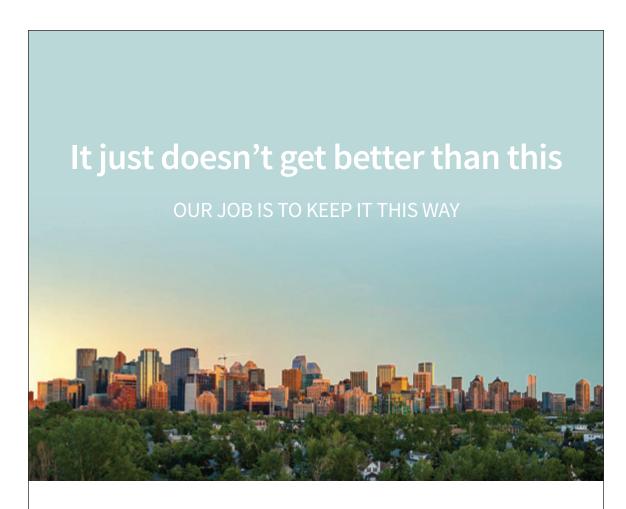
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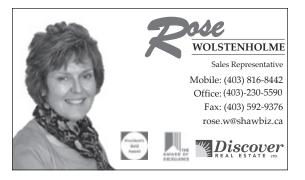
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Kelli Wreford, Editor

February is here - the last full month of winter! We have some community groups that are optimistically looking forward to spring. Registration for Brentwood Outdoor Soccer opens February first and runs until the 29. Register early for a wider choice of volunteer shifts. The Brentwood Community Garden Group is gearing up for spring as well. Anyone interested in a plot in the garden should contact the Garden Bed Coordinator by February 22. The annual Seedy Saturday event is coming up in March, so all gardeners can mark their calendars. Details about all these programs can be found in this edition of the Bugle.

Speaking of gardening, the City of Calgary is bringing the ReTree program to Brentwood. This is a free program which will be run over three days beginning in March. The program was initiated to help communities recover from the tree loss following the snow storm in September, 2014. Registration for this program opens on the BCA website on February first. Details are inside.

We need you, neighbours; the BCA has two volunteer positions available. The first is Secretary to the Board of Directors. The secretary takes minutes at the monthly BCA meetings held the last Tuesday of the month except for July and December. The second is Community Cleanup Coordinator. The cleanup will be scheduled for a weekend in June and the coordinator will have plenty of community and City support. More details on these positions can be found inside.

There are plenty of community activities to enjoy while waiting for spring to arrive. Public skating continues until the end of March. Playgroup, Seniors' Teas, 55 Plus Bridge and Seniors' Scrabble are very active and welcome new members; check the articles inside for details.

Lastly, Happy Valentine's Day and Family Day everyone. To all those with children in school, have a pleasant break in the middle of the month.



Your donations have helped us knit well over 500 sets of hats, mitts and scarves, as well as a variety of other items for young children in need. The group has donated to various causes including multiple schools throughout Calgary and Ronald McDonald House.

If you have any yarn, wool or knitting/crochet needles you would like to donate, please contact Erika, the Community Development Officer, at 403-452-5575. Thank you, Brentwood!



Join us on February 23 for Bingo

Join youth volunteers and community members to spend an evening of fun and Bingo with the residents of Carroll Place.

Tuesday, February 23 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm **Carroll Place Lounge**

Additional Info:

- \$0.25/card/game. Bring your Quarters!
- Winner takes home the pot!
- We will play 10-11 games. Everyone has a chance to win!

Come out and join us for a great time! **Evervone is welcome!**

Brentwood

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Saturdays 11:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. until March 26, 2016. Cost \$1.00 per person; please pay at the office on Mondays and at the concession on Saturdays.

Public skating only – no sticks, pucks, sleds or strollers. We do not supply skating assistance equipment. Anyone under age 18 must wear a helmet.

Scrabble Group: Call 403-284-3477 for more information.

55 Plus Bridge Group:

The Bridge Group meets every Wednesday at 1 p.m. upstairs in the Banquet Room of the Sportsplex. All players are welcome! Contact Roman at 403-289-6244.

Brentwood Community Association Board Meeting:

The next regular meeting will be Tuesday, February 23, 2016 at 7:15 p.m. in the upstairs Boardroom at the Sportsplex. All community members are welcome, but are asked to submit agenda items in advance if they have items for discussion at the meeting by contacting Linda Van Holst at 403-284-3477 or brntwdca@ telus.net.

