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 Three classes weekly (Mon, Wed, and Fri) 9:00-11:30 am
 \$160.00 per month.
 Two classes weekly (Tue. & Thurs) AM \$ 135.00

Class times

- Morning hours 9: 00-11:30

Your child must be at least 3 years old age to enter and be fully toilet trained.

Subsidy is available through the Government of Alberta.

Huntington Hills Community Adventures in Learn Preschool

520 – 78th Avenue NW
 Calgary, Alberta T2K 0S2
 403-275-6666 ext 231 or 234 | 403-512-5732

Curling Club

Registration for next season will start August 1 and again will be on line. Leagues will begin curling late September and there will be Adult Learn to Curl clinics in mid-September and will be offered again in October. Please refer to the Huntington Hills Curling Club website for details or contact Barb in the curling office.

Have a great Summer and we look forward to seeing you in the fall!

Cheers

Barb Dickson, Curling Manager/Instructor

Ready Calgary Community Initiative for