

Evergreen News

September 2014

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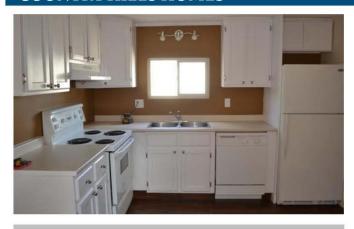


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SEPTEMBER 2014



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Garden Club News

Greetings fellow gardeners! Summer came in June and stayed until August 22nd. Rain was scarce and the temperatures soared. If you weren't diligent with watering (and not all of us can be), some of your plants probably died. If you're looking for heat and drought-resistant blooms, look to annuals like potentillas, cornflowers or local grains and grasses. You can also choose perennials like daisies, delphiniums, and lilies. Want to expand your lily collection and not sure where to start? The Garden Club, that's where!



We have a speaker coming to give us all a lily lesson for our next meeting on September 15th in the Community Hall. Join us at 6:30 for coffee, tea, refreshments and The Lily Society's chosen speaker for us.

Our summer BBQ was a lot of fun. The weather on August 23rd was perfect: sunny and 20 degrees. Guests enjoyed steaks, drinks and sides at one of our member's houses. Some party games were played and garden-related prizes and jokes were handed out. Everyone left with a smile on their face, a full stomach, and something to remember the party by.

The Garden Club is taking their members to the Muttart Conservatory the last weekend in September. Members, contact Mary to ensure you are on the list to attend and non-members, maybe you should consider joining? We are an Evergreen Community supported program that meets once a month, year-round, for garden-related crafts, speakers and trips. Call Mary at 780-406-5710, or join us for our lily presentation September 15th for more information.

Join the club, meet new friends, share a few laughs...and go home feeling good.







Back to school safety



Alberta Health Services EMS would like to remind parents and students about some basic road safety tips, as streets become more congested, with the return of the school year. Pedestrians and motorists both have an important role to play – road safety is a shared responsibility.

Motorists

- Avoid talking on cell phones, texting, or any other behavior that diverts your attention away from driving.
- Give right of way to pedestrians who have activated overhead crossing lights, or who are waiting to cross from a street corner.
- Remember, it is illegal to pass vehicles - other than those that are parked - in school zones or playground zones, during posted hours.

Around school buses

- Flashing amber lights mean a bus is slowing down to stop. Motorists should do likewise.
- No matter which direction you are coming from, STOP, when approaching a school bus with activated flashing red lights – unless the bus is on the opposite side of a divided highway from you.
- Driver courtesy goes a long way. By simply being alert and cautious when approaching a school bus, you are contributing to school bus safety.

Pedestrians

- Cross only at marked crosswalks, or street corners that have clear visibility from all directions.
- Make eye contact with all drivers before crossing the street.
- When activating overhead crossing lights, pause before stepping off the curb to ensure motorists in both directions have come to a complete stoo.
- Stay within the crosswalk lines until fully clear of the roadway.
- Obey pedestrian lights at intersections. Cross the street only when you see the 'walk' sign and only when all cars have come to a complete stop.
- If you are with young children or pets, hold your child's hand firmly and keep a solid grip on leashes when crossing.
- Remember: children learn by observing. By demonstrating safe crossing habits, you can reduce the chances of your child being involved in a preventable auto/pedestrian collision.



Evergreen Classifieds

To have your ad appear in our newsletter, email to secreary@eeca.ca before 20th of each month. This space is set aside for residents of Evergreen to advertise items they want to sell or give away Evergreen News is delivered to every home in the park and is mailed to a number of people outside of Evergreen.

FOR SALE

- \Rightarrow 3 seat swing set \$75 obo
- ⇒ Wicker set (chair, setee, coffee table) \$60 obo
- ⇒ Patio set (table, 4 chairs, umbrella, cushions) \$50 obo

Call Donna 780-758-7419

www.albertahealthservices.ca

Tiny toes grow so fast!



Every Wednesday from 10 am to noon come get together with other parents to share all things family while your children are inspired to explore, socialize, and have fun. This program welcomes kids from 6 months to 5 years and parents or guardians of all ages. Snacks and drinks for kids (coffee/tea for the grown ups).

*Program is FREE with EECA membership

September:

3rd Craftacular, a day of crafty fun

10th Hands-moon sand madness

17th Hot lunch day (pre-register & pick a dish on Sept 10th) We all bring an ingredient to make it AWESOME 24th Free play day Let Loose!

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Evergreen Seniors News

Well here we are into fall. We certainly had a good summer. Having air conditioning in the Centre has been a blessing. This month we start our meetings on the first Wednesday of each month. If you are wondering what to do come winter, think about joining the seniors. We always have fun with bingo, a special supper each month morning coffee get togethers, and the men play pool every morning. So drop by!