BCA Hall Rentals:

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The Banquet Hall and Boardroom at the Brentwood Sportsplex are available for rental by the public. Please refer to the BCA website for details www. brentwoodcommunity.com and go to the Facilities page. Current BCA members get a 15% discount on hall rentals.

Bugle Deadline for the April 2016 Bugle community articles and notices is February 24, 2016 and the deadline for the May 2016 Bugle is March 26, 2016.

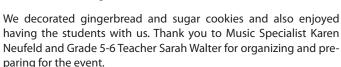


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BCA Seniors' Tea News

By Dorothy Haeberle

Our December 17, 2015 Seniors' Tea was very busy with 46 music students from Captain John Palliser Elementary School entertaining us. They sang "The Night Before Christmas" arranged by Ruth Artman and "Solfege Santa" by C. Miller. The Hand Bell Choirs performed "We Three Kings", "The Huron Carol", "Angels We Have Heard on High" as well as a movement from the "Surprise Symphony" by Haydn and the "Fifth Symphony" by Beethoven. Students worked on these pieces for the past two months during lunch hour rehearsals. They were honoured to be able to perform for us at the Christmas Tea as we were delighted with their music.



We would also like to thank all the volunteers who helped make the 2015 Seniors' Teas so successful and the Brentwood Community Association for making them possible.

Our next tea is February 25, 2016. We plan to make permanent name tags for everyone so it will be a crafty affair!













Dick Ridley 403-918-0447



The playground committee from Dr. E.W. Coffin School is working to rejuvenate the existing playground. This project will involve resurfacing the current playground and adding a few new structures to enhance play. For more information or to join the committee please email Larysa at larysahenry@yahoo.com.

Did you know that there is a Facebook group and a Twitter account dedicated to bringing together our community? Use the Twitter profile at BrentwoodYYC to get connected.

The "Brentwood Community" group on Facebook has been replaced by a new page. Check out www. facebook.com/groups/brentwoodcommunity.

In this format people are invited to follow all things in Brentwood.

Would you like to add to the Brentwood Bugle's Bulletin Board? Contact the Editor Kelli at bcabugle@ telus.net.

Brentwood News **Community Mural Vandalism**

By Lee Hunt

Sadly, our mural at the corner of Charleswood and Northmount Drives was badly damaged by vandals in late December 2015.

Many Bugle readers will recall that this mural was designed in 2005 by a Brentwood teen and that design in turn was transformed into reality by 42 local young people between the ages of 8 and 19. Many local residents and businesses plus the Brentwood Community Association, the City of Calgary, The Calgary Foundation, the Federation of Calgary Communities, Grassroots Calgary, and Urban Youth Worx contributed money, time, and food, to help create the mural.

Should you have any information regarding this vandalism, please contact Constable Dave Ladic (Deputy Graffiti Coordinator) at 403-428-8324 or call Crime Stoppers at 1-800-222-8477.



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When the snowflakes start flying, the City and Calgarians come together to make the season safe, productive and enjoyable for all.

The City's Roads department works hard to plow, salt and sand roadways on a seven day priority schedule. The Parks department quickly clears designated multi-use pathways within 24 hours. Teams often work overnight to keep the greatest number of Calgarians moving safely. Keeping our roads safe for everyone is also a joint effort between the City and Calgarians. When it snows, make sure to give yourself more time to reach your destination, and leave a greater distance between yourself and the vehicle ahead of you. Please also be extra mindful of people walking and cycling, who may struggle more in difficult conditions. Calgary.ca/snow is the one-stop shop for winter travel tips, the road conditions map, frequently asked questions, updates, and more.

Sidewalks are the responsibilities of adjacent property owners and must be cleared within 24 hours. Unfortunately, not everyone is able to clear her or his sidewalk. Keeping sidewalks clear of snow and ice can be challenging or impossible for seniors and others with limited mobility. Please consider becoming a Snow Angel and helping those who are less able. All you need to do is adopt someone's sidewalk and clear it as you would your own. Watch for neighbours who could use help removing snow and lend them a hand. Visit Calgary.ca/snowangels for more information.

If you have questions on snow clearing, need to report sidewalks, pathways, or roads that are not cleared, or want to recognise the work of a Snow Angel, please call 3-1-1.

