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May 2016

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A Message from Your EECA Board

Our volunteer appreciation lunch on April 10, 2016 went exceptionally well. It was a pleasure to have our volunteers together.

The 2015 Volunteers of the year presentation were made at this event and the winners are:

EECA Adult Volunteer of the Year was to James Paull for the time put into ensuring we had the best rink possible this year.

TAFEY Adult Volunteer of the Year was to Tyler Atkinson for his help leading the Gentlemen of Evergreen program when Adam and Isaac were not available. There was always two leaders on site thanks to Tyler's assistance.

Both the EECA and TAFEY Youth Volunteer of the year went to the Gentlemen of Evergreen for always stepping up taking care of setup and cleanup duties throughout the year at our events.

Thank you to these amazing people and all of our volunteers who make a tremendous difference in our community.

Darts and Crib are wrapping up for another season. It was a wonderful year for them and we look forward to the return of these events in September. Watch September's newsletter for details.

Our Spring Fling is coming up on Saturday May 28, 2016. We will be hosting a free breakfast from 10-11:30. The Youth Center will be barbequing burgers at lunch. A lunch combo will go for \$4. Come out and check the fun all out with community sales tables, garden club plant sale, and even bouncy castles!

One of our most important events of every year is on Monday May 30, 2016 . Our Annual General Meeting will be at 7:00 p.m. in the community hall. We have board positions available if you are interested as well as we will review the past years events and financials and show our plan for the next year. The Edmonton Evergreen Community Association is all about our community and we would love for you to be a part of organizing all of our events.

Parkbridge is hosting their annual Big Bin Event on May 14-15, 2016 as well as their Free Dirt event on May 13, 2016. Check out their ad further in the newsletter for more details.

Finally, we would like to welcome Sharon Banks to our volunteer team. Sharon will be taking care of all of our hall rentals to reduce the burden on us. Sharon can be reached at hallrentals@eeeca.ca or 780-782-7653. The hall is available for rent on weekends only due to all our exciting events during the week.



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Evergreen Seniors News

We said goodbye to Marjorie Evanchiew who passed away on April 3rd.

I bet you are all anxious to get out and clean up the gardens. We are certainly getting the weather for it.

We are having Denis' famous omelette breakfast on May 14th at 10am and on the 21st of May and we will also be having a cleanup at the Seniors Centre.

Happy Mothers Day on May 8th!

Seniors Calendar

May 4th	Meeting	7 pm
	Bingo follows meeting	
May 11th	Bingo	7 pm
May 14th	Omelette Breakfast	10 am
May 18th	Bingo	7 pm
May 21st	Centre Cleanup	
May 25th	Seniors crib	7 pm

Seniors Craft & Quilt Thursday's 1-4 p.m.



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Garden Club News

Greetings fellow gardeners! Is it summer already? It has been several years since we've been able to dig about so early in the year. A whole week of above-20 temperatures helped us get a real jump on the spring yard work. Early springs like this one can also be a time for a bountiful vegetable harvest with a few extra weeks of the growing season. Be careful though! It rarely happens that another cold spell doesn't hit us before the May long weekend here in Edmonton. If you plant anything outside, be diligent and watch for nights where it is going to be below 2°C and cover those plants up! Of course, perennials (plants that return every year from their roots) will be just fine with some frost. Their leaves might die off but the plant will return.

Our last meeting was April 18th at the Community Hall. Members learned how to separate seedling clumps from Kuhlmann's and every member took home at least 6 new plants to grow. Dianthus, salvias, lobelias, shoo-flies, rudbeckias and more were given new homes. Thank you to the experts in the club for guiding the novices in how this de-clumping and plant-sharing is done. A special welcome back to our president, Freida, after her hospital stay. We wish you all the best and it was wonderful to see you at the meeting!

Are you new to gardening? Have plants you can't identify and an itch to grow things? Join the Evergreen Garden Club! It's a great way to meet neighbours and enrich your gardening knowledge. You don't have to be an expert to join, but if you stick with us, you'll become one! For more info on joining, please email evergreengreenthumbs@gmail.com.



Next month is a very exciting month for Garden Club members! May 9th is our annual Kuhlmann's field trip. Members bring a container 18" or less across to Kuhlmann's Greenhouses and get to fill their pots with quality annuals. Excellent soil and fertilizer are provided, and Kuhlmann's will take care of the container for a few weeks to really give it a good start. This is always a lovely trip and we thank Anita and her staff tremendously for this opportunity. Remember - the treasurer is OFF DUTY for this trip - please pay your annual membership at the May meeting, NOT at Kuhlmann's.

