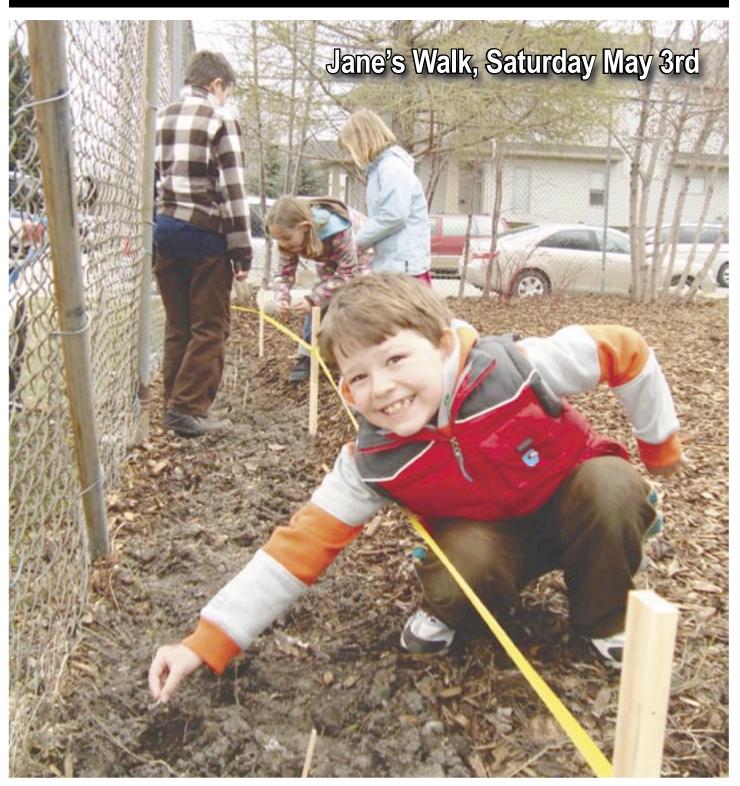
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# Crescent Heights Community Association

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## 1101 - 2nd Street NW Calgary, Alberta T2M 2V7

CHCA activities and operations is provided through volunteer community members and a volunteer board of directors, whose common interest is to advance and enhance the quality of life to CHCA residents, and promote partnership and cooperation between residents and businesses of Crescent Heights.

## **Volunteer Board of Directors**

#### 403.276.1002 + extension # below

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## Ward 7 message

by Councillor Druh Farrell

#### Plans for Calgary's next C-Train line are taking shape

Calgary Transit is close to finalizing the route for the North Central LRT, which will extend from the downtown all the way to Harvest Hills. The North Central route is the north half of the Green Line, a major north/south bus-rapid-transit and LRT line outlined in RouteAhead, Calgary's 30-year strategic plan for transit. Rather than the high floor trains that we're used to, the Green Line will use less costly low-floor technology.

The North Central LRT is needed for residents and businesses along the major corridors in the north. Almost 50,000 cars travel along Centre Street, Edmonton Trail and 4th Street NW corridors every day, not including trips on Deerfoot Trail from the North Central neighbourhoods.

Centre Street, at 30,000 bus passengers a day, is the most successful transit route in Calgary, far surpassing the 18,000 daily vehicle counts. A victim of its own success, the transit demands on Centre Street exceed supply. An LRT would provide faster, cleaner, and more efficient trips for over 100,000 passengers.

The Green Line will be designed with sustainability in mind. Among other guiding principles, the Green Line will provide and enhance:

- connections between people and places through walking and cycling, and links with new and existing bus routes,
- neighbourhood development and revitalization,
- vitality of local businesses by promoting business development and access.
- Complete Streets including landscaping, urban design, and pedestrian and cycling networks.

Over the coming months, City staff will conduct further analysis and engage with the public to determine the final alignment of the Green Line. One of the critical decisions remaining is whether to run the line up Centre Street or Edmonton Trail and whether to place the tracks above or below ground along certain sections. Staff will report back with their recommendations to Council by the end of 2014. You can find out more by visiting routeahead.ca.

For more information about Ward 7, please visit my website at druhfarrell. ca.



Sunday - Monday 11:00am - 1:00am Tuesday - Saturday 11:00am - 2:30am

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But to Dr. Matt Karavos, the real value of the bus is its ability to reach Calgary's most at risk young people and provide them with oral health care. "When I heard about the Alex Dental Health Bus program and the incredible need that its school program had uncovered, I knew we had to be involved in the solution," says Dr. Karavos.

That's when Dr. Karavos and his team started working with The Alex Community Health Centre to start the SMILE Clinics.

SMILE Clinics see children that are in need of dental treatment and are referred through the Alex Dental Health Bus School Program. All treatment is provided at no additional cost to the parents, and Crescent Heights Dental Clinic donates time and supplies. The most recent clinic in April received supplies donated by Henry Schein Canada and Patterson Dental Supplies as well.



Since June 2013, Dr. Karavos and his team have partnered with The Alex to run 6 SMILE Clinics, providing treatment to over 100 of Calgary's kids that are most in need. And there are no plans to stop.

"What we saw at our first clinic brought tears to the eyes of my team ...," said Dr. Karavos. "We were prepared to perform a lot of minor care, but the levels of advanced decay in some of these kids is beyond what you want to see as dental professionals - we simply can't let kids live with this kind of risk and pain."

For information on The Alex Community Health Centre, visit www.thealex. ca.



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Deadline: The 10th of each month for the following month. For example: To be published in the June issue, the deadline is May 10. Special September issue deadline: August 5 (to accommodate all the 'back-to-school' material).

The July/August issue is combined into one publication and so is the December/January issue. The deadlines for these two issues are June 10 and November 10 respectively.