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by Anne Burke News from the Friends of Nose Hill

We can preserve nature and foster biodiversity for future generations, by staying on designated pathways and trails in our parks, in addition to respecting wildlife habitat and their migration patterns. The long-range plans are to monitor and manage invasive species (weeds); reduce habitat fragmentation; and link important habitat areas in the city and region.

The city-wide Biodversity committee has met and a website with agenda and minutes is in the works. In the meantime, digital versions of the 10-year strategic plan can be found on the City's biodiversity page at: www.calgary.ca/biodiversity.

Many of Calgary's existing open space sites, such as Nose Hill, Union Cemetery, Reader Rock Garden, Riley Park, Fort Calgary, and Inglewood Bird Sanctuary are in the category of Cultural landscapes. A major challenge is determining which method is most appropriate for the resource, with a view toward protection, preservation or conservation, and restoration.

Cultural resource projects may include some or all of the following:

- Protection: measures needed to guard against further damage or deterioration;
- Preservation: ongoing maintenance activities that preserve the historic appearance or features of the land-
- Restoration: the removal of later additions and the re-creation of missing elements

Of the 800 kms of city-wide pathways, City Council approved snow clearing for up to 350 kms. Generally, City Parks crews are to clear snow on pathways within 24 hours and on sidewalks adjacent to parks within 72 hours. Re: concerns about pathways in natural parks not being cleared, some trails/pathways are best used only in nonwinter months. Due to the steepness of the slope or site conditions, there may be safety concerns for potential

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Softball **West Valley Softball 2016**

www.westvallevsoftball.com

Registration begins January 1st for players who live in Northwest Calgary communities including Brentwood. KidSport and Jumpstart funding are happily accepted.

Age group	Birth year	Game days	Price
U10	2007/2006	T/Th	\$200
U12	2005/2004	M/W	\$240
U14	2003/2002	T/Th	\$265
U16	2001/2000	M/W	\$265
U16A	2001/2000	W	\$370
U19	1999/98/97	T/TH	\$265
LTP Group 1	2011/2010	M/W	\$115
Group 2	2010/2009	T/Th	\$115
Group3	2009/2008	M/W	\$115

1-2 practices per week as well as in-fielding and hitting.

Photos: TBA at Silver Springs

Season	Game length	game start time
U10 April 25/26 – June (end)	1hr 30min	6:45pm
U12 April 25/26 – June (end)	1hr 30min	6:45pm
U14 April 25/26 – July city finals	1hr 30min	6:45pm
U16 April 25/26 – July city finals	1hr 45 mins	6:45pm
U16A/B April – July city finals	3hr double header	r 6:30pm
U19 April 25/26 – July city finals	1hr 45 mins	6:45pm
LTP April 20/21 – June (end)		

The Friends of Nose Hill cont'd

pathway users and crews.

Environmentally Significant Areas (ESAs) are land with conservation value.

This applies to the river valley system, the urban forest, and natural environment parks. The land includes escarpments, natural grasslands, woodlots, and native pasture but also pertains to wetlands, natural bodies of water, and riparian corridors (along the river margins and banks).

There is an update on Open Space policy for recreational and environmental park spaces. Stakeholder consultation meetings with City Parks staff and industry began in February 2015. A final draft form of impact assessment for ESAs was debated by Council in early 2016. Planning and mapping guidelines are expected and a work program completed by March 2016.

BCA Volunteers

Bv Alicia Clifford

Another soccer season is just around the corner

Soccer registration is set to open on February first. Each child registered requires a parent or quardian to complete one volunteer shift/role to a maximum of three shifts. Currently, we have a number of shifts available for February and March 2016. The sooner you register the better the choice in shifts.

As a Community Association we rely heavily on volunteers to help us offset the cost of programs.

We often find ourselves having to hire out shifts during the months of February and March. This takes money away from the Community Association as a whole. Please consider registering early so we can minimize the financial impact on the BCA.

BCA Volunteer Positions Available

Sherri Dupas is stepping down from her long-time volunteer position of Secretary to the Board of Directors in June, 2016. If you are interested in this volunteer position, please email Linda at the BCA Office: brntwdca@telus. net. The Secretary's duty is taking minutes at the monthly Board meetings and at the AGM. The meetings are held the last Tuesday of the month at 7:15 and are approximately 2 hours long. There is no meeting in July or December.

Each year the Brentwood Community Association partners with the City of Calgary to host a Community Cleanup. The organized Community Cleanup events save residents a trip to the landfill for items that do not fit in their waste or recycling carts or for residents who do not have cart service. The Community Cleanup service is free of charge to all Calgarians.