If that fantastic field trip wasn't enough, we are also making moss gardens for our monthly meeting on May 16th. Members can bring pots, dishes, or decorations they would like to use, but the Club will also provide plenty of supplies for those attending. The meeting will be at the Community Hall at 6:30pm.

That's not all! Come by our tables on May 28th at the Evergreen Community's Spring Fling for our HUGE PLANT SALE! We will have hundreds of annuals and perennials for sale at rock-bottom prices. Make sure you save some room in your vegetable gardens, flower beds and containers because you will not find a better deal. Stop and visit with our expert gardeners about your garden, your plants, or your horticultural dreams - we'd love to chat with you. If there's one thing Garden Club members never get tired of, it's talking about plants! This sale is how the Club affords to do so many amazing things for it's members and we couldn't do it without you. Thank you for your continued support.

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



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Parkbridge Lifestyle Communities Present the Evergreen Community Annual Big Bin and Free Dirt Event

Big Bins: Location of the bins will be in our 2nd entrance compound.

Saturday, May 14, 2016 at 9AM – 3PM & Sunday, May 15, 2016 at 10AM – 2PM or until bins are full. We will also have limited space on Monday, May 16, 2016 from 11AM – 4PM only if required.

NOTE: Items such as appliances, mattresses & box springs, propane tanks, liquid waste, hazardous materials, flammable items, tires, toxins, paint cans, food waste, Light Fixtures with ballasts, batteries, railway ties and used fuel or oil containers WILL NOT be accepted.

Free Dirt: We will have dirt ready for pick up in our office parking lot on Friday, May 13, 2016 while it lasts!.



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Evergreen Youth Express

What does Evergreen Look Like Without the Youth Centre?

A couple of things you may not know about Evergreen Youth Centre:

1. We are in no way connected to Parkbridge OR to Edmonton Evergreen Community Association.
2. We are a registered charity with the ability to issue tax receipts for cash donations.
3. Most of our programs are of a drop in nature which means we can not force your child to stay with us for the duration.
4. Over the past few years numbers of kids using the

Youth Centre have declined to the point where a huge chunk of the funding required to operate has been withdrawn.

If your children do not use the Youth Centre, what are the things that prevent them attending.

What does Evergreen Youth Centre mean to you and your family?

Would you consider being part of a focus group meeting at the Youth Centre on May 4th at 6:30 p.m. to discuss the very real possibility that there may not be a Youth Centre in this community come fall of 2017 when

FCSS funding runs out and Alice retires? Email tafey@shaw.ca to get your name on the focus group list.

The Association for
Evergreen Youth

May
2016

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The Association for Evergreen Youth Annual General Meeting

The Board of Directors of The Association for Evergreen Youth has called its AGM for Monday, June 20th, 2016 at 7 pm at the Youth Centre (north end of rental office building).

EG After School



Join Shreya from Boys & Girls Clubs/Big Brothers Big Sisters every Monday, Wednesday and Thursday from right off the buss until 6 pm for a variety of fun crafts, games and activities.

Way Cool Cooking School Round 3

Every Tuesday from 4—6 (or whenever recipe has been completed and enjoyed) join Laura and Dustin for cooking FUN! NOTE: Lower enrollment because of outdoor sports seasons means the class may end earlier.

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Library Fun Monday 5-6 pm Pop Up Library for everyone 6-7 pm at Evergreen Youth Centre. PLEASE use this program!

Something NEW at Evergreen Youth Centre!



Starting with the PD day on May 6 with a Cinco De Mayo celebration, we're planning special activities and outings for days when there is no school (based on the public school calendar).

We will open from 1—5 p.m. We plan to take a small group to another community playground for a change of scenery. May 6th we'll go to Rundle Park for some Mexican FUN. Space limited to the first 12 kids who return the forms to the Youth Centre by May 4th.

Next up in the out of school pilot will be Teacher's days in Lieu May 19th and 20th. Planning is underway for those 2 days and ideas are welcome for activities or outings.

