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Evansdale Solar Family Fun Day

Fun for the whole family! The Evansdale Solar Family Fun Day is on Sunday, June 3 from noon-4pm at the Evansdale Community Hall.

Everyone is welcome to our Evansdale Family Solar Fun Day. We will have a jumpy arena and face painting for the kids and MLA Chris Nielsen is again sponsoring a solar-themed colouring contest with prizes for the kids. You must be in attendance to win!

We will have energy efficiency and solar companies there such as Evergreen and Gold Renewable Energy (the company that installed

our solar system) and Generate Energy, a company that does energy audits and energy efficiency and solar projects.

MLA Chris Nielsen will be there along with Jon Dziadyk, City Councillor for Ward 3. We will have electric cars such as Teslas and Nissan Leafs on hand with their owners, so you can check out the latest electric cars.

Mark your calendar and attend the Evansdale Family Solar Fun Day, June 3 from noon to 4 pm for all the fun!

David Dodge
Sustainability Director



Upcoming Events in the Northeast

June:

- 1, 2, 3: 3rd Annual Komarvnskv Classic Softball Tournament at Northmount
- 3: Family Solar Fun Day at Evansdale; 12-4pm
- 4: NESAs Seniors Week Showcase & Tea with entertainment: "All About Dance"; 1:30-3:30pm
- 4 & 5: Art Show & Sale at NESAs; 10am-4pm
- 4, 6, 11, 13, 18, 20, 25, 27: Hapkido at Northmount; 8pm (adult/advanced); \$10 drop in
- 4, 11, 18, 25: Walking Club at Northmount; 7pm
- 4, 11, 18, 25: Hapkido at Northmount; 7pm (children/beginner/family); \$10 drop in
- 5: Health & Wellness Fair at NESAs; 11am-3:30pm
- 5, 12, 19, 26: Zumba at Northmount; 6pm; \$10 drop in
- 5, 12, 19, 26: Zumba at Northmount; 7pm; \$10 drop in
- 6, 13, 20, 27: Bootcamp at Northmount; 5:45pm; \$10
- 6, 13, 20, 27: Londonderry Community Market at Londonderry Hall; 4-8pm
- 7, 21, 28: Hatha Yoga at Northmount; 5:45pm; \$10
- 7, 21, 28: Bring Your Own Craft Night at Northmount; 7pm
- 10: 2nd Annual Superhero Day at Northmount; 1pm
- 14: Pride in the Park at Northmount; 6pm
- 16: Free Northeast Community Summer Festival at Londonderry School field; 11am-4pm
- 22-23: McLeod Slo-Pitch Tournament

If you have an event that you would like to see on this list, please e-mail secretary@mcleodcommunityleague.ca.

July:

- 4, 9, 11, 16, 18, 23, 25, 30: Hapkido at Northmount; 8pm (adult/advanced); \$10 drop in
- 6: Community Garage Sale at Kilkenny; 12-8pm
- 7: Community Garage Sale at Kilkenny; 10am-6pm
- 9, 16, 23, 30: Hapkido at Northmount; 7pm (children/beginner/family); \$10 drop in
- 16-20: City of Edmonton Summer Day Camp "Adventure Quest" at Kilkenny; 9am-4pm; ages 8-12
- 27: K-Days Pancake Breakfast at NESAs; 9-10:30am. \$5
- 28: EALT Interpretive Tours of Visser forest & agriculture lands (20303 33 St); 9:30am-12pm or 1pm-3:30pm

Location Addresses:

- CentrepoinTE Church – 5940 159 Avenue
- Clareview Rec Centre – 3804 139 Avenue
- Evansdale Hall – 14811 95A Street
- G Edmund Kelly Spray Park – 15005 79 Street
- Heritage Hall – 7406 139 Avenue
- Kilkenny Hall – 14910 72 Street
- Kingsway Legion – 14339 50 Street
- Lago Lindo Hall – 17123 95 Street
- Little Mountain Cemetery – 16025 54 Street
- Londonderry EPL – in Londonderry Mall
- Londonderry Hall – 14224 74 Street
- McConachie EPL – 16607 50 Street
- McLeod Hall – 14715 59 Street
- North Edm Seniors Asscn (NESAs) – 7524 139 Avenue
- Northmount Hall – 9208 140 Avenue
- Ozerna Park – 7010 158 Avenue
- Steele Heights Baptist Church – 5812 149 Avenue
- Steele Heights Hall – 5825 140 Avenue

Community GARAGE SALE

Saturday
JUNE 16, 2018
9 am - 4 pm

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14224 - 74 Street NW

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Edmonton Police Service NE Division and McLeod

Chris Nielsen, MLA hosted Ward 3 Councillor Jon Dziadyk and 4 officers from EPS Northeast Division, for an evening of questions and answers about community safety.

Councillor Dziadyk is asking the Transportation Department to make longer turn lights so people can get out of their neighbourhoods easier and make taking the main roads like 153 Ave, 97 St and 82 St, an easy choice. That would reduce commuters driving through neighbourhoods.

Councillor Dziadyk is asking that 66 St from the Henday to 153 Ave be widened.

EPS Northeast Division has a dedicated traffic team in unmarked cars, focusing on speeding near schools,

playgrounds, parks, and the Henday.

It is important to report all disturbances so that EPS know where to direct the officers in their daily briefing at the start of each shift. Your local knowledge helps them know where to deploying resources. It helps if you provide the time of day, location, frequency and type of problem behavior when you call. They are mapping all the complaints, so it is important to let them know, even if they can't respond quickly to your specific concern. It is important to call more than once if the problem is reoccurring.

EPS complaint line 780-423-4567

For an emergency always dial 911

Evansdale Community League News

Serving: Evansdale – Belle Rive – Eaux Claires

Evansdale Community League Board & Committees

Jeff Muiselaar	President	780-478-1759	president@evansdale.ca
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Jim Young	Evansdale Sign Volunteer	signs@evansdale.ca	
Vacant-volunteer today!	Eaux Claires Playground	780-641-6171	ecbr@evansdale.ca
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N/A	Skating Rink	780-478-2577	
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Address: 9111 - 150 Avenue, Hall Phone 457-0948

Mailing address: Box 71023 Northwood Mall Post Office, Edmonton, Alberta T5E 6J8

E-mail address www.evansdale.ca

Evansdale Safety Townhall Summary

On April 24th, the Edmonton-Decore Constituency Office organized a Town Hall meeting at Evansdale Community League with members of the Edmonton Police Service. In attendance and answering questions from the attendees were: MLA Chris Nielsen, Councillor Jon Dziadyk, Staff Sergeant David Goodkey, Sergeant Roger Bellerose, Constable Terry Cassells and Constable Myles Stomner. The event was well attended and there were numerous questions asked on a variety of subject areas including:

- Concerns about an unfinished road in the riding that was causing traffic to be re-routed through a residential area.
- Whether there is a plan for EPS to be at large bus stations, and whether there will be funding for this endeavor.
- Speed in Eaux Claires
- Concerns about areas with poor lighting and how that was encouraging criminal activity.
- Questions about theft and

robberies in the area.