## McHugh Bluff cleanup

Spring is in the air and it is time for some spring cleaning! If you enjoy the McHugh Bluff, please come and share a few hours with neighbours and friends in the annual spring litter cleanup on Saturday, May 10, 9:30 – 11:00am. We will meet at Crescent Road and 5 Street NW and we will finish up with Tim Hortons cookies and cold drinks. Garbage and recycling bags as well as thin gloves will be provided.

If you would like to become involved with the "Friends of McHugh Bluff" please contact friendsofmchughbluff@gmail.com to be added to the email distribution list. We are a group of volunteers who do spring and fall litter cleanups and support the City of Calgary's Biodiversity Program with hand-pulling of invasive weeds from the McHugh Bluff.

## Wild Rose United Church

Dreaming of Italy? Join us at Wild Rose United Church for an Italian partito and silent auction on Saturday, May 3rd at 6:00 pm. Tickets: \$15.00 per person. Phone: 403-277-5576. Dinner includes lasagna, bread, salad and tiramisu. Dietary restrictions will be accommodated. Come out and support your community. Wild Rose United is located at 1317-1 Street NW.

## Thank you!

The following members have made donations to the CHCA in recent months:

Louann Smith James Ingold

## Jane's Walk

Our resident book reviewer, Judith Umbach, is leading this year's Jane's Walk. It is called 'Both Sides of the Street' and is currently scheduled for Saturday, May 3rd at 10:30am. Meeting place is at Crescent Road and 1st Street NW.

## **Empties for equipment**

Crescent Heights High School's monthly drop-off bottle drives for 2014 restarted Feb 8. Thanks for helping support various clubs and teams -your donations make a huge difference to us! Drop-offs take place the **second Saturday of the month from 10 am-noon** - May 10 and June 14. Thanks for your continuing support!

## Women's Centre of Calgary

Women Should Know Each Other at the Women's Centre Thursday, May 29, 2014 5:00-8:00pm
\*New location\* 39 – 4th Street NE

We're teaming up with We Should Know Each Other (WSKEO) for an exciting evening of conversation and ideas. WSKEO is a grassroots community-building movement that Mark Hopkins started out of his living room in Calgary in 2008.

Women Should Know Each Other will be a welcoming space for all women to connect with one another and learn about the Women's Centre in its brand new space. Join us for an informal evening of shared stories, community issues, new connections and laughter!

This event is open to anyone who identifies as a woman. You're welcome to come alone, but you're encouraged to invite:

- Somebody who's never attended WSKEO;
- Somebody who's never been to the Women's Centre; or
- Somebody you want to know better.

For more information about WSKEO, visit: www.wskeo.com

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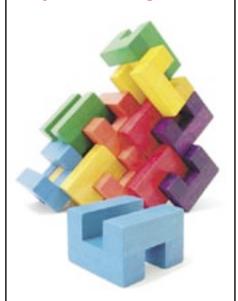
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## Fostering Safe Communities

It's that time of the year again: spring cleaning! Here are some things to keep in mind during your spring cleanup:

- Complete a walkthrough of your property to ensure that all buildings and structures are in good repair, there is no vandalism or graffiti and no wildlife has taken up shop over the course of the winter. If you see any graffiti on your property, please report it to The City of Calgary by contacting 311 and remove it as soon as possible.
- If you plan to partake in any construction projects, please ensure any material stored in the yard is not visible from outside of the property. Only an appropriate amount of materials for the current building project is permitted and it should be stacked in an orderly and safe manner.
- Many community associations host community cleanups in the spring. These events are great opportunities to properly dispose of unwanted household items, such as electronics or old furniture. Contact your community association for the date of the cleanup closest to you.
- Hazardous materials such as gasoline, motor oil and paint cannot be disposed of with your household garbage. Visit calgary.ca to find a list of Throw n' Go locations and fire stations with special storage depots for proper disposal of these materials.

Having a tidy property increases personal and community pride. You, your family and your friends will feel comfortable and safe enjoying your yard and spending time outside.

For more information, please call 311 or visit www.calgary.ca.



#### 1904 14 Ave NW

Monday to Thursday 10:00 a.m. - 9:00 p.m. Friday and Saturday 10:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. Sunday 12:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. until May 11







Computer Technology Coaching: Drop in for one-on-one, volunteer help on using the Internet and Microsoft Office products. Mondays, May 5 to Aug. 25 (No program on May 19, Aug. 4, and Aug. 11) 2 - 4 p.m. No Registration Required.

50+ Coffee and Conversation: Join us for coffee, conversation and presentations of interest. Ages 50 and up. Mondays, May 5 to Aug. 25 (No program on May 19, June 9, July 7, and Aug. 4) 2 - 3:30 p.m. No Registration Required.

## Thursdays @ Your Library

Ebook Doctor: Looking for help with OverDrive or Freading? Drop in for assistance with your ebook and e-reader questions. Thursdays, May 22, June 26, July 17, and Aug. 21 2 - 3:30 p.m. No Registration Required.

## The Oxford Experience: In Search of Jane Austen's World:

Take a visual trip to Oxford University's Christ Church College with Carole Marion, and Jane Austen's Heroines. Thursday, June 12, 2 - 3:30 p.m. Registration Required.

Aboriginal Explorations: We Are All Treaty People: Explore the meaning and legacy of Treaty 7 - how it has been interpreted by our ancestors, our current responsibilities and the implications for the future of both Calgary and Canada. Presented by Professor Liam Haggarty.

Thursday, June 12, 7 - 8:30 p.m. Registration Required.

Programs are FREE with your library card.

Register in person, by calling 260-2620 or online at

www.calgarypubliclibrary.com

## Tust for you:

Tablets and Media Creation: An Introduction: Discover what is now possible, easier and more accessible with touch-technology in this 50-minute showcase of innovative digital-media, made exclusively using tablet technology. Ability to scan a QR-code on your tablet is strongly encouraged. Participants may want to register in subsequent iGeneration workshops. Wednesday, July 9, 7 - 8:30 p.m. Registration Required.

