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HAPPENING IN THE
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Next EECA Bingo Day

Saturday, August 18, 2018 - AFT - Kensington Bingo

Next TAFEY Bingo Day

Tuesday, August 21, 2018 - AFT / EVE- Fort Road Bingo

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Having a strong community league helps promote a safe, healthy neighbourhood, while it increases a sense of community spirit and pride.

**For more information:
Email: memberships@eeeca.ca
Call: 780-473-6962**

**Or stop by the office (located at the community hall)
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Garden Club News

Greetings fellow gardeners! What a beautiful spring and summer it has been. Plenty of sun with dollops of rain. It is well deserved after our brutal winter. Right now is just the perfect time for gardeners. The seeding is done. The weeding is (mostly) done. All that's left is to care for the plants we've chosen to grace our gardens this year.

Do you wonder how you can get your annual flowers to bloom more? There are many theories, ranging from music to caressing leaves to feeding them bone meal, but gardeners agree on two things: Dead-heading and fertilizing. Once a bloom is spent, pull it carefully off without damaging the stem it's on. This "Dead-heading" encourages new growth and doesn't waste plant energy on something that's already wilting away. Fertilizing is done three main ways. The first method is with granulated fertilizer, once a week, as per the instructions on the package. Other people prefer to put a couple grains of fertilizer in every gallon they water with. Thirdly, there are those who don't want to use granulated fertilizer, for environmental or allergenic reasons. They will save their vegetable scraps and simmer them up at the end of the week in the biggest cauldron they have. After letting it cool, use the water directly on the plants or diluted throughout the week. Throw the soggy vegetables in the compost and start over!

The Garden Club had a general meeting in July. It's not often we have just a regular meeting and people were excited to speak about their successes and failures in the garden this year. For example, carrots are failing in many places this year, due to the high temperatures. It's nice to have a group of gardeners to bounce ideas off of. Would you be interested in joining? If you are interested in growing things, this is the place to learn! Join now for just \$10 (\$20 if you don't have a Community League membership). You'll enjoy meetings, speakers, crafts and trips focussed on gardening, all year round. Call Cori for more details at 780-860-3582.

Good news everyone! Our Club is now open to youth ages 12 and up, as well as continuing to welcome adults of all shapes, sizes and abilities. If you're interested, please call us and we'll give you the information you need.

July 21 was our annual BBQ. We got rained out, but we send out a huge THANK YOU to the Senior's Club, who allowed us to borrow the Senior's Centre for the evening at the very last minute. The ribs were finger-lickin' good, and the Garden games were a lot of fun. It's just too bad we couldn't have done it all outside

Our next meeting is August 20th at 6:30pm the Community Hall. Members, stay tuned for your phone call for more information. New members, call Cori at the number above, or just show up and see if the Club is right for you!





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Edmonton Evergreen
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Evergreen Seniors News

Summer Quotes

Spring passes and one remembers one's innocence.

Summer passes and one remembers one's exuberance.

Autumn passes and one remembers one's reverence.

Winter passes and one remembers one's perseverance.

Yoko Ono

All seniors 55+ please join us throughout the summer Monday to Friday from 10:00 until noon; the coffee is always hot, enjoy the company, and a game of Pool.

The seniors club also gets together every week, Wednesday nights from 7:00 PM to 9:00 PM. Please check calendar for schedule.

To join our club, membership dues are only \$10.00 per person, for anyone 55 and over.

This coming month, members only, we are having a dinner outing, please check sign up sheet for details.

Tuesday Aug 07/18. Please sign up at the seniors centre by Wednesday Aug. 01/2018

There are no club meetings for July and August.

The next meeting will be on Wednesday September 05/18 at 7:00 PM

Here's wishing everyone a fantastic summer.

Seniors Calendar

Aug 1	Bingo	7:00 PM
Aug 7	Dinner	6:00 PM
Aug 8	Bingo	7:00 PM
Aug 15	Bingo	7:00PM
Aug 22	Crib	7:00 PM
Aug 29	Bingo	7:00PM



Seniors Craft & Quilt Thursdays 1-4 pm

Get a head start on your Christmas shopping September 15th at the seniors centre during the block party. We have crafts for all ages. You can also purchase a ticket to win a queen sized quilt. Join our craft group any Thursday with your fabulous craft ideas.