- Concerns about the attempted abduction at Florence Hallock School.
- Questions about drug dealing in the area.
- Concerns about having an increased police presence in the area.
- Having license plates on both the front and the back of cars once again.
- Concerns surrounding how EPS handles domestic violence complaints.

All in all it was a very successful meeting. Constituents were reminded that if they had any concerns, to please call the police complaint line at 780-423-4567. If you missed this meeting and would like to attend a future one, there are plans to have one at Londonderry Community League and Northmount Community League later this year. If you would like to attend a future meeting, please e-mail the Edmonton-Decore Constituency Office at Edmonton.Decore@assembly.ab.ca to be added to the mailing list.

Summer BBQ at the Kinsmen Boys and Girls Club

Kinsmen Boys and Girls club (14803 88A ST) is hosting a FREE summer BBQ on Saturday, June 16th from 11:00am-3pm. We will have activities for all ages, food and information on our summer programming as well as

other resources. If you have questions please feel free to stop by and enjoy the day with us or call our club staff at 780-822-2560 for more information.

Cassandra Rijavec
Club Coordinator

Green Shack Program Returns this Summer

Once again, the City in partnership with the Evansdale Community League will be hosting "Green Shack" - a free, drop-in recreation program located at

the Evansdale Playground throughout summer. Green Shack will be operating Monday to Friday: 10am to 6pm. More details to come next month!

Evansdale Hall Rental Information

Weekend rates: Friday 12noon to Sunday 3pm
\$550 damage deposit
\$550 rental
Friday/Saturday/Sunday
\$450 damage deposit
\$450 rental
Monday – Friday
\$325 damage deposit

\$325 rental (\$150 members)
Use of dishes \$100
Meetings \$35/hour
References may be requested. Discounts available for community members of one year or more. Contact Terri at 780-478-4444 or hallrentals@evansdale.ca.

Celebrating Our Community Volunteers



Thanks to all the volunteers, including our coaches and fundraisers, who help our community events and programs achieve success and positive presence in our community.

To note, three of our executive members were recently recognized as Volunteers of

the Year at the Area 17 Awards Night last May - Jeff Muiselaar (President), Elaine Sarac (Membership), and Shawna Walsh (Casino organiser for all leagues in Area 17 & Bingo Director). Thank-you for your dedicated hours and community spirit and for making our neighbourhood the best it can be!

Community League Memberships

Get your membership anytime! Membership makes you part of an amazing community of people who care about and help look after our community. Get free community swims, discounts on community programs, discounts on Edmonton City wellness programs and hall rentals, and enjoy skating in the winter!

\$25 family
\$10 single
\$10 seniors

\$15 single parent
\$15 couple with no children

Contact Elaine Sarac at membership@evansdale.ca or 780-476-7442 to get your Evansdale Community League membership. Please leave a voice message if you cannot reach Elaine by phone!

If you are in a rush, you can buy memberships at the Edmonton Federation of Community Leagues website: www.efcl.org

Visit Our Website and Facebook Page

Get the latest information, our most recent newsletter, contact information and lots of other great stuff! Also get involved, join us on Face-

book!

Website: www.evansdale.ca
Facebook Page: www.facebook.com/evansdale-communityleague

Benefits of Community League Membership

Free community league swims:
Londonderry Pool (14528 66 Street) Sundays 4:15-5:45 pm
Grand Trunk Pool (13025 112 Street) Sundays 4:15-5:45 pm
O'leary Pool (8804 132

Avenue) Saturdays 4 – 6 pm
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Discounts for community league events and programs
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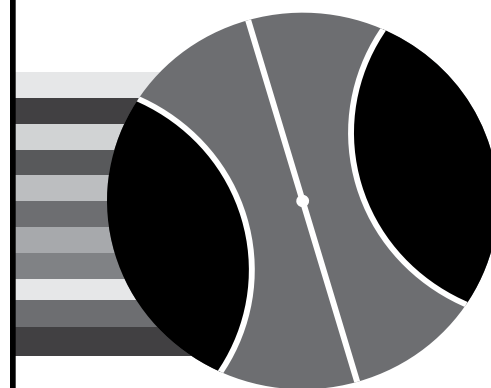
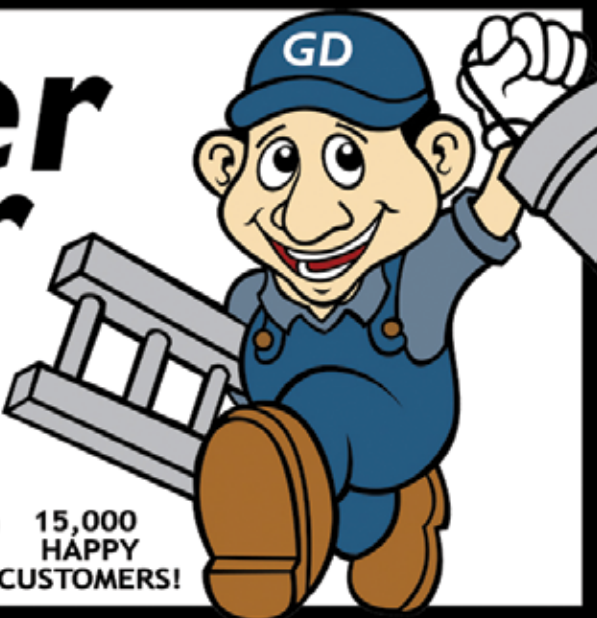
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Kilkenny Community League News

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President's Message

Hi, everyone! Summer is coming; we can feel it in the air! I hope everyone will have many fun and safe times outside as the weather gets warmer.

Our hall will still be available for rental during the summer please check our website for availability or leave us a message; 780-478-2481

Please join us for the North East Summer Fest on June 16th. It is sponsored by a marvelous team dedicated to our community and seeing its success. Come with the family and enjoy free

hotdogs and craft and fun for everyone!

We will be having a garage sale July 6 and 7. If interested in renting a table please call Anna 780-478-3269. Local crafters and artisans are welcome as well.

A final reminder to give our kids a break! Please slow down and drive with caution around ALL parks and playgrounds there are many excited kids out and about!

**Thank you,
Anna
Kilkenny President**

Halloween Party Coordinators Needed

Kilkenny's Community League needs a group of people to organize our yearly Halloween Party in October. Anyone interested in helping out are asked to please contact Anna at 780-478-3269. It's never too early to start planning a great event.