May 2016

...at Evergreen Youth Centre

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1 Adult karate 1pm Kobudo 2 pm Youth karate 3pm	2 Moon Phases & Library Fun 3:30–6 pm POP UP Library 6-7 pm	3 Way Cool Cooking School 3:30–6 pm Youth Karate 7:30 pm	4 Weaving Constellations & Boy Zone 3:30-6 pm	5 No Program	6 Cinco De Mayo 1–5 pm	7 Gentlemen of Evergreen 3-8 pm
8 Adult karate 1pm Kobudo 2 pm Youth karate 3pm	9 SPUD & Library Fun 3:30–6 pm POP UP Library 6-7 pm	10 Way Cool Cooking School 3:30–6 pm Youth Karate 7:30 pm	11 DIY Invention & Boy Zone 3:30-6 pm	12 Board Games & Lego 2:30–6 pm	13 No Program	14 Gentlemen of Evergreen 3-8 pm
15 Adult karate 1pm Kobudo 2 pm Youth karate 3pm	16 British Bulldog & Library Fun 3:30–6 pm POP UP Library 6-7 pm	17 Way Cool Cooking School 3:30–6 pm Youth Karate 7:30 pm	18 Pinecone Painting & Boy Zone 3:30-6 pm	19 Teacher's Day in Lieu 1 -5 pm	20 Teacher's Day in Lieu 1 -5 pm	21 No Program
22 No Program	23 Victoria Day No Program	24 Way Cool Cooking School 3:30–6 pm Youth Karate 7:30 pm	25 Nutritional Collage & Boy Zone 3:30-6 pm	26 Board Games & Lego 2:30–6 pm	27 No Program	28 Spring Fling Gentlemen of Evergreen 3-8 pm
29 Adult karate 1pm Kobudo 2 pm Youth karate 3pm	30 Building Tower & Library Fun 3:30–6 pm POP UP Library 6-7 pm	31 Way Cool Cooking School 3:30–6 pm Youth Karate 7:30 pm	All programs subject to change. Call 780-413-8248 for updates or watch our facebook page.			

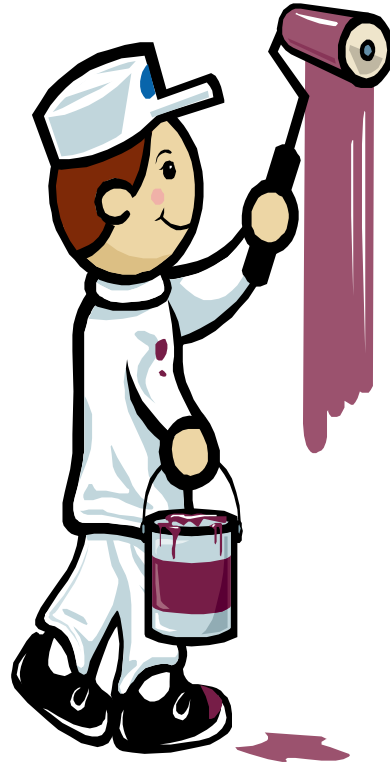
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WE NEED YOU!!!

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Next EECA Bingo Day
Sunday May 1, 2016 - AFT - Kensington
Tuesday May 10, 2016 - AFT/EVE - Fort Road
Sunday May 22, 2016 - AFT - Kensington







Next TAFEY Bingo Day
Sunday May 3, 2016 - AFT/EVE - Fort Road

If your children participate in programs or events at the Youth Centre, Al needs YOU!! Call 780-413-8248 to volunteer to help. Consider volunteering to help with this or in any other capacity. No contribution is too small or goes unnoticed!!!



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May 2016

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1 Board Meeting 7 pm	2	3 Early Learning Program 10am	4 Seniors Meeting 7pm Bingo follows	5 Early Learning Program 10am EECA Crib 7 pm	6 	7 Member Free Swim Clareview Rec Ctr. 6-8
8 	9	10 Early Learning Program 10am	11 Seniors Bingo 7pm	12 Early Learning Program 10am EECA Crib 7 pm	13 	14 Seniors Breakfast Member Free Swim Clareview Rec Ctr. 6-8
15 	16 Garden Club 6:30pm	17 Early Learning Program 10am	18 Seniors Bingo 7pm	19 Early Learning Program 10am EECA Crib 7 pm	20 	21 Seniors Cleanup Member Free Swim Clareview Rec Ctr. 6-8
22	23	24 Early Learning Program 10am	25 Seniors Crib 7pm	26 Early Learning Program 10am EECA Crib 7 pm	27 	28 Spring Fling Member Free Swim Clareview Rec Ctr. 6-8
29	30 AGM AGM AGM AGM 7pm in the hall					

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!