Fort Calgary: On the Road: Learn about our history through artifacts from Fort Calgary's collection. Try on a Mountie tunic and make a craft with your children. Enjoy activities for the whole family! Saturday, June 21, 2 - 3:30 p.m. No Registration Required.



## Eureka! The TD Summer Reading

Club is coming!! Join us as we kick off Eureka! Drop in for a scavenger hunt and other fun activities. Collect your maker notebook and read all summer to win great prizes! Saturday, June 21,10 a.m. - 4 p.m.

See you soon!





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## Window & Balcony Safety



With the return of warmer weather, Alberta Health Services EMS would like to remind parents of an often overlooked hazard in the home – open windows. Every year, paramedics respond to emergencies where a child has fallen from an open window in their house— often from the second floor. Falls such as these are preventable by taking time to assess your home and ensuring windows are safe.

#### Windows and screens

- Move furniture such as cribs, beds, stools, and change tables away from windows to prevent access to them.
- Keep drapery cords out of childrens' reach. Wrap excess cord around cleats or tie-downs to avoid a choking hazard.
- Remember: screens are designed to keep bugs out, NOT to keep children in!

#### **Balconies**

- Do not underestimate a child's ability to climb. Furniture and other items stored on balconies and decks can be used to climb resulting in falls over the railing.
- Consider installing a balcony guard to eliminate access between the vertical bars of a balcony or deck.

## Further prevention tips

- Children aged one to four are at highest risk of falling from a window or balcony.
- Direct supervision of children is the single most effective way to prevent falls from windows and balconies.
- Consider installing safety devices which limit windows opening to a maximum of 4 inches or 10 centimeters.
- Ensure the safety device can be released quickly so the window can be used for escape in case of fire or other emergency.

AHS EMS is proud to be a member of the Partners Promoting Window and Balcony Safety. Take time to assess your home for window and balcony hazards and eliminate the risks before a preventable fall occurs.

www.albertahealthservices.ca



# CHCA Activities and Events May 2014 CHCA Calendar

06	. CHCA Traffic & Planning Meeting	7-9pm
13	. CHCA Board Meeting 7:30-9pm	
20	. CHCA Traffic & Planning Meeting	7-9pm
27	. CHCA Board Meeting 7:30-9pm	

## May at the Hall

**SUNDAYS:** Pentecostal Church Public Service 10am – noon

**MONDAYS:** Bikini Boot Camp 10:30-11:30am

For info call Lindsay at 403-829-8783

Fitness Class 5-7pm, call Lana 403-999-5373

Dance and Fitness 7:30 – 9:30pm

**TUESDAYS:** CHCA Board and Traffic meetings - all welcome!

**WEDNESDAYS:** Bikini Boot Camp 10:30-11:30am

For info call Lindsay at 403-829-8783

Tai Chi 7:00 -9:00pm

**THURSDAYS:** Fitness Class 5:30-8pm

For info call Lana 403-999-5373

For more a more detailed Hall Calendar and for event and activities contact information please visit:

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## New Facebook Group

Rosedale, Crescent Heights and Calgary Moms & Tots Playgroup/ Connection

Hello Rosedale, Crescent Heights and Calgary moms - Join our group to connect with other moms that have little ones not yet in school. Meet each other for coffee, playdates, play at the park/school playground or just a stroll along Crescent Road.

It's easy! Join the group and when you are planning to go outside with your wee one, just send out the word of where and at what time you will be there. Who knows maybe you will meet a great neighbour/friend!

## International Migratory Bird Day

The City of Calgary has been proudly participating in this annual celebration for the past 10 years and will again be hosting our popular event this Mother's Day! Join Parks staff and local experts for a fun-filled day of games, entertainment and activities to celebrate bird migration and conservation.

Date: May 11, 2014 Time: 10am – 4pm

Location: Inglewood Bird Sanctuary

## Calgary Reads Book Sale

May 23 and 24 at the Calgary Curling Club (720 - 3rd Street NW)

Thousands of high-quality, low-cost, gently used books of all kinds are there, waiting for a good home. Your book donation and your book purchase enables Calgary Reads to help more kids discover the joy of reading.

To donate gently-used books for someone else to love, bring them to:

- Calgary Food Bank, April 23 May 9, 5000 11th Street SE, warehouse door 3. Monday - Thursday 9am - 7pm, Friday 9am-3pm, (sorry, no weekend drop offs) or
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# Crescent Park Playground Open House; April 29<sup>th</sup> Crescent Heights AGM

Our much loved Crescent Park playground has to go and CHCA needs your help to make the new playground fabulous and fun for our community children!

Come to the playground Open House at the April 29th Crescent Heights AGM. We will have poster boards of the initial design, catalogs of playground equipment and a Little Tykes Commercial sales representative to answer any questions.



## Why are Playgrounds Important?

Playing outside is a vital part of childhood development, nurturing the advancement of physical strength, coordination and friendship.

Undirected play allows children to learn how to work in groups, to share, to negotiate, to resolve conflicts, and to learn self-advocacy skills.



Play is incredibly important

to the development of children's social, emotional,

cognitive and physical

development, as well as

creativity and imagination.

## What do Playgrounds do for the Community?

As a fixed asset in the community, a playground structurally symbolizes, promotes and reinforces the importance of childhood. A playground is a spirited symbol of community devotion, welcoming all into the fun.

They provide people with an informal gathering place to be physically active, socialize, relax, build community, connect with the natural world and provide a venue for children and adults of different backgrounds to connect.



## Why do we need you?

The CHCA in partnership with Parks Foundation Calgary and the CFEP grant have tentatively raised enough money for a standard playground, but need your donations to make it extra special.