Coffee & Pool every morning 10 a.m. to Noon (Mon-Fri)
Drop in for a visit!



Accidental Poisoning

Emergency Medical Services (EMS) would like to remind parents and caregivers of precautions to prevent accidental childhood poisonings around the home. Ingesting prescription or over-the-counter (OTC) medications is a significant cause of accidental childhood poisonings. Other causes of poisoning include ingesting or coming in contact with household items such as dishwasher tablets, mouthwash, or chemicals such as paints, solvents and cleaning products.

Medication storage

- Place all medications in locked containers and store in an area inaccessible to children;
- For easy identification, store all medications in their original packaging; do not mix multiple medications in a single bottle;
- Install child locks on all cabinets, or drawers where medications are stored.

Safety tips

- Child-resistant medication bottles are not child proof. They can still be opened by a child;
- Take extra precaution with medicines designed to appeal to children such as chewable vitamins or flavored cough and cold syrups;
- Promptly dispose of any medications or toxic household products no longer in use.

Prevention

- Store household products, cleaning supplies, and cosmetics in locked cabinets or drawers;
- Install child latches on cabinets children might also access by climbing on counters or chairs;
- Label all plants in and around your home and garden;
- Antifreeze, windshield washer fluid, and pesticides are extremely poisonous. Even small amounts of these can cause serious illness if ingested;
- Poisoning information can be obtained by calling the Poison and Drug Information Service (PADIS) at: 1-800-332-1414;
- **In case of a poisoning emergency, call 9-1-1;**
- Provide the name of the product ingested and, if it is safe to do so, a sample of the substance for EMS to inspect on their arrival.



EVERGREEN YOUTH EXPRESS

August 2018

BE INVOLVED
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Since 1996 the Evergreen Youth Centre has been providing child and youth programming, and has played an important role in all family programming provided to the residents of Evergreen.

Many aspects of the Youth Centre have changed this past year since long time Executive Director, Alice Hobbins has retired, and Program Leader, Laura Scott, has taken over managing the Youth Centre. Changes include the Board of Directors, funding, and programming. We no longer receive FCSS funding which was cut in September 2017, and recently, our Gaming funds have been restricted. These restrictions will affect programming, afterschool snack, field trips and family events held by the Youth Centre.

If you would like to help and support the Youth Centre, please attend our AGM on September 17th, 2018 and consider sitting on the Board of Directors. We are also seeking food donations for afterschool beginning in September, any help is appreciated.

The Association for Evergreen Youth

**The Association for
Evergreen Youth
announces its Annual
General Meeting,
taking place Monday
September 17th, 2018
at 7:15pm at the Youth
Centre.**

**Board Positions up for
Election for 2018 are:**

- ♦ Vice President
- ♦ Treasurer
- ♦ Director at large

Evergreen Summer Fun 2018



This years Summer Program has been a blast! Our summer staff are here every Monday-Friday, playing EG's all time favourite activities such as , Zombie Tag, Capture the Flag, Grounders, and many more! Don't miss out on the fun and the field trips we have planned for August, take a peek at the next page for August Calendar!










Summer program Facebook
Page, follow for updates!

[https://www.facebook.com/
EGSummer2018](https://www.facebook.com/EGSummer2018)



August 2018



Su	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1 11:30am-7pm SWIM DAY 12:30m-4pm	2 11:30am-8pm	3 CLOSED for Extra long weekend	4
5	6 	7 11:30am-8pm MOVIE DAY 	8 11:30am-7pm SWIM DAY 12:30m-4pm	9 11:30am-8pm	10 11:30am-8pm Gymnastics Field Trip 	11
12	13 11:30am-8pm EPL 2 Go 2pm- 4pm	14 11:30am-8pm	15 11:30am-7pm SWIM DAY 12:30m-4pm	16 11:30am-8pm ZOO Field Trip 	17 11:30am-8pm SUPER HERO THEME 	18
19	20 11:30am-8pm EPL 2 Go 2pm- 4pm	21 11:30am-8pm	22 SWIM DAY 11:30am-4pm Staff Dinner	23 11:30am-8pm	24 LAST DAY WRAP UP- PARTY! 	25
26	27 Closed	28 Closed	29 Closed	30 Closed	31 Closed	

Monday-Friday * Subject to change,
some activities are weather dependent,
we will always have an alternative

Field Trip days are in blue and summer waiver
form is required. \$5/person for field trips.