Kilkenny Community League Garage Sale

Do you find Garage Sales irresistible? Found a few extra items that need a new home during your spring cleaning? Kilkenny will

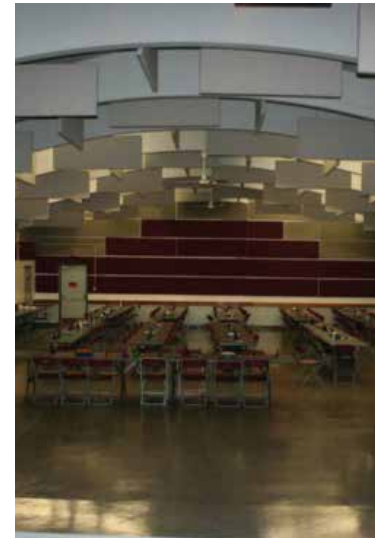
hold a garage sale on Friday July 6th 12-8 and Saturday July 7th 10-6. Call Anna (780-478-3269) to book your table (\$15).

Hall Rental

Times	Auditorium	Meeting Room	Both
Weekdays/Weeknights	\$150	\$75	\$225
Fridays (after 5 pm)	\$400	\$100	\$500
Saturdays	\$550	\$100	\$650
Sundays	\$400	\$100	\$500
Two Day Wedding/ Full Weekend (Fri 5pm – Sun 6pm)	N/A	N/A	\$1000
Hourly Rate (3 hours or less)	\$35	\$20	N/A

The Kilkenny Hall is available for rental!! It is the perfect space for your special event, meetings, weddings and any other social event. Please go to <http://www.kilkenny.ab.ca/facilities/view> to have a

look and click on "Book Facility" to...you guessed it... book the facility! The website will also show you when the hall is available. Feel free to call 780-478-2481 to leave a message for bookings as well.



Save The Date

Outdoor Soccer Wrap Up Party: June 15, 6:00-9:00 at Kilkenny Community Hall

Summer Festival: June 16, 11:00-4:00 at Londonderry Junior High Park

Garage Sale: July 6, 12:00-8:00 and July 7, 10:00-6:00

Adventure Quest: July 16-20, 9:00-4:00 at Kilkenny Community Hall



Soccer Registration: August 28, 6:30-8:00, September 6th, 6:30-8:00, 8th 10:00-1:00 at Kilkenny Community Hall

Community Day: September 15, 12:00-3:00 at Kilkenny Community Hall

Do you have a special content you would like to see??

Do you or someone you have content that you would like in the North East Voice? We would like to hear from you!! Feel free to send in a picture and the appropriate infor-

mation and we will include it in the next newsletter!! Please send it to Sean, Kilkenny Publicity Director at publicity@kilkenny.ab.ca or leave a message at 780-473-2771.

Green Shack is Back!!!!

Drop-in Green Shack programs are provided free of charge by the City of Edmonton for children aged 6-12. The Shack hours are as follows ...

G. Edmund Kelly Park: 150 Avenue & 79 Street NW
Opening: May 25th
Monday - Friday (May, June, September): 3-9
Monday - Friday (July, August): 9-9

These hours apply to the spray park as well.

Kilkenny Park: 147 Avenue & 72 Street NW
Opening: July Monday - Friday: 10-6
Mayliewan: 75 Street &



161A Avenue NW
Opening: July Monday - Friday: 2:30-6:00
Ozerna Park: Ozerna Road & 158 Avenue NW
Opening: July Monday - Friday: 2:30-6:00

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Londonderry Community League

Hall Rental

Check our website:
www.londonderry.online

2018 Big Bin Events

The City of Edmonton is hosting Big Bin events for household items that can't be set out for regular waste collection. Twelve weekend events will be held in various locations throughout the City. City residents will be able to drop off items such as old couches, chairs, mattresses, and appliances free of charge. Computers and other electronics will also be accepted for recycling.



hold hazardous waste like paint, varnish, household cleaners or batteries. Please take those items to an Eco Station .

All events will run from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Note: Do not bring house-

Date	Location	Address
May 5 & 6	Commonwealth Stadium	112 Avenue & 90 Street
May 12 & 13	The Meadows Recreation Centre	2704 – 17 Street
May 26 & 27	Coliseum Wayne Gretzky Drive	(Southbound) & 119 Avenue
June 2 & 3	Castle Downs	11520 – 153 Avenue
June 9 & 10	Woodcroft	13915 – 115 Avenue
June 16 & 17	Callingwood	17740 – 69 Avenue
June 23 & 24	Ellerslie Facility	2415 – 101 Street SW
August 18 & 19	Jasper Place	9200 – 163 Street
August 25 & 26	Clareview Recreation Centre	3804 – 139 Avenue
September 8 & 9	SW District Yard	6609 Gateway Blvd
September 15 & 16	Terwilligar Recreation Centre	2051 Leger Road
September 22 & 23	Commonwealth Stadium	112 Avenue & 90 Street

FREE DROP-IN SPRING GREEN SHACK

LOCATION	DATES	DAYS	TIMES
Kildare Park (Londonderry) 14224 74 St NW	April 28 – May 23	Monday, Wednesday, Saturday	Mon & Wed: 3:30-6:00pm Sat: 1:00-5:00 pm

Our Green Shack program is now running in select locations in the spring months. Come and join us for games, crafts, sports, outdoor cooking and more!

This program is targeted for children aged 6-12, but all children accompanied by an adult are welcome to attend.

For more information, please visit:
edmonton.ca/dropincommunityprograms
or call 311. @GreenShack



NEIGHBOURHOOD SUMMER DAYCAMP

Dance to the Beat

Date	Time	Ages	Cost	Course Code
July 23 - 27	9 am - 11:30 pm	Ages 6 - 12	\$75	626066

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Explore basic movement through various dance forms. Dance themed games and crafts will also be included. We will have fun as we move and groove, learn the origins of various dance forms, and explore the healthy habits of dancers! We will cap the week with a final performance with family and friends as our special guests.

To Register:
• Call 311
• Online at ereg.edmonton.ca
• In person at any City of Edmonton Recreation Centre



Londonderry Community League

AGM

Monday
June 11, 2018
7:00 pm

Londonderry Community Hall
14224 74 Street NW

Paws-itive Mental Health



Pets help us feel more connected, relaxed. Pets can be the purr-fect therapist, offering non-judgmental, unconditional love and support.

Animal-assisted therapy, and simply being with a pet regularly, has long been known to have mental health benefits.

“Pet therapy visits are for many patients, an unexpected and happy event,” says Glen Gross, 63, an Alberta Health Services (AHS) volunteer who visits the Royal Alexandra Hospital with his best friend, Border Collie, Misha. “It is our chance to help patients temporarily put aside their worries.”



At AHS, there are 295 registered volunteers who join us with their furry companions through various pet therapy and pet visitation programs across the province. These unique volunteers offer a welcome distraction to those in care by providing an opportunity of friendly and comforting social interaction.

Studies have shown that petting an animal can promote relaxation by lowering blood pressure and slowing the heart rate – in any setting, whether in a hospital environment, or in the comfort of your home.

Check out some of our most gentle volunteers and their stories of bringing comfort and joy by visiting ahs.ca/whatsyourbalance, and join them now through June, to share how your pet supports your mental health by posting your photos and stories on social media using the hashtag #AHSwhatsyourbalance.