This Playground will be a part of our Community for the next 20+ years, so let's work together to make it the best we can for our children and future generations!

To donate, please contact the Crescent Heights Community Association at 403.276.1002 or email CHCAboard@hotmail.com. Tax receipts are available for any donation over \$25.

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Small Fun Rock	\$3,750.00
Crawl Log	\$3,750.00

To view Potential Extra Features or other playground items, please visit http://www.dynamoplaygrounds.com and http://www.littletikescommercial.com

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## **DONATION INFORMATION**

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## **Area Events and Resource Guide**

# Community

## MARLBOROUGH PARK

#### **Marlborough Park Community Association** Hall: 6021 Madigan Drive NE

Hall Rentals: Call 403-248-1775 Newsletter email: marlpark@shaw.ca

#### **UPCOMING EVENTS:**

Community Cleanup - May 31

Scholastic Book Fair and Mom 2 Mom Sale - June 8 Jelly Bean Dances - May 2 and June 20, 6:30 to 9:30pm, \$4 **Lego Contest** – September 20

Little Warriors Workshop - May 1, 6 to 9pm \$20.00 per person. This workshop is designed to give all of us the tools we require to identify the signs of child abuse. Please call 403-248-1775 for more information, between 8am and 4pm Mon-Fri.

Blood Donor Clinic - Friday, June 27 from 3 to 8pm. Give the greatest gift of all - the gift of blood.

Marlborough Park PreSchool: There are still a few spaces available. Please call the office at 403-248-1775.

Loma Whist Club Wednesday afternoons at 1pm. Please call llene at 403-450-9827 for more information.

Drop-in Tai Chi Drop-in Tai Chi is held at the Marlborough Park Community Centre every Tuesday from 9:15 to 10:15am.

NIA – New session starts April 30. Monday Evenings – 6:30 -7:30pm **Yoga** — Wednesday nights from 7:30 to 8:30pm. Thursday afternoon from 3 to 4pm. Call the Hall for details.

## VOLUNTEER **TODAY!**

## WINSTON HTS - MOUNTVIEW

#### **Winston Hts - Mountview Community Association** Hall: 520 - 27 Avenue NE

Hall Rentals: Call 403-276-5474 or Email hallmanager@winstonheights.ca Newsletter email: newsletter@winstonheights.ca

Mom and Tots Playgroup: Meet in the WHM Community Hall. Mondays, from 10-11:30am. For more info contact Mary-Beth Walsh at 403-209-1691.

Community Casino Call for Volunteers: It may be early, but we are beginning the search for volunteers for our annual Community Casino night. The dates for the fundraiser are Tuesday, August 19 and Wednesday, August 20, 2014 at the Elbow River Casino. For more information: Email: communications@winstonheights.ca Subject: Casino Volunteer

Learn to Play Softball program: Once-a-week drop-in style for four- to six-year-old children. We need a minimum of 12 children and a couple of volunteer coaches to start the program. (If we have volunteers, Foothills will help us with coaches' training.) If you are interested, please email lasharp@telus.net.

Rain Barrel and Composter Community Sales: Not sure how to use a rain barrel? Not to worry! Our experts will be on hand at the sale to show you how to set up and maintain your rain barrel and composter. Composters are only \$40 and Rain Barrels start from \$60.

Saturday, May 31st (9am – 1pm)

First Calgary Financial TransCanada: 510, 16th Ave NE

## **RUNDLE**

#### **Rundle Community Association** Hall: 2409 - 50 St. NE

Hall Rentals: Call 403-280-4752 Newsletter email: rumbles@shaw.ca

#### **Community Pancake Breakfast and Carnival**

Pancake Breakfast, 8am – 10am; Carnival, 10am – 2pm Games, Prizes, Entertainment, Karaoke, Food. All welcome! If you are a home based business, or are a crafter, and would like to raise awareness of your product, you are welcome to rent a table (\$20) throughout our event from 8am until 2pm. Please contact me by email: rumbles@shaw.ca

Park & Play: coming August 11 to 15 from 10am to 3:30pm

## The Rundle Summit Pub at the hall - Rundle's best kept secret!

The Summit Pub also offers pool tables, dart boards, as well as cribbage games on Tuesday and euchre on Thursdays. Wing night is still on Wednesdays. Families are welcome! New menu! Check it out!

## TEXAS HOLD'EM ON Saturday nights at 7pm

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Crib Night at the Rundle Summit Pub! Tuesdays 7 to 9pm Have dinner, play cards and have fun, fun, fun. All welcome.

Karaoke at the Rundle Summit Pub! Bring your singing voice and warble your favourite tune!

## **MOUNT PLEASANT**

#### **Mount Pleasant Community Association** Hall: 602 - 22nd Avenue NW

Hall Rentals: Call 403-282-1314 or email: hallrentals@mpca.ca

Newsletter email: publicity@mpca.ca

Mother's Day Brunch: Sunday, May 11th, 10am - noon at the hall. Breakfast Buffet • Entertainment • Treats for Mom • Kid's Crafts Adults \$14, Kids (6-12) \$10 or \$17 and \$13 for non-members. Please register by email at specialevents@mpca.ca by May 4 and indicate the number of adults & children.

#### Pleasant Times - Upper Hall, 602 22 Ave. NW

Pleasant Times is an adults-only group that meets at 1pm on the 2nd Wednesday of each month in the Upper Hall, 602 22 Ave. NW. Join us for good conversation, games, refreshments, and the opportunity to add your ideas for outings and other activities.