Kids Corner



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Crack the Code

Directions: Use the letter/number key below to crack the code. Then read it carefully, and answer yes or no.

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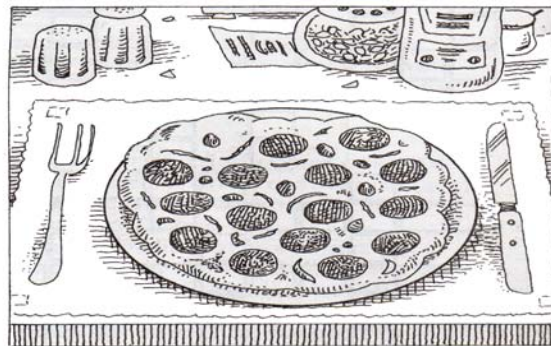
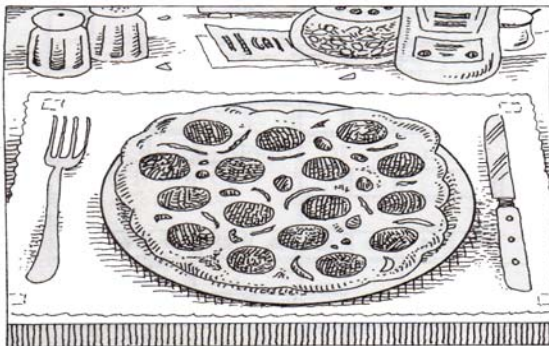
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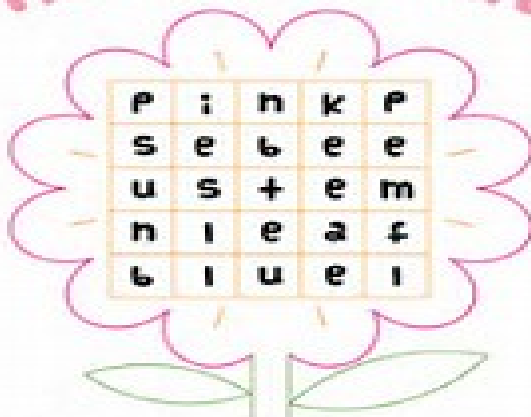
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See if you can find the eight differences.



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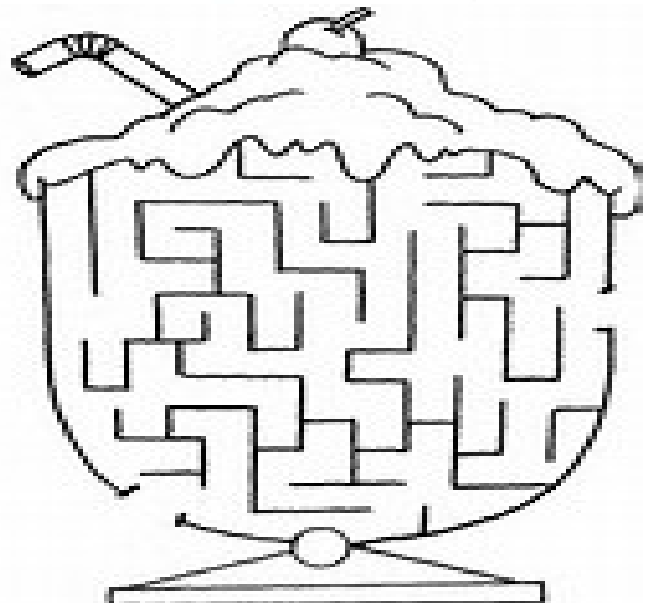
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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1 Seniors Bingo 7pm	2 STAY & PLAY Community Hall 10am—12pm Seniors Crafts & Quilts 1–4pm	3 	4 Member Free Swim Clareview Rec Ctr. 6-8
5	6 <i>Civic Holiday</i>	7 Seniors Dinner 6pm	8 Seniors Bingo 7pm	9 STAY & PLAY Community Hall 10am—12pm <hr/> Seniors Crafts & Quilts 1–4pm	10 	11 Member Free Swim Clareview Rec Ctr. 6-8
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Every weekday, from 10am to noon

the Senior's Centre has a pot of coffee on.

Drop in for a visit, stay for a game of pool, and

to meet other Seniors in the Community!