McLeod News

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McLeod President's Message



Did you know that the McLeod Board has 28 Director positions covered by 21 people? These people tirelessly serve our communities so that our children can play sports, watch movies, and enjoy family events and community recreation centers, all at a low or no cost. Without their support and dedication, our communities would not be thriving as they are. McLeod is one of the largest community leagues in the City geographically, but I think we have the biggest and best Board hands down.

April 15-21 marked National Volunteer Week across Canada and the theme this year is "Celebrate the Value of Volunteering – building confidence, competence, connections and community". A quote from Volunteer Canada: "Volunteering is often seen as a selfless act; a person gives their time, skills, experience, and passion to help others, without expecting anything in return. And while volunteering is a form of service, many volunteers will tell you that "you get more than you give". From opportunities to develop new skills, to finding deep and meaningful personal connections, the magic of volunteering is that it creates social and economic value for all."

Each year, McLeod celebrates its volunteers, at two dinners and awards ceremonies. I am delighted to announce Todd Chmilar as McLeod's Volunteer of the Year who was

celebrated at the Area Council 17 dinner and awards ceremony on May 5, 2018.

Todd has been involved with the soccer program for many years and took up the reins in 2013. He has worked tirelessly to coordinate the army of volunteers it takes to run a soccer program of our size. Todd also works with the players, coaches, and parents to ensure that everyone is having fun. Ever the humble volunteer, Todd states "The soccer program wouldn't be the success it is without the huge commitment from all those involved, from the McLeod board, the Soccer Committee that I work so closely with, and the coaches who freely give their time teaching our community members about soccer." Thank you so much Todd for the amazing effort you have put forward!

On April 21, 2018, McLeod presented Angel Awards to nine recipients at our own dinner and celebration. The award recognizes those who volunteer above and beyond their community service, and those who volunteer freely without expecting anything in return. These individuals have shown an outstanding commitment to their community and deserve special recognition. Presenting the awards on my behalf was McLeod Vice President Cheryl Petruk and special guest MP Ziad Aboultaif.

Here are the recipients:



Richard Arnold, McLeod's Softball Director, is new to the position but has taken it as his own, like a duck to water. Not only is he rebuilding McLeod's softball program, he is representing McLeod at the Zone and city levels, and at Edmonton Youth Softball Association meetings. Richard has recognized his immediate predecessor Gord Matlock, a long serving volunteer at McLeod, by organizing a youth ball tournament in Gord's name, this spring. He collaborates with Ron, our baseball director in organizing ball registration and promptly answers parents' questions from Facebook and by email. Richard and his family helped at McLeod's Newcomer Skate and has supported other board members at many other league events during the past year. It has been a pleasure to have him join the board.

Statistics show that 93% of new Canadians prioritize Canadian identity as very important, compared to 88% of Canadian born people. The newcomers want to do "Canadian" things. For the second year in a row, Jason Watt, McLeod's Secretary, has organized a Newcomer Skate. Participants used donated skates and helmets on the first-class ice that the Tovey family makes in McLeod's two outdoor rinks. This is an ideal project to reach out to our new neighbours and involve them in what they perceive as Canadian activities. Jason not only finds time out of his busy schedule to put together our newsletter submission, draft agendas and takes minutes for Board meetings, but he also helps out at many McLeod events. Jason is also the lead on the Matt Berry New Facility Committee which is a large project that requires expertise and coordination. McLeod is very fortunate to have someone like Jason on board.

McLeod Community League would like to recognize and thank Gerald Anderson for his help on many occasions last year when McLeod was in need of extra bingo and casino workers. Gerald volunteered freely without receiving anything in return and was happy to help the community league in this way. Julie Vandermeer, McLeod's Service Coordinator, stated "I so appreciated Gerald taking the initiative at one of our registra-

tions to say to me, "anytime you need help, just call me!" He proved true to his word and is always ready to help in this important area for our league." Gerald was a pleasure to have at the events and offered to be listed as an on-call volunteer anytime if McLeod was ever short workers at a bingo. You don't often get people willing to offer that and it is always nice to know there are people like Gerard willing to help out.

Fadi Khair's association with McLeod started when Todd Chmilar, our Soccer Director, called him up one spring day and asked if he'd like to coach his son's U6 soccer team. Fadi welcomed the chance and has never looked backed. Since then, Fadi has joined the McLeod board as Grants Director and is a member of the Soccer Committee. As a member of the Soccer Committee, he's attended ENZSA meetings when Todd was unable to, and volunteered at EMSA tournaments such as the Polar Cup and the FC Memorial. Last spring, Fadi organized the inaugural McLeod soccer wrap up party, which was a huge success. We love Fadi's energy and spirit for contributing and improving McLeod.

Sativa Haynes is a long-time member of the McLeod soccer community. Todd first met Sativa when she was coaching her son's U6 team and her daughter was playing U10. Sativa has been a member of the Soccer Committee for several years. She helps out at registration, the coaches' meetings, team building sessions, attends ENZSA meetings when Todd is unable to, and helps out at EMSA soccer tournaments. McLeod has definitely benefitted from her tireless dedication.

Terrin O'Quinn and Briana Maione are described by Liz O'Quinn, our Social Director, and Cindy Maione, social volunteer, as their "mini me's". These two are getting a great head start at such a young age in volunteering by assisting their moms with planning and running fantastic events at McLeod such as the Halloween and Christmas parties. Their great talents include coming up with activities, decorating, being Santa's little helpers, working stations at various family events, and last but not least, help-

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Veeteretz School of Ukrainian Dance



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ing their Moms shop. Thank you Terrin and Briana for the hours of your time in making our community a more fun place to be! Keep up the great work!

Samantha (Sammi) Moffitt helps out at many McLeod functions. She is a big supporter of our Movie Nights, spreading the word to her friends at school and her soccer teammates, encouraging them to attend and help out. At movie nights she helps with purchasing the products, concession sales, setting up the hall and the kitchen, and clean up. Sammi and her soccer team-

mates volunteered to help at the Family Day pancake breakfast with setup and being door greeters, welcoming the community to the event. When they noticed children playing on the stage, they took charge and lead games such as duck duck goose and freeze dance. While skating on our outdoor rinks, Sammi observed a young child struggling and proceeded to give her a skating lesson. Sammi encouraged her to not give up and was able to help the new skater learn balance and basic skills while having fun. Thank you to a future leader in the community league!

Kevin Moffitt, McLeod's Programs Director and Communications Director, is the reason why the McLeod movie nights are so successful. He knows how to do everything, knows where everything is, and organizes the community service workers with ease. He is always willing to arrive early or stay late, and he always has a smile on his face. Kevin goes above and beyond to make sure the kids and their parents are having a great time, and he doesn't just do this at movie nights. Kevin assists other board members, teaches us about our technology, attends extra meetings,

and runs incredibly successful programs at McLeod. Without Kevin our board wouldn't be the same, and movie nights wouldn't be as fun! Thank you, Kevin for everything that you do and thank you to Shauna (Kevin's wife) who lets you do these things for your community!