The City of Calgary supplies three packer trucks with crews (two for waste and one for organic materials) and funds for advertising and promotion, gloves, garbage bags, food and refreshments for the group of community volunteers.

This year the Cleanup will be coming to Brentwood in June. The BCA is in need of a volunteer to fill the role of coordinator on the day of the event. The date will be booked and there will be help for the set up. If you are interested in helping with the Cleanup, please email Linda at the BCA Office: brntwdca@telus.net.



By Cynthia Sim,

Coordinator for Brentwood Community Garden Group

Winter is still with us, but as the daylight hours increase, there is a definite promise of spring – albeit we may yet receive a snowy blast, probably in May. However, gardeners are a hardy bunch and are rarely deterred by the vagaries of weather in Calgary.

February and March are busy times for planning which plants and seeds to try this season. The seed catalogues are out and those with indoor growing space are probably well launched by now. The choices are abundant with vegetables predominating, but with flowers also adding a welcome touch of colour, especially later in the season. The experienced gardeners in our group are a marvellous resource for those of us who are still relative newcomers in this area. They are patient and generous with their time and their advice; without them, the garden would never have flourished.

Every year, a Saturday in March is set aside as Seedy Saturday. This spring's event will be held on March 19, 2016, at Hillhurst Sunnyside Community Association, 1320-5-Avenue NW. This is part of a worldwide event celebrating open-pollinated seeds and is an attempt to keep "the skill of growing from seed to seed" viable in





the Calgary region. For further information, visit their website at seedysaturdaycalgary.shawwebspace.ca or on Facebook at calgaryseedysaturday.

For those interested in joining us, garden bed rentals for new members will be available on February 23, 2016. The contact person for the bed rentals is our membership coordinator, Cheryl Moller at cm.checky@gmail.com. For returning Brentwood Community Garden members who have not yet renewed their beds for the upcoming season, renewal begins on February 1. Beds not assigned by February 22 will be available for new gardeners.





Brentwood Elementary

By Devina Sharma, Brentwood School Council Secretary Valentine greetings from Brentwood School! We look forward to another fun-filled month of learning and growing at our school. Our Grade 2 classes will be going on a field trip to Fort Calgary this month and there will also be an in-school performance of "The Steadfast Soldier" by Alberta Opera on February 24.

This year our school-wide Character Education has focused on answering the question, "What does it mean to be independent?". The activities in the beginning of the year focused on personal independence, helping students recognize the everyday problems that they are able to solve on their own. With our participation in the annual Mayor's Food Drive in December, students began working towards understanding how they, as individuals, can make a difference in other people's lives. In the coming months we will be continuing to focus on the link between independence and service.

We will be holding our annual School Carnival on Friday, February 19 from 6:30 pm-9:00 pm. This is always a big hit with the students and families of Brentwood School for an evening of fun and revelry! As always, we will encourage our parents to park around the perimeter of the school and field area to limit the inundation of vehicles being parked within the neighbourhood.

Brentwood School will be closed for Teacher's Convention on February 11, and 12, as well as on the February 15, for Family Day.



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Outdoor Soccer

Bv Kristina Hansen

2016 Soccer Registration

Brentwood Outdoor Soccer Registration is from February 1 to 29 for all age groups (U4, birth year 2012; to U16/18, birth year 1998). Please go online at www.brentwoodcommunity.com/ programregistration.html to register.

The 2016 soccer season will begin the week of April 18 and run until the end of June, with evaluations tentatively taking place on April 12 for select age groups and team selections occurring on April 14. Please check out the website for details: www. brentwoodcommunity.com/soccer.html.

Support your community and Brentwood soccer by signing up for head coach/assistant coach positions and other volunteer roles when you register your child online. Coaching clinics will be offered prior to the start of the season.

Your support is needed in order to ensure we continue to provide this program to our kids! Please contact Lindsey Rostoker at linz.rostoker@gmail. com for further information regarding U4-U8 or Kristina Hansen at hansen.kk@gmail.com for further information regarding U10 and up.