#### Trip to The Saskatoon Farm and Chinook Honey Company

Tuesday, June 3rd. \$40/person. Visit both The Saskatoon Farm & the Chinook Honey Company. Trip includes lunch, transport, either an apiary or meadery tour at Chinook Honey, time to explore at both locations, GST, and lunch tip. For more information, please call (403) 289-8390 or email Linda at lohanlon@telus.net

**Book Club** - 4th Tuesday of the month from 7 to 9pm in the Lower Hall. Our May 27th book will be The Elegance of the Hedgehog by Muriel Barbery. Our June 24th book will be The Sisters Brothers by Patrick DeWitt.

MPCA Playgroup - The Mount Pleasant Playgroup is a parent and tot playtime in the MPCA lower hall. Programs are held Monday to Friday mornings from 9:30 am to 11:30am. For more information you can email mpp.chair@gmail.com.

#### Community Garage Sale - Everyone Welcome!

Saturday, July 5, 2014, 9am To 4pm in the Community Hall & the 5th Street parking lot. Boot sale in the parking lot (no charge) or rent a table in the hall. Tables are available for \$10 each or free for seniors. Want to take part? Please contact: Linda at lohanlon@telus.net or Nora at spencern@telus.net

## CROSSROADS

"I live in Crossroads!"

**Crossroads Community Association** Hall: 1803 14 Avenue NE Ph: 403-277-6201

Hall Rentals: Call the hall at 403-277-6201 Newsletter email: convenor.editor@gmail.com Facebook page: http://on.fb.me/fggjLG

**GLOBAL FEST RAFFLE:** Win a VIP package for 4 to the 2014 Global Fest! Prize includes: 4 all access badges to all 5 nights of International Fireworks Festival at Elliston Park. Parking tag and shuttle service, access to VIP Hospitality Village, Hospitality at Global Fest Tent and 4 Global Fest Tshirts all included. Tickets on sale until May 14, 2014; draw to be made May 15, 2014. Please call Marilyn or James at (403) 247-3992 for tickets.

Crossroads 50+ Club: Meet every Monday at 6:30pm at the Crossroads Community Centre. Join us for fun times and meet your neighbours. For information call 403-277-6201 or visit our website at: www.crossroads50plusclub.com

Preschool Summer Camps - For 3 - 6 year olds. Camps are \$120/week and run from 1:30pm - 4pm. Each camp revolves around a theme, so all the games, crafts, snacks are based on that theme. The camps and their respective dates are as follows:

July 14th - 18th Beyond Earth - Exploration of Outer Space Medieval Times - Princesses, Knights & Dragons July 28th - August 1st Dr. Seuss August 5th - August 8th (This camp is \$100) Wizards and Fairies August 18th - August 22nd

A minimum of 4 children are required for each camp to run. Call Jenn at (403) 640-4967 or email at jhohenstein12@gmail.com.

#### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

Movie Night - May 9 at 7pm (Doors at 6:30)

Pub Night - May 30 at 7:30pm

5th Annual Crossroads Multicultural Festival: Free admission.

Saturday, May 31 from 11am - 4pm. Cultural entertainment, including music, dance, martial arts Henna, glitter tattoo's, arts and crafts and so much more. International Buffet (\$5) To volunteer e-mail Ruth: ccamulticulture@gmail.com or call the hall 403-276-8108

Movie Night - June 13 at 7pm (Doors at 6:30) Pub Night - June 29 at 7:30pm

## **BRIDGELAND-RIVERSIDE**

#### **Bridgeland Riverside Community Association** Hall: 917 Centre Avenue NE

Ph: 403-263-5755, Hall email: hall@brcacalgary.org Newsletter email: newsletter@brcacalgary.org

Visit our web site at: www.brcacalgary.org for a complete listing of programs and classes.

**Bridgeland Bike Day:** May 3 from 10am – 12:30pm at the Bridgeland Riverside Community Hall. Check out different types of bikes and kid carriers. There will also be displays on bike maintenance and safety, an obstacle course for the younger crowd and a paperboy challenge for the more experienced riders. In addition, there will be a bike related craft for kids, and a group ride from the hall.

#### **Bridgeland Days:**

Soccer Round Up Kids Carnival - June 6th from 11am - 1pm Best of Bridgeland – June 6th

Bridgeland Run/Walk – June 7th – if there is enough interest from the community. If you'd like to help out with this event, please contact Stacey at events@brcacalgary.org

Bridgeland Riverside Playgroup: We meet Wednesdays from 10am to noon at Bridgeland Campus of Centre Street Church, 235-8A St NE

# Connections

## **Area Events and** Resource Guide

## **TUXEDO PARK**

**Tuxedo Park Community Association** Hall: 202 29 Avenue NE

Ph: 403-277-8689

Editor: communications@tuxedoparkcommunity.ca

#### **TUXEDO HALL PROGRAMS AND EVENTS**

Jazzercise at Tuxedo Hall: Tuesdays and Thursdays - 5:30pm visit www.tuxedoparkcommunity.ca/events for more info

Yoga at Tuxedo Hall: May 1 to June 3, 7:30pm Tuesday/Thursdays \$15. Visit www.tuxedoparkcommunity.ca/events for more info

May 30, 6-9pm, Jelly Bean Dance, Concession, \$3 per child/\$5 family Sunday, June 8, 11-4pm, **Tuxedo Plant Exchange and Flea Market** A community area will be set up where plants will be available for exchange (or a toonie).

Local gardeners can set up their own table to sell planters and plants for \$15/table. Flea market tables will be \$15/table (seniors \$10/table). Come for lunch in the park! Concession will run 11-1. Weather permitting we will have an outside sale, otherwise we will move indoors.

Contact Chrystina to donate plants for exchange, volunteer or buy a table ...403-244-2418.