Interested in being a McLeod Angel? Please volunteer with us by contacting Roxanne, McLeod's Volunteer Coordinator, at volunteer@mcleodcl.ca.

Leanne Rosinski
President

McLeod Hosts First Annual Gord Matlock T-Ball and Coach Pitch Softball Tournament

The McLeod Community League hosted the first annual Gord Matlock T-ball and coach pitch tournament on May 12. Eight teams enjoyed beautiful sunny skies and a wonderful day of softball. High Park, Bannerman, Homesteader, and McLeod all had teams participate in this event.

Each team played two games at diamonds near the McLeod hall, and enjoyed some gigantic bouncy castles between games and after the tournament. The tournament was on the same day as movie night at McLeod Hall and some players choose to take in Black Panther after the games were completed.

The tournament is named after Gord Matlock, who was the softball director for McLeod Community League for 25 years. Gord made tremendous contributions to the game of softball and is the primary reason that so many kids in North East Edmonton have an opportunity to play this great game. Gord's daughter Cassie is a very accomplished softball player and has played for Team Canada in the past and is currently playing college softball in Kentucky.

Thank you to all the players, coaches and volunteers from the McLeod u16 softball team for participating in this great day of softball.



McLeod Dance Program



The first season of the McLeod Community League Dance Program was a huge success! With 37 students in the expanding dance program, the students competed in 2 local dance festivals and came home with 5 Silver Medals, 3 Gold Medals and 3 Cash Scholarships. What a way to represent the McLeod Community! We are so proud of all their accomplishments.

The Dance Program finished off the season with a performance at McLeod Community League in May. Thank you to all the supporters who came out and supported these talented dancers!

The McLeod Community League Dance

Program will be running a 4 Week Summer Dance Camp. Each week dancers will learn dance techniques in a supportive and enthusiastic environment! Classes will be held out of McLeod Community League Hall (14715 - 59 Street NW) for kids between the ages of 3-17. All families must have an Edmonton Community League Membership to join.

For more information, or to register, please email dance@mcleodcommunityleague.ca or call Amy at (780) 893-5151. Registration is on now, and open until July 06, 2018.

(\$40.00/Class)

Monday's (July 09, 16, 23, 30 - 2018)

6:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. - Jazz & Lyrical (6-

FREE DROP-IN

SUMMER GREEN SHACK

LOCATION	DATES	DAYS	TIMES
Mill Valley 10055 - 104 St	July 8 - August 23	Monday - Friday	10:00 AM - 1:00 PM
Hutch Schep 12718 54 St	July 8 - August 23 Please sign up before July 16, 2018	Monday - Friday	2:30 PM - 4:00 PM
Miller 14022 - 10 St	July 8 - August 23	Monday - Friday	2:30 PM - 4:00 PM

Our Green Shack program is running in neighborhoods all over Edmonton. Come and join us for games, crafts, sports, free play, and more!

10 Years)

7:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. - Jazz & Lyrical (11-17 Years)

8:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. - Stretch & Technique (6-17 Years)

(\$40.00/Class)

Wednesday's (July 11, 18, 25, August 01

FREE DROP-IN

POP-UP PLAY PROGRAM

LOCATION	DATES	DAYS	TIMES
Mill Valley 10055 - 104 St	July 8 - August 23	Tues & Thurs	10:00 AM - 1:00 PM

Our Pop Up Play program is now running in neighborhoods all over Edmonton. Come and join us for games, crafts, sports, outdoor cooking and more!

This program is targeted for children aged 6-12, but all children accompanied by an adult are welcome to attend.

For more information, please visit: edmonton.ca/dropincommunityprograms or call 353.

@GreenShackEdmonton

- 2018)

5:45 p.m. - 6:30 p.m. - Creative Movement/Hip-Hop (3-5 Years)

6:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m. - Hip-Hop (6-10 Years)

7:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m. - Hip-Hop (11-17 Years)

New Bus Routes for McLeod

McLeod Civics viewed maps, information boards and videos to provide user information at the City of Edmonton workshop on new bus routes & LRT connections. The city is working on a major redesign of the public transportation system, to be implemented in 2020.

For example, Route 181 (changed to N13) to Matt Berry would see some improvement to 30-minute service for some parts of the

day, but little to no evening and weekend service to the Clareview LRT.

edmonton.ca/newbusroutes

If bus/LRT service is important to you, please review the City's info, and contact your Ward 4 councillor with your views.

Councillor Aaron Paquette

Ph 780-496-8138

aaron.paquette@edmonton.ca

McLeod Outdoor Soccer

Hard to believe, soccer started only a week late given the unseasonably cold April. Thankfully temperatures warmed quickly and we have 500 players on 33 teams ranging from U5 to U19 out playing. I hope everyone has an enjoyable season.

When we have inclement weather, U5 and U7 teams should refer to the EMSA North website to see if their games are cancelled. All other age groups should refer to the city of Edmonton field closure website. Fields are typically closed when it is deemed it is unsafe to play on the fields. For example, water pooling. It's possible for games to be played when it's raining as long as it does not jeopardize field conditions. For U9 and up, the referee has the final call on whether the game will be played so make every effort to attend each game.

Please respect the fields and take your trash with you at the end of the game. Fields are

used every night and some nights there are back-to-back games on certain fields. Trash also attracts birds which compounds the problem. Teams shouldn't be expected to cleanup before they can play.

Below is a list of important dates:

June 8 – 10 EMSA North Summer Sizzler

June 9 – 10 U5 EMSA Minifest

June 16 – McLeod Soccer Day

June 16 – 17 U7 EMSA Jamboree

July 3 – 8 EMSA City Finals

July 20 – 22 Tier 4 Provincials

July 21 – 22 Intercities

Finally, thank you to all the coaches who've volunteered their time to teach, mentor, and inspire our community members. They are the shining lights that make everything possible.

Todd

McLeod Soccer Director

Promoting Fun in McLeod

As the season is now underway, I remember conversations I had with parents and players during the soccer registration sessions. One common comment was they register for soccer to have fun. Let us talk about fun and how as parents we can promote fun.

Coaches can promote fun to a certain degree, but coaches cannot do it alone and we need parents to help achieve FUN. A recent study showed that one of the major reasons kids withdraw from sports is the fear of making mistakes, which leads to not having fun, and that usually comes from pressure. Let us picture this; a parent and child are getting ready to leave for a practice or a game, or in the car on the way to a game, a parent (with good intentions) might start a conversation to cover some of their child's supposed defi-

ciencies and give them advice, or say something along the lines of "score a goal for me", "be the best". Kids who are talked to in this way, tend not to play badly, they just tend not to play, mostly to avoid making mistakes. So as parents let us help promote fun and this can start with saying the following 6 sentences before and after each practice or game:

Before:

I love you.