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Brentwood Real Estate Update

Last 12 Months Brentwood MLS Real Estate Sale Price Update

	Average Asking Price	Average Sold Price
December 2015	\$486,800	\$475,000
November 2015	\$666,600	\$646,333
October 2015	\$549,785	\$530,071
September 2015	\$542,450	\$530,250
August 2015	\$607,983	\$594,583
July 2015	\$504,540	\$504,400
June 2015	\$552,150	\$539,750
May 2015	\$584,762	\$581,725
April 2015	\$590,527	\$573,536
March 2015	\$609,600	\$596,333
February 2015	\$572,457	\$558,142
January 2015	\$594,950	\$586,250

Last 12 Months Brentwood MLS Real Estate Number of Listings Update

	No. New Properties	No. Properties Sold
December 2015	4	1
November 2015	7	3
October 2015	4	7
September 2015	10	4
August 2015	9	6
July 2015	6	5
June 2015	7	6
May 2015	11	8
April 2015	10	11
March 2015	10	3
February 2015	5	7
January 2015	6	4
Total	89	65

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Friends.

January provided our office with the opportunity to further connect with our constituents. Our office was closed at the end of December and part of the first week of January, so that our staff could enjoy the holiday season with friends and family, and we hope you had the opportunity to do the same.

Throughout January, we were able to engage more closely with some of our community associations within the Varsity constituency. We had the opportunity to meet with members of the Dalhousie Community Association and the Brentwood Community Association. Over the next few years I look forward to every opportunity to engage more fully and frequently with our Community Associations, as they are the heart of community building and organization. We also had the opportunity to attend the University Heights Annual General Meeting. We find our Community Association AGMs very informative, as our office continues to build our knowledge of local community programming and services.

As we head into February we are all getting prepared to brave some of the coldest days of the year. This time of year can bring out the "blahs" in many folks, as we long for Alberta's sunny summer months. If any of you find yourself in need of a little extra support for your well being at this time of year I encourage you to reach out. Calgary has many fantastic resources such as the Distress Centre. As always, our office is happy to connect you with a variety of community resources, and can point you to free services and events to help you beat the winter "blahs".

As you may know, I will be welcoming a new member to my family as my husband and I expect our first son at the beginning of February. I want to take this opportunity to assure my constituents that my office and I will continue to serve the community throughout February and thereafter. I am looking forward to introducing each of you to my son when he arrives!

Stephanie McLean, J.D., M.L.A.

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SUNSET CHICKADEES: Brentwood home built artificial tree snag "bird house" for sale \$45. The house is designed to resemble standing decomposing dead wood. Attracts nesting Chickadees and Nuthatches. Add an internal infrared camera to watch the babies grow. Installation available, www.sunsetchickadees. com, YouTube channel "Sunset Chickadees" seasonal only phone Norman 403-797-2468.



Community Program

The ReTree Community **Program is coming to your** neighbourhood

Building strong and resilient communities together!

This new initiative is targeting 25 communities over the next three years. The choice of communities was based on factors such as fall 2014 storm damage, open canopy space and community interest. Trees will be planted on City owned property such as boulevards.

Free education programs will be provided for each host community. The dates for the BCA program are below. If you have questions about the ReTree Community Program, please contact 311 or visit Calgary.ca/trees.

ALL RETREE PROGRAMS ARE FREE! PROGRAM REGISTRATION OPENS FEBRUARY 1, 2016

Pruning and Planting 101

March 22, 2016 7:00 pm, upstairs at the Brentwood Sportsplex (1520B Northmount Dr NW).

Demonstration plus Q&A with a certified City of Calgary Urban Forestry Technician. Learn about tree planting and pruning. This is a beginner to intermediate course. Participants will receive a take away with extra information and a surprise treat! Age Group: 18 and older.

To register go to the Program Registration page at www. brentwoodcommunity.com.

The Under Story

April 16, 2016, 9:00 am, upstairs at the Brentwood Sportsplex (1520B Northmount Dr NW).

Are you finding it difficult to grow anything under that tree in your back yard? Learn fun and successful ways to incorporate under story growth and/or other landscape techniques to rekindle your relationship with your mature tree. Age Group: 18 and older.



Nose Hill Library 1530 Northmount Drive NW Hours:

Monday - Thursday 10:00 a.m.-9:00 p.m. Friday and Saturday 10:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m. Sundays 12:00 p.m.-5:00 p.m. (mid-September to mid-May)

Book Truck

Calgary Public Library is adding two brand new mobile libraries to its list of 18 community libraries. The Book Trucks will make stops in communities throughout Calgary, starting January 2016. Each Book Truck will feature 1,800 books and movies for children, teens, and adults. All you need is a FREE Calgary Public Library card (you can even sign up for one on The Book Truck)! To view The Book Truck schedule, visit www.calgarylibrary.ca/booktruck.