Supper this month: Joey's Only Restaurant 12222 137 Ave

Coffee & Pool every morning 10 a.m. to Noon

Recognition Corner

Thank you for supporting both our

Kensington and Fort Road Bingos. Job well done!

We'd also like to thank everyone who helped make the Community Wide Garage Sale Day such a success!

We are gathering feedback that we hope will help next year's committee make it even better. Your suggestions are welcome.

Email: president@eeca.ca with your comments.

Thanks also to those who came out and helped with Paint the Rink 2014 on August 23rd.

Seniors Calendar:

Sept 3	Bingo	7 pm
Sept 3 Sept 10	Supper at Joey's	6 pm
	Bingo	7 pm
Sept 17 Sept 24	Bingo	7 pm
Sept 24	Crib	7 pm

Seniors Craft & Quilt Tuesday & Thursday 1 - 4 pm



We also walk dogs from 12:30pm— 2:00pm daily

Shop Hours

Sunday Closed

Monday 9-5

Tuesday 9-5

Wednesday Closed

Thursday 9-4

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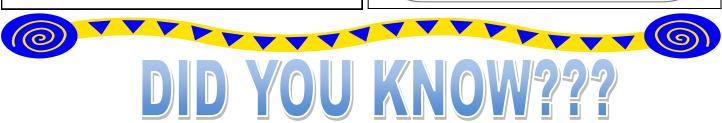
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Remember:

School's back starting September 2, 2014





Dart's and Cribbage night will be starting up again soon! Check www.eeca.ca for more details! September 2014



Evergreen Youth Express

Come support us at the Evergreen Community Block Party



The Association for Evergreen Youth

Fundraising BBQ



Saturday, Sept 13th 1 - 3 pm

Full Meal Deal \$4.00

Burger or Dog; chips; pop or water (While supplies last)



The Association For Evergreen Youth

REMINDER: Evergreen Youth Centre memberships are due

September 1st. At just \$15 for the whole family for a full program year (September to August), a TAFEY membership is the best value in

Evergreen! Membership allows your children ages 6—17 access to a

number of after school, evening and weekend programs designed just for them!

Membership also allows you a voice in the future direction of child/ youth programming in Evergreen by attending our Annual General

meeting and ensuring that your voice is heard.

Registration for fall programs start September 8th at EG After School.

Spaces may be limited. Make sure there is room for YOUR child!

SEPTEMBER 2014

Evergreen Youth Centre Program

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
Subject to change. Call 780-413- 8248 Times TBA	Fall P	6 Gentlemen of Evergreen				
7 Karate Sign Up 2 pm	8 EG After School Kobudo	9 Drop In Karate	10 EG After School	11 Drop In	12 EG After School	13 Block Party Gentlemen of Evergreen
14 Karate	15 EG After School Kobudo	16 Drop In Karate	17 EG After School	18 Drop In	19 EG After School	20 Gentlemen of Evergreen
21 Karate	22 EG After School Kobudo	23 On the Right Track Karate	24 EG After School	25 EG After School	26 EG After School	27 Gentlemen of Evergreen
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Hello, hello...

For anyone that doesn't know me, my name is Isaac Tyler, I'm one of the staff at the Youth Centre, I help to run the Saturday youth program for boys aged 12-17 from 3-10pm, aptly named the Gentlemen of Evergreen. A little bit about me: I am 24 years old, I am going into my fifth and (hopefully) final year of post Secondary Studies at the U of A, with a major Aboriginal Studies and a minor in History, I also compete on the Track and Field team in the High Jump. During the summer I work as a Helitack Fireighter for the provincial government and for fun I like to play sports and listen/play all types of music.

I work alongside my coworker and brotha, Adam Ward who has recently graduated from the University with a degree in secondary Education, majoring in some type of boring science and minoring in Mathematics (gross). As a volunteer and substitute for Adam and I, we have Tyler Atkinson, a former resident of Evergreen who attended the program for 3 years until he was 18 and decided to return as a volunteer. Tyler is apprenticing as a Cabinet Maker presently! We also have my boss, Alice (of course) who needs no introduction: Alice takes care of all the paperwork and logistical stuff while we get to run around outside and play! All four of us are part of the planning process and work to bring the best possible program we can to the boys.

It's hard to believe but this is actually our fifth year of the program, I can't believe how fast time goes by! I'm so stoked to have all of our staff back for another year. Here is what our schedule is looking like for our first month:

August

September 6th

- Flyer Blitz
- Unofficial kick-off
- Fire
- Planning session

September 13th

- Block Party
- Official Kick-Off
- First NERF Session

Gentlemen of Evergreen

September 20th

- -Regular Saturday Format
- Main Event: CTF
- Fire

September 27th

- NERF Export: Gentlemen of Evergreen Vs. Highlands Youth Group

We have a great program and awesome staff and we're looking to make this our best year yet. We always need support from the community and there's a ton of ways you can help with that: we can always use financial support such as an extra bag of bottles you have kickin' around (we'll even come pick them up), you can visits and 'like' our Facebook page Facebook.com/gentlemenofevergreen , you can watch our videos at

youtube.com/gentlemenofevergreen. Here's to another great year in Evergreen!