Good luck.

Have fun.

After:

I loved watching you play.

Did you have fun?

What do you want to eat?

Todd

McLeod Soccer Director

McLeod Soccer Day

June 16 – McLeod community hall

We will be holding our second annual McLeod soccer day event celebrating the season's successes. Games will be scheduled for McLeod teams attending. The number of games each team plays will be dependent on the num-

ber of team attending. There will be face painting, bouncy castles, and yard games for children. Hamburgers and hot dogs will be served.

I look forward to seeing you at the hall.

Todd

McLeod Soccer Director

McLeod Adult Slo-Pitch Opportunities

We are currently recruiting players and teams for several events this summer. If you're interested in playing some slo-pitch, we are looking for adult players of all ages and skill levels. McLeod is hosting a tournament the weekend of June

22-23, and we are also planning to field teams in the Balwin Tournament (August 2018) and the Northmount Tournament (early June 2018). If you're interested in participating, please email rink@mcleodcl.ca

McLeod Community Safety Director

The month of June Alberta Traffic Safety Calendar focus is Commercial/Passenger vehicle safety.

Here are some tips to help keep you and others on the road safe!!

- Pull over when feeling tired
- Leave adequate space between you and the vehicle in front of you
- Be aware of what other drivers are doing
- Know your unit's blind spots
- Have your mirrors properly adjusted
- Ensure you are using your signal lights well ahead of your turn

• Complete proper pre and post trip inspections

• Ensure your vehicle is properly maintained.

• Ensure you are getting any re-torques on tires completed with the distance advised

• Do not overload your unit

• Ensure your unit gets its yearly inspection on time and the sticker is displayed with the copy of the inspection in the unit.

For more safety tips and information about Commercial and Passenger Vehicle Safety month, visit www.saferoads.com.

Parking Safety

Parking on/across sidewalks:

Please do not park on or across sidewalks at any time. This forces pedestrians including children or parents pushing strollers to have to go onto the roadway. The section that cover this under the City of Edmonton Traffic Bylaw #5590 is Part 2 Section 4. Ticket for this offense is a penalty of \$50.00 or it may be issued under the Alberta Use of Highway Rules and Regulations Section 44 (d) which carries a penalty of \$78.00. Your vehicle could be towed as well at your cost.

Unattached Trailers:

You are not permitted to leave your trailer unattached for any period of time on the roadway. The section that cover this under the City of Edmonton Traffic Bylaw #5590 is Section 20. Ticket for this offense is a penalty of \$50.00. Your trailer could be towed as well at your cost.

On another note please do not park your trailer on/across your sidewalk. You could be issued a ticket the same as a vehicle parked on or across the sidewalk as I have indicated above. Your trailer even though it is parked on your driveway can still be towed at your cost if it is on or across the sidewalk.

If you see any parking offences you can call 311 or download the 311 app on your phone.

Home Safety Tips

• Make sure your street address is clearly displayed in case emergency responders are called to your location. Consider putting your address at the back of your property if you have an alley

• Always look to see who is at your door before opening

• Make sure all exterior door have a minimum one inch deadbolt installed

• Secure your sliding doors by putting a metal bar or pipe the same length of the track in middle bottom track

• Install motion sensor exterior lamps

• Install a monitored security system. There are many on the market now that have included in the package a doorbell camera which can alert you on your cell phone and show the person or persons that are at your door.

Finally, please ensure you are following all rules of the road and slow down in our neighborhoods, playground and school zones.

McLeod Talks About Waste

Should the city continue to pick-up weekly lawn clippings and spring/fall yard cleanup waste as part of the weekly garbage pickup? City administration has recommended to council that homeowners still be charged \$45.93/month on their EPCOR utility bill, but the garbage and recycling trucks will not pick up yard waste starting this fall.

McLeod Civics did attend the public drop-

in sessions and online survey, but they are now closed. You can get more information at edmonton.ca/futureofwaste. Share your thoughts: call 311 or your Ward 4 councillor with your opinion.

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McLeod Still Skating Indoors

Need to keep up with your hockey skating skills during the summer? Feel the need to do some twirls and jumps? The Clareview Community Rec Centre twin arenas and Londonderry Arena both have free public skating times.

There are drop in public skate times for older adults, figure skating, parent & tot, adult fitness and general all-ages. The schedule changes weekly, so check online at edmonton.ca and search "public skate". You need to bring your own skates and helmet.

Community Gardens in McLeod

Are you an avid gardener who doesn't have the space to show off your green thumb? Or is your gardening expertise withering on the vine without someone to share it with? Need some space to grow your own food?

Two groups are looking for neighbours to join a community garden experience. There could be room for your flower or vegetable beds, or you can lend your wisdom to the newest gardeners in the club. Be an integral

part of adding blooms to your neighbourhood or creating fresh food resources for those in need.

Casselman Community Garden

5108 McLeod Road

casselmangarden@gmail.com

Sunshine Vines Community Garden

St Michaels Anglican Church

5003-146 Ave

2017communitygarden@gmail.com

McLeod Summer Camps

Toying Around Animation Camp (Ages 6-9)

Dates: July 9-13
Times: 9:00 am-4:00 pm
Cost: \$230
Location: McLeod Hall

Get your Lego on at The Director's Cut Lego Stop Motion Animation workshop. Film making crews will work together with a REAL film maker to create a stop-motion animation film that is sure to rival the works of Hollywood's most talented (Paranorman and Kubo and the 2 Strings). Small crews will storyboard, build a script, design mini sets and then capture their film through art of stop motion animation. In post production sound effects, music, voice overs and titles will be added to complete and add sound effects, titles, voices and music, about! Hollywood A List activities will be included as

part of our week. A red carpet, popcorn film festival will be hosted on Friday afternoon. Participants will be able to view their films in our private theatre.

BLOCKBUSTER Film Making (Ages 9-14)

Dates: July 30-August 3
Times: 9:00 am-4:00 pm
Cost: \$230

Location: McLeod Hall

It's going to be a blockbuster summer at The Director's Cut with our NEWLY designed film workshop. Use GO PRO ACTION cameras, 1080 HD digital cameras and the latest digital 360 VR equipment and hardware to film and edit your next big blockbuster. Under the guidance of REAL FILM MAKERS,

Participants will storyboard, write a script, learn all about camera angles and

cinematography, before filming and editing their own action packed blockbuster. Participants will have access to green screens and have the opportunity to use 360 VR equipment as part of their cinematic experience.

Participants will also create a commercial and movie trailer during the week.

Hollywood A List activities will be included as part of our week.

A red carpet, popcorn film festival will be hosted on Friday afternoon.

Participants will be able to view their films in our private theatre.