To register go to the Program Registration page at www. brentwoodcommunity.com.

Stretch Your Roots Walk

May 28, 2016, 9:00 am, commencing at the Brentwood Sportsplex (1520B Northmount Dr NW).

This tour consists of three parts that intertwine throughout the walk. The tree ID and facts portion of the walk is where you learn how to identify native and non-native trees along with learning interesting facts about their biology and life cycles. Learn about Calgary's tree history and their benefits in Calgary's urban forest. The walk is fun and interactive along the way with tree bingo for the little munchkins, and a tree hugging exercise that gives you the opportunity to experience trees using all your senses. Age Group: all ages (children must be accompanied by an adult). The walk will be about 1.5 hours.

To register go to the Program Registration page at www. brentwoodcommunity.com.



Name	Age	Contact	Course
Alexandra	33	587-432-7977	Yes
Amber	30	587-438-4789	Yes
Amy	19	403-969-6057	Yes
Andrea	30	587-437-2048	Yes
Andrea	23	403-465-0933	No
Angela	14	403-288-3410	Yes
Angelica	15	587-223-0215	Yes
Ariel	17	587-968-3526	No
Blaise	24	587-223-8583	Yes
Brooklyn	15	403-990-6176	Yes
Camila	27	403-680-0942	No
Carol	21	403-472-9002	Yes
Cecilia	17	587-223-1330	Yes
Chantelle	27	403-354-7370	Yes
Chantelle	33	403-510-7474	Yes
Dayelle	32	587-755-1878	No
Duncan	18	403-500-9826	Yes
Elise	19	403-993-6152	Yes
Emily	14	587-581-3684	Yes
Eugene	18	403-703-4488	Yes
Eunice	18	403-801-0453	Yes
Faris	14	403-402-0950	Yes
Genevieve	25	581-307-6165	Yes
Grace	15	403-282-8823	Yes
Hanna	12	587-580-5733	Yes
Heather	29	403-966-5233	Yes
Iffat Noreen	57	587-353-9949	Yes
Jakarta	18	403-808-8503	No
Janessa	14	587-830-6585	Yes
Jessica	20	587-580-5696	No
Jordan	25	403-969-0165	No
Jordan	25	403-966-1647	No
Josefa	25	587-437-1252	Yes
Kaiya	12	403-805-1446	Yes
Kelly	32	403-992-6361	No
Kiera	13	403-922-6067	Yes
Kiona	15	403-248-4588	Yes
Lindsay	29	403-383-1474	No

Maddy 18 5		587-888-7298	Yes
Maddy	18	587-888-7298	Yes
Madison	13	403-850-6001	Yes
Maggie	21	403-605-8598	Yes
Maia	21	403-804-7834	Yes
Makenzie	18	403-796-7733	Yes
Maria	45	403-818-0560	No
Maxine	13	403-455-8427	Yes
Megan	14	403-265-5166	Yes
Megan	24	403-861-3718	Yes
Michael	13	403-801-2848	No
Miriam	14	403-774-8880	No
Nicole	15	403-279-2765	Yes
Nicole	20	403-808-9215	Yes
Olivia	12	403-289-2232	Yes
Paméla	21	819-531-2543	No
Rachel	19	403-862-3026	Yes
Robyn	15	403-651-8085	No
Rowena	41	587-894-0713	Yes
Ruby	17	403-289-3232	No
Saima (Sam)	33	403-798-6690	Yes
Sandy	16	403-617-1516	Yes
Sarah	15	587-223-3339	Yes
Sarah	14	403-208-4525	Yes
Shy-Lynn	15	587-899-2766	Yes
Sihana (See-Ana)	14	403-228-5339	Yes
Siobhan	22	403-923-9499	No
Sydney	24	403-993-5441	Yes
Tamara	25	403-689-8140	Yes
Tamara	18	403-978-2776	Yes
Taryn	19	403-999-1777	Yes
Teaghan	18	403-560-0238	No
Todd	44	403-585-8463	Yes
Tory	21	403-971-1061	Yes
Zoe	13	403-272-7841	Yes

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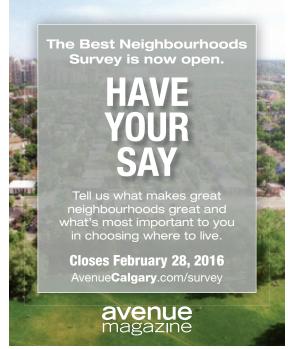
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