Isaac

program wrap up party as Friday, Aug 22. Unfortunately, jumpy things were not available so party was

newsletter set our summer

Our Apologies:

moved to Thursday, Aug 21. Changes were posted to facebook. We're sorry if anyone was disappointed.



All Evergreen after school programming starts from right off the bus and includes an after school snack. Some programs are at the Youth Centre and some are hosted by the Youth Centre at the EECA hall. If you're not sure, stop at the Youth Centre first. If no one is there, there'll be a sign on the door. Programs are drop in in nature but require an up to date registration form on file. Call 780-413-8248 for details and watch for program notes in this publication each month.

NEW LEGO MANIA PROGRAM

Starts Tuesday, September 9th (end date October 28th) at the EECA hall. Kids ages 5—12 who love lego. Come build with your

> buddies. Great way for kids to get together and just have FUN! Brought to you by TAFEY.



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Enrollment fee (\$110) includes membership in The Association for Evergreen Youth; 1st month instruction; ghi and safety gear.

Monthly fee thereafter: \$40 per month per student. Family discount may be available. Don't live in Evergreen? Add \$5 per month to all fees. Fees a problem? Talk to us, we want to help!

Fees a problem? Talk to us. 780-413-8248

For 2014-2015 program year, register at Evergreen Youth

Centre on Sunday, September 7th from 2—4 pm

Classes:

Karate: Sunday afternoons and Tuesday evenings

Kobudo: Monday evenings (except 3rd Monday of each month)

ty of simple yet tasty snacks that you get to EAT.

EG Junior Chefs Incredible Edibles Sept 11—Oct 30

Starts on Mon Sept 8th

Evergreen (EG) After School program restarts on Monday, September 8th. Come to the Youth Centre when you get off the bus and meet BGCBigs staff who will

be joining us every Mon/Wed/Fri for some after school FUN!

Tuesdays start off on September 9th with On the



some new things about yourself, meet new friends and gain important life skills! Thursdays bring you Incredible Edibles. Get your Junior Chef on as you learn to make a varie-



Have your bottles ready for EECA's annual Bottle Drive Saturday, September 6th.

Please have your bags marked if you are not home.

Have a truck, trailer and/or a couple of hours to give back to your Community League?

Contact Troy at

president@eeca.ca or 780-935-9611



WE NEED YOU!!!

Bingo and Casino events provide the funds to allow Evergreen

Community Association non-profits to continue offering programs and events to the residents of Evergreen Community. If you attend programs or events put on by the Community league, EECA needs you!! Call 780-473-6962 to volunteer to help.

Bingo Volunteers needed: Saturday, September 6, 2014, Saturday, September 13, 2014

We also need volunteers for the Bottle Drive on September 6 and the Block Party on September 13.

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Please Note: Don't forget to renew your membership at our Block Party on Saturday, September 13th.

New to our Park? Consider joining and adding your voice to the programs and events offered throughout the year by YOUR Community League!

Darts and Cribbage are starting up for the season in September. Visit www.eeca.ca for more details on registration/start dates.

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Deadline for the ad's for the September issue is September 20th.



September 2014

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1	Seniors Quilters & Crafters 1pm	3 TOTS 10 am Seniors Bingo 7pm	4 Seniors Quilters & Crafters 1pm	5	Bottle Drive
7 EECA Board Meeting 7:00pm	8	9 Seniors Quilters & Crafters 1pm	10 TOTS 10 am Darts 7 pm Seniors Supper 6pm Bingo 7pm	Seniors Quilters & Crafters 1pm EECA Crib 7 pm	12	13 Everting Leaving Australian Block Party
Coupon Program 6:30 pm	15	16 Seniors Quilters & Crafters 1pm	TOTS 10 am EECA Darts 7 pm Seniors Bingo 7pm	Seniors Quilters & Crafters 1pm EECA Crib 7 pm	19	20
21	Garden Club 6:30pm	23 Seniors Quilters & Crafters 1pm	TOTS 10 am EECA Darts 7 pm Seniors Crib 7pm	25 Seniors Quilters & Crafters 1pm EECA Crib 7 pm	26	27
28 Coupon Program 6:30 pm	29	30 Seniors Quilters & Crafters 1pm	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!			

Calendar subject to change. For updates "like" our facebook page: http://www.facebook.com/EvergreenCommunity