LEGO AND CLAY STOP MOTION ANIMATION (Ages 9-14)

Dates: August 6 to 10
Times: 9:00 am-4:00 pm
Cost: \$230

Location: McLeod Hall

Get your Lego and clay on at The Director's Cut Lego Stop Motion Animation workshop. Film making crews will work together with a REAL film maker to create a stop-motion animation film that is sure to rival the works of Hollywood's most talented (Paranorman and Kubo and the 2 Strings). Small crews will storyboard, build a script, design mini sets and then capture their film through art of stop motion animation. In post production sound effects, music, voice overs and titles will be added to complete and add sound effects, titles, voices and music, about! Hollywood A List activities will be included as per of our week. A red carpet, popcorn film festival will be hosted on Friday afternoon. Participants will be able to view their films in our private theatre.

To register for any of these camps, please go to www.mcleodcl.ca

McLeod Supports Yellowhead Trail Improvements

Wasting your life away behind a gravel truck idling on the Yellowhead, when you're not dodging potholes? The average commute in Alberta is 63 minutes and many share your frustration because of delays on the Yellowhead. Good news is that Yellowhead Trail is being transformed into a freeway. In the next

8 years, the goal is for vehicles to travel along the corridor without stopping at traffic lights.

It will be widened from 66 St, east to the Henday along with some intersection closures at that site. Fort Road will be widened, between the Yellowhead and 66 Street.

edmonton.ca/yellowheadtrail

Free Clareview Rec and Pool Access for McLeod

Did you know that for a \$30 family membership or \$15 single adult membership, you get a year's worth of FREE access to the first-class facilities at the Clareview Rec Centre every Saturday night? Take advantage of the multi-use aquatics

centre, the fully equipped fitness area, the immensely popular basketball and badminton courts as well as the indoor playground for the kids!

Clareview Rec Centre
Saturdays, 6 pm – 8 pm

Who's in McLeod CL?

The results of the 2016 Census show 19,190 people living in our 5 communities. We welcome all the fantastic neighbours who have joined us in the two years since this census - in newly constructed apartments, condos and houses. You're already in the community, now join the league!

Age	
0-4	6%
5-9	6%

10-14	5%
15-19	6%
20-39	25%
40-59	24%
60-79	13%
80+	2%
no response	13%

We involve all ages in our programs and events. If there's something new you'd like to see, please contact programs@mcleodcl.ca

Benefits to McLeod Membership

Access to league events, sports activities and programs

Free outdoor skating at the McLeod rink
Discounts on rentals of the McLeod hall
Voting rights at the McLeod Annual General Meeting

Up to 30% off all Cloverdale Paint products and up to 20% off all sundry items at Cloverdale Paint

10% discount at the Telus World of Science

25% discount on courses University of Alberta Technology Training Center

10% discount merchandise at Royal Centre Pharmasave 16636-71 Street

Discounts on annual (20% off), continuous

monthly (20%) or multi-visit passes (15% off) to City of Edmonton recreation centres and pools

Discounts at the ATB Financial in Hollick-Kenyon 780-944-6163

Free swimming at the following City of Edmonton recreation centres and pools (subject to closures):

Grand Trunk - Fridays 7:00-9:00pm and Sundays 4:15-5:45pm

Londonderry - Sundays 4:15-5:45pm

O'Leary - Saturdays 3:45-5:45pm

Clareview Recreation Centre - Saturdays 6:00-8:00pm (all of facility)

Castledowns YMCA free swimming Sundays from 2:00-4:00pm

Free Outdoor Swimming

Splash and soak up the summer sun at the outdoor pools this summer. The cost is already covered by the municipal taxes we pay our houses, so they're not charging admission.

All outdoor swimming pools are open during the summer season from May long weekend to September long weekend.

Pools are closed when temperature is below 18 C and extreme weather (stormy, heavy rain, lightning/thunder) and private bookings. Make sure to check before you leave, outdoor pool status is updated daily at 10 am and 2 pm.

Oliver Outdoor Pool

10315-119 ST NW

Fred Broadstock Outdoor Pool

15720-105 Avenue

Queen Elizabeth Outdoor Pool

9170 Walterdale Hill NW

Mill Creek Outdoor Pool

9555-84 Ave NW

Borden Park Natural Swim

7615 Borden Park Rd NW

(corner of 112 Avenue & Wayne Gretzky Drive NW)

Two years ago, the McLeod CL officially requested that the City add the new Borden Park facility to the free access summer program, and since we see it on the city's website, we hope it is included in this program for summer 2018.

Impressive in design, using environmentally friendly techniques to keep the water safe for the public, this is a combination wading pool and 2-meter deep splash and play pool. Complete with a real beach of Alberta sand and native plants, it creates a "wild swim" experience within the city limits.

edmonton.ca/outdoorpools

McLeod's Indoor Swim Times

Free when you show your current membership card.

Indoor Swimming:

Castledowns YMCA | Sun 2:00-4:00pm

Indoor Swimming Paid for by Area Council 17:

Londonderry Pool | Sun 4:15-5:45pm (shutdown Oct 28/18-Jan 27/19)

O'Leary Pool | Sat 3:45-5:45pm

Grand Trunk | Sun 4:15-5:45pm & Fri 7:00-9:00pm

How do I get a McLeod Membership?

Memberships are valid from September 1 to August 31 of the following year. In order to purchase a membership, you MUST live within the League's boundaries, which include the communities of McLeod, Casselman, Matt Berry (aka McLeod Park), Hollick-Kenyon, and Miller. If you live in another community league, you must purchase your membership there. If you do not know which league you live in, contact <http://efcl.org>.

Fees (add \$5 for the ECFL administration fee)
Family Membership - \$25/year
Individual Adult Membership - \$15/year
Associate Membership - \$15/year (email membership@mcleodcommunity-league.ca to purchase)

To purchase a Family or Individual membership, please go here: <http://efcl.org>.

You can also purchase a membership at any branch of Servus Credit Union.

Have Your Special Event at McLeod Hall

McLeod Centre, located at 14715-59 Street NW, is available for rental for events, meetings, weddings, and other social functions.

The main area of the hall (excluding the stage) is 44' by 60', for a total of 2640 square feet. The hall's capacity is 240 people, but for functions requiring a dance floor (i.e.

weddings), the maximum capacity is 200 people.

Check www.mcleodcl.ca for extensive hall details, and check the online calendar to see if your preferred date is available. Then contact Gerard at hallrental@mcleodcl.ca with the date/time and purpose of rental.



Northmount Community League News

Northmount Board of Directors

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Co-Sport Explorers	Sid Plamondon	780-478-2010

Director's Messages

I would like to welcome our newest board member! Margaret Warwick has volunteered to be our new Seniors Program Director. We are very excited to have a new director with her knowledge and experience to work with, and are looking forward to her ideas for our Seniors programs in the fall of 2018. – Michele Crocker, Secretary/Communication Director

The garage sale was a success, thanks to all the people that put up the signs, thanks to those who helped with setting up and cleaning after the event, it was very much appreciated. A special thank you to Eastwood Community for lending us tables. Walking club is back on Monday at 7 PM for the month of June, meet at the hall, well behaved dogs are welcome to join us, bring your water bottle! Walking Club will take a break in July/Aug for summer holiday and resume in September – Robin Wheatley, Adult Programs/Membership Director

Green Shack

The free Green Shack Program will run from July 3 - August 23, Monday – Friday from 10 AM until 1:30 PM in our Northmount Playground. This is a partnership between the Community League and the City of Edmonton. Ages: 6-12 years, cost: free

Join in games, sports, crafts, music, drama and special events. You'll find a list of upcoming activities and special events posted on the side of the Green Shack each week. If there's a game or activity that you'd like to

I would like to take this opportunity to thank all the volunteers who made our last 3 events a huge success! Our pancake dinner saw more than 100 people attend, and the perogy dinner was a close second. I look forward to planning more events in the fall. Thank you! – Suzanna Ramdass, Social Director

Seniors Coffee and Tea Club (held 1st&3rd Tuesdays) is taking a break for the next three months! We will return in September with a new program which we hope will be of interest to you. Mark your calendar for 9:30 a.m. Tuesday, September 18th and plan on joining your neighbours for a cup of coffee or tea and some "me time" and conversation! In the meantime, if you have any suggestions for programming you'd like us to consider – please send me an email at seniorsprograms@northmount.ca or call our president Meagan at 780-270-1212. Happy Summer! - Margaret Warwick, Seniors Director

play, just ask the Program Leader.

Programs are led by staff who:

- Ensure participants play safely. Parents are responsible for their children at all times and must be available in the event of an emergency.
- Are easily identifiable by their blue shirts and name tags.
- Have completed a security clearance process, are trained in first aid and are certified specialists in fun!

President's Message

The spring fitness programs will be coming to a close at the end of June, everyone has had lots of fun! If you missed this past session, please feel free to join us in September when the Fall classes commence, more details will come!

We have started planning for the new playground in Northmount Park, it is not too late to join the planning and fundraising committee! If you are interested call me at 780-270-1212 to attend a meeting. No prior experience is required. We need your help to keep the playground at Northmount Park! Our Green Shack program will be back this summer, to keep the playground safe for our children we have 2 more years left in the playground's life cycle. Please consider helping with our

playground re-build to ensure that the Green Shack program can remain in Northmount Park.

Northmount is going to be the home to the first Pride in the Park event on June 14th, join your neighbours for a fun time. We are partnering with our MLA Chris Nielsen, Dickensfield Amity House, and ASPECC to have a family friendly night of fun! We will have games, entertainment, a mini trade show and more! Stay tuned for more details.

June 10th will be our Second Annual Superhero Day, join our MLA Chris Nielsen and Dickensfield Amity House for a free fun family friendly day of fun and SUPERHEROS!

*Thank you,
Meagan Plamondon*

Zumba- Gold®

Tuesday nights 6:15 PM until 7:15 PM, please arrive at 6:00 PM for check-in

If you have any questions, please call or text Meagan: 780-270-1212. You must have a Community League Membership to attend as a drop in or to purchase a 10-week pass. Drop in fee: \$10

Zumba ®

Tuesday nights 7:15 PM until 8:15 PM, please arrive at 7:00 PM for check-in

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Body Bootcamp®

Wednesday nights 6:00 PM until 7:00 PM, please arrive at 5:45 PM for check-in

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Craft Night

Please join us at Bring Your Own Craft Night every Thursday evening from 7 to 9 PM. (Right after Yoga!) Free coffee, tea and hot chocolate will be provided (we have decaf!) for anyone showing a current EFCL Community League Membership (from any community league.) Bring a friend or meet someone new, while enjoying a night of crafts!

Tween Dance!

June 8th - 7-10 PM Ages: 6-12

Cost: \$2 per child. Siblings under 6 are free.

Northmount is hosting a community Tween dance to celebrate the end of the school year! Come join us at the hall for music, games and fun with friends! We will have a craft table, prizes for spot dances and a concession for snacks and popcorn. For more information see our Facebook Page.

Hatha Yoga

Thursday nights 6:00 PM until 7:00 PM, please arrive at 5:45 PM for check-in

Buy a 10 week pass or drop in throughout the session. If you have any questions, please call or text Meagan: 780-270-1212. You must have a Community League Membership to attend as a drop in or to purchase a 10-week pass. (No class on April 19th or June 14th) Drop in fee: \$10

Pride in the Park

June 14th – 6-9 PM

Northmount is going to be the home to the first Pride in the Park event on June 14th, join your neighbour's for a fun time. We are partnering with our MLA Chris Nielsen, Dickensfield Amity House, and ASPECC to have a family friendly night of fun! We will have games, entertainment, a mini trade show, clothing swap and more! Guest speaker will be Chevi Rabbit.

Superhero Day

June 10th – 1-4 PM

Join our MLA Chris Nielsen and Dickensfield Amity House for a free, family friendly day of fun and SUPERHEROS! There will be a superhero parade at 1:30, 2:30 and 3:30 PM – join in to show off your best look! Join us for free: Hotdogs (Halal, Veggie, and Gluten Free options available).

Northmount Hall Rentals

We have a seating capacity for 250 guests. We offer a large kitchen with industrial stove, double door cooler, dish sanitizer and bar area.

Friday's & Saturday's all functions:

\$450 for Non-members

\$350.00 for Members

Wedding Special \$700.00 - Hall is yours to setup & use from Friday morning to Sunday at 5:00

Interested in renting? Call Linda at 780-399-9022

It's happening here!

NEIGHBOURFEST
"Bringing our Community Together"

A free event every week from 6:30 - 8:30 pm
@ Steele Heights Baptist Church 5812-149 Avenue
www.shbc.ca

Family Friendly Fun!!

July 18 --- Neighbourhood Party	July 25 --- Movie Night	August 1 --- Fiesta Night	August 8 --- Community Dance Party	August 15 --- Mega Games Night	August 22 --- Neighbourfest Windup Party
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JOIN ME AT OUR **FREE**

EDMONTON MANNING COMMUNITY BBQ

WHEN: Sunday, July 15, 2018
WHERE: Steele Heights Community Center
5825 140 Avenue NW
Edmonton, AB, T5A 1G5
TIME: 11 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

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EDMONTON MANNING

1st Annual
Pride in Northmount Park

Chris Nielsen
MLA, Edmonton-Decore

Thursday, June 14th, 6-9 PM Northmount Community League, 9204-140 Ave

Come dressed as your favorite super hero and participate in the Superhero parade.
GAMES! BBQ! PRIZES!

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EVERYONE WELCOME

SUPER HERO DAY!

Sunday June 10, 1 - 4 p.m. Northmount Community League, 9204-140 Ave NW

Join me on Canada Day

July 1, 12 pm - 4 pm
Cy Becker Playground and Spray Park
BBQ, activities and more!

In partnership with MLA Heather Sweet
Ward 4 Councillor Aaron Paquette
and Horse Hill Community League