June 22, 11am-4pm, Cloth Paper Scissors Drop-In Crafting, free for Tuxedo members, Call Chrystina at 403-244-2418 for info

July 1, Annual Canada Day Celebrations at Tuxedo Park September 6, Clothing Swap at Tuxedo Park

## CRESCENT HEIGHTS

#### **Crescent Heights Community Association** Hall: 1101 - 2nd Street NW

Hall Rentals: Call 403-804-5600 Newsletter email: chcaview@gmail.com

Jane's Walk: Saturday, May 3rd

Judith Umbach, is leading this year's Jane's Walk. It is called 'Both Sides of the Street' and is currently scheduled for Saturday, May 3rd at 10:30am. Meeting place is at Crescent Road and 1st Street NW.

Dreaming of Italy? Join us at Wild Rose United Church for an Italian partito and silent auction on Saturday, May 3rd at 6:00 pm. Tickets: \$15.00 per person. Phone: 403-277-5576.

McHugh Bluff Cleanup: Saturday, May 10, 9:30 - 11:00am. We will meet at Crescent Road and 5 Street NW and we will finish up with Tim Hortons cookies and cold drinks. Garbage and recycling bags as well as thin gloves will be provided.

Empties For Equipment! Crescent Heights High School's monthly drop-off bottle drives. Thanks for helping support various clubs and teams - your donations make a huge difference to us! Drop-offs take place the second Saturday of the month - May 10, June 14. Thanks for your continuing support!

#### PROGRAMS AND EVENTS AT THE HALL

SUNDAYS: Pentecostal Church Public Service 10am - noon MONDAYS: Bikini Boot Camp 10:30-11:30am. Info 403-829-8783 Fitness Class 5-7pm, call Lana 403-999-5373

Dance and Fitness 7:30 - 9:30pm.

TUESDAYS: CHCA Traffic and Planning Meetings - open to public WEDNESDAYS: **Bikini Boot Camp** 10:30-11:30am. Info 403-829-8783 **Tai Chi** 7:30 — 9:30pm

THURSDAYS: Fitness Class 5:30-8pm. For info call Lana 403-999-5373 For more a more detailed Hall Calendar and for event and activities contact information please visit:

http://www.calgaryarea.com/nw/crescenthts/calendar/diary.asp

## **HIGHLAND PARK**

#### **Highland Park Community Association** Hall: 3716 - 2nd Street NW

Hall Rentals: Call 403-276-6969

Newsletter email: highlandparkeditor@gmail.com

4th Annual Highland Park Jane's Walk: A weekend of FREE local walking tours led by neighbourhood volunteers. May 2, 3 and 4. For walks & depart times call Kerri @ 403-209-0026. Visit the calgary foundation.org for more information.

Cultural event... AFRICA!: Saturday, May 31. Dinner begins at 6:00 with presentation to follow at 7:30pm. Presented by Youth and the Highland Park Community Association, in partnership with the Neighborhood of Promise, RSVP to Elaine Stringer at 403-476-7234 We are also looking for volunteers to help with this event. If you can contribute in any way, please give us a call.

Free HPCA 60th Anniversary event: June 14 in the afternoon.

Summer Start Up: June 14 - event for adults in the evening. Tickets are \$20 to help cover the cost of the band.

**Highland Park Play Group:** Parents and little ones ages 0-5 years When: Mondays 9:30 - 11:00am (unless it is a holiday) Where: Jubilee Church 458-35 Ave. NW

For more information contact: Carla Rae Shaw at 403-475-0742 or shaw.cr@gmail.com. This group is run by local community residents.

#### **Hall Programs:**

**Karate:** Mondays, 6:15 – 7:15pm (kids), 7:30 - 9:30 (adults) Martial Arts: Tuesdays, 8:00 pm - 9:30 pm & 6:30 - 10:00 pm Irish Dancing: Wednesdays, 5:30 - 9:00pm

Martial Arts: Thursdays, 8:00 pm - 9:30 pm & 6:30 - 10:00 pm For information regarding any of the above, please call Carolyn at the Community Hall at 403-276-6969.

## RENFREW

## **Renfrew Community Association**

Hall: 811 Radford Road NE Ph: 403-230-7055 Hall Rentals: Call 403-230-7055 and leave message. Newsletter: newsletter@renfrewcommunity.ca

Renfrew Bingo - The little hall with the big payouts! Saturday and Monday evenings. Nickel Games at 6:10pm, regular games at 6:50pm, Satellite at 8:45pm. Concession open.

Spring Fling Family Pub Night- Friday, May 2nd at 6:30 pm. Last Family Pub Night of the year. Games and crafts for the kids, also includes snacks. Bring the family on a night out. Last one till Halloween, so don't

Jelly Bean Dance - Friday, May 16. Dance runs from 6 to 9 pm. Th eme: Crazy Dance Party! Dress in crazy dance outfi ts and win prizes like iTunes gift cards and movie passes. Bring a friend. Jelly Bean Dances are for children grades 1-6 and are a whole lotta fun! There is a DJ, candy & snack bar and tons of unbridled energy! Volunteers

Renfrew Bike Festival - Saturday, May 24 from 11:30am - 2pm. Bicycle decorating and a bike parade for the kids, as well as a free family picnic of hotdogs, veggies and lemonade.

**Annual Community Garage Sale -** Saturday, June 7 from 9am - 2pm. Location: Renfrew Baptist Church, 1204 Renfrew Dr. NE. For more information please call 403-277-2292.

Renfrew Stampede Day - Saturday, July 5. Calgary's most famous community-run Stampede Breakfast and Evening Beer Gardens. Volunteers needed - Interested? Know others who are interested? Please contact renfrewstampede@gmail.com.

NEW! Adult Horseshoe League. Fridays 7:00-9:30pm, June-July-August at Renfrew Community Hall, 811 Radford Rd NE. Easy-going, casual atmosphere, licensed facility. All welcome. To join or for more info please email David at godog@shaw.ca

**Drop In-Pilates Class**: Tuesday nights at 7:30 pm in the lower hall of Renfrew Baptist Church - 1204 Renfrew Drive NE. Cost is \$8.00/class Everyone is welcome regardless of skill level. Classes taught by trained Stott Pilates instructor.

Bottle drop: Saturday May 31, 10am-noon

Drop your bottles off and help out the RCA and the Calgary Drop In Centre. See you in the parking lot at 811 Radford Rd (The Hall) on April

#### Renfrew Community Pub (Social Room)

Most Fridays from 7pm until close. Non-members welcome - be our quest. Free pool, free shuffl eboard, free foosball.

## MARLBOROUGH

Calgary Marlborough Community Association Hall: 636 Marlborough Way NE Ph: 403-273-5894

Hall Rentals: Call 403-273-5894 or email calmarca@telus.net

Newsletter email: cmccnews50@yahoo.com

9th Annual Ladies Night Out - Back By Popular Demand!

Thursday, May 8th from 7-9 pm at the Calgary Marlborough Community Centre, 636 Marlborough Way N.E. This an evening with no kids, no husbands, no pressure to shop, browse or book a home party. Admission for this night is still only a TOONIE which allows you a chance to win one of the many great door prizes. For more information, please call Celia at 403-272-2542.

#### Jelly Bean Dances - May 9 and June 6

6-9pm. Jelly Bean Dances are for children grades 1-6 and are a whole lotta fun! There is a DJ, candy & snack bar and tons of unbridled energy!

#### Open Stage nights - May 10, May 31 and June 28

Jam sessions in The Fireside Lounge – all welcome. Always looking for musicians to sing or play, and an audience to entertain. Music starts around 8:00 p.m. Next session is on May 10 (postponed from Apr 26). Following dates are May 31 and June 28.

#### Third Annual Boot Sale - Sat, June 14, 9am to 3pm

Sell items out of the trunk of your car! Rain or shine. Register online at www.malboroughca.com

#### STAMPEDE PANCAKE BREAKFAST - Sat, July 12 from 9 to 11am

Time to dust off the cowboy hat & boots and head on down to the Calgary Marlborough Community Stampede Breakfast! Music, children's activities and plenty more! See you at the Community Hall on Saturday, July 12 from 9 – 11 - rain or shine!

#### PROGRAMS AT THE HALL

ADULT SPORTS: Wed. night Drop-in basketball and baseball. MONDAY: Yoga - upstairs - Fireside Room - 7:30 to 9pm. (class full) **TUESDAY:** Seniors social walking — main hall, 8:30 to 10:30am WEDNESDAY: Sparks, Brownies, Beavers - all start at 6pm THURSDAY: Seniors social walking - main hall, 8:30 to 10:30am 50+ Club - Whist and Bridge every Thursday at 1pm Yoga upstairs - Fireside Room - 1:30- 3:00pm (space available) FRIDAY: Be Fit & Age Well Exercise class - 9 to 10am Military Whist (4th Friday of the month) 7pm

**SATURDAY:** Fireside Lounge open last Saturday of the month, 7pm Open Stage and Euchre. Euchre starts at 7:30pm, everyone welcome.

## The P.U.P.P.Y. Program

Help make our parks #1 by picking up #2!

Did you know that pet waste left in yards and parks is washed into storm drains and is the leading contributor to storm water contamination? In fact, pet waste is classified as a dangerous pollutant and is in the same category as toxic chemicals and oil!

The P.U.P.P.Y. (Pick Up Pooch's Poo Yourself) program was established in 2011 to educate Calgarians about the importance of picking up and disposing of pet waste and to make participants familiar with responsible pet ownership and sustainable park use. This program encourages Calgarians to participate in P.U.P.P.Y. events that focus on park stewardship to keep our off-leash areas safe and healthy for pets, people and wildlife. Experts will be on-hand to share information on a variety of pet-related topics; volunteers will lead engaging, interpretive programs; and supplies will be available for community residents to "pitch in and pick up" waste.

## What can you do to keep off-leash areas safe and clean?

Always have pet waste baggies with you when you walk your dog. Pick up your pet's waste and dispose of the bag properly in a waste receptacle. Model responsible behaviours and encourage other park users to pick up their pet's waste. Participate in the P.U.P.P.Y. program events to learn about sustainable park use and responsible pet ownership. Organize a community cleanup in your favourite off-leash area or park by registering for a green project.

## Upcoming City of Calgary 2014 P.U.P.P.Y events: 9:30 am - 12:30 pm

Saturday, April 26th at River Park, 4500 14A Street S.W.

Sunday, April 27th at Auburn Bay Off-Leash Park (fenced) 55 Auburn Bay Dr. S.E.

Saturday, May 10th, Elliston Park, off 17 Ave SE

Saturday, May 24th at Edgemont Off-Leash Park, 7530 Edgemont **Boulevard Northwest** 

Saturday, June 8th at Bowmont Park Off-leash area, close to Bow River off of 85th St. N.W

Saturday, June 21nd at Skyview Ranch, Skyview Springs Common NE Saturday, July 19th at Sue Higgins Park (Fenced – Off leash area) Saturday, August 16th at Egerts Park, 151 Thames Close Northwest Sunday, Sept 14th at Nose Hill Park, Edgemont entrance to off leash

Sunday, Sept 28th at Edworthy Park, 4075 Bowness Road Northwest Saturday, Oct 4th at Tom Campbell's Hill, 110 Hill Road Northeast Saturday, Oct 18th at Beddington, 420 Bernard Mews Northwest

## Here is a link to all the off leash maps:

http://www.calgary.ca/CSPS/Parks/Pages/Locations/Off-leash-arealocations.aspx

Note: Events may be cancelled due to severe weather. Please contact 311 prior to the event for updates.

For more information about the P.U.P.P.Y. program visit calgary.ca and search "P.U.P.P.Y." or contact 311.

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## Off the Shelf

**Book review by Judith Umbach** 

## 419 by Will Ferguson

If you have an email account, chances are you have received at least one scamming note. You are smart and you erase them. Laura's father was not; he responded. He fell into the abyss of "419", Nigerian slang for perpetrating a scam. In his novel, 419, Will Ferguson paints the fear and anger of lives dispossessed – those of both the scammed and the scammers.

With dexterous intricacy Ferguson inserts us into the stories of Laura, habitué of Northill Plaza in Calgary; Nnamdi, boy and man from a onceremote part of Nigeria; Amina, a destitute pregnant woman walking away from her identity; and, Winston, skilled self-taught Lagos internet scammer. That these stories converge without obvious contrivance is the Ferguson's triumph.

After their father's death, Laura's family is incensed that he was a victim of an internet scammer, to the extent of losing all his financial assets. Laura's mother leaves the mortgaged family home, moving into the basement of her son's large home in Springbank. Slowly the police convince the family that internet scammers are absolutely anonymous.



There is no way they can recoup money sent via wire transfers to someone with innumerable aliases.

Laura, however, is an editor. She believes the pen is more powerful than the sword. Laura separates out a single writer of notes from the chaff of purported government officials and other veracity-inducing supporting actors. An author's errors and quirks leave an indelible signature. Laura seeks revenge.

Subtext to this well-woven tale is the question of whose morality is superior. The internet scammers self-justify their illegal trade as an extracting of revenge on white colonialists, even though the criminals pursue victims of any race with enthusiastic and perverse fairness. Plus, victims are greedy or they wouldn't respond, right? Nnamdi is a genuinely generous person who undertakes illegal tasks to survive and be part of his community. Amina has nothing; isn't she entitled to something in this world? Laura would rather be dead than accept her father's undeserved fate! Fate: is it cast in stone?





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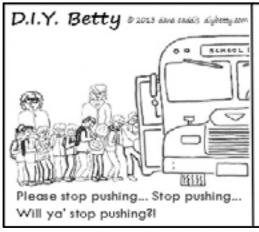


## We're on the Web!

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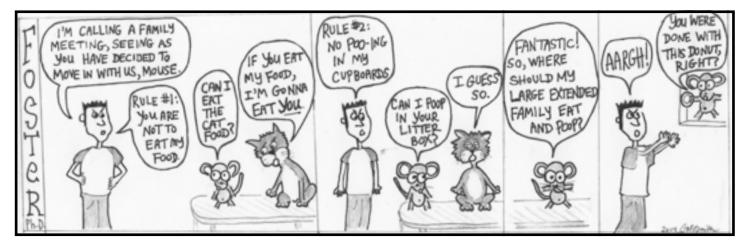
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## Let's talk about Crescent Heights!

## Crescent Heights Community Association membership drive initiative

Time Period: October 2013 to September 2014

**Managed by:** Current Treasurer for CHCA and Current Membership Director for CHCA

**Distribution:** CHCA members for implementation

#### Objectives:

- Promote neighbor to neighbour to neighbour contact and communication;
- Increase number of new members in CHCA:
- Tool to measure feedback and/or topics of concerns to CHCA residents:
- Encourage people to hold "mini block parties" to develop neighbourhood cohesiveness.

#### Mini Block Parties Format:

CHCAwill reimburse up to \$50 to current CHCA members in good standing, to host mini block parties; The member who submits the expense claim must also submit a summary report of topics / discussions taken place at the event, and the desired outcome or solution proposed for further investigation / follow-up.

Receipts for expenses must be submitted to support the claim, together with proof of current membership. All submitted receipts and reports become property of CHCA.

#### Rules:

- Minimum of two new individual / family members per event (noncurrent CHCA members);
- Minimum 40% of the attendees must be new CHCA members (signup at event);
- Existing CHCA members can host 2 events per year;
- Existing CHCA members can participate in 2 events per year as non-host capacity;
- Reports and expenses must be submitted within two weeks of event's date.

Report to be submitted directly to membership director / coordinator with new membership signup forms and applicable membership fees for new membership(s).

Please allow up to 4 weeks, from receipt of claim, for reimbursement cheque to be paid.

## "Let's talk about Crescent Heights" - membership drive initiative! Report / Request for funding Submitted by: \_\_\_ Report Date: **Event Date:** Location: P#: member / new Attendees: P#:\_\_\_\_\_ member / new P#: member / new P#: member / new member / new Topics of discussion and desired outcome: 2) Total Receipts submitted: \_\_\_\_\_ Cheque made out to:



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#### 1357A Colgrove NE



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#### 1357B Colgrove NE



offered at: \$1.638.882 3 Bds | 2.5 Bths | 2592 ft<sup>2</sup>

1143 Renfrew Drive NE



offered at: \$1,375,000 5 Bds | 3.5 Bths | 4452 ft<sup>2</sup> Total

58A 6A Street NE



offered at: \$ 1,050,000 3 Bds | 3.5 Bths | 3622 ft<sup>2</sup> Total

58B 6A Street NE



offered at: \$ 1,050,000 3 Bds | 3.5 Bths | 3622 ft<sup>2</sup> Total

444 25 Avenue NE



offered at: \$699.900 4 Bds | 3.5 Bths | 2831ft<sup>2</sup> Total

188 Chapala Drive SE



offered at: \$549,900 3 Bds | 3 Bths | 2411 ft<sup>2</sup> Total

2938 Oakmoor Cr SW

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108, 345 Rocky Vista Pk NW





offered at: \$534,900 2 Bds | 2 half, 2 full Bths | 1751 ft<sup>2</sup> Total

303 40 Street SW



offered at: \$689,900 5 Bds | 2 Bths | 1791 ft<sup>2</sup> Total

Crescent Heights.

offered at: \$574,900

4 Bds | 3 Bths | 2282 ft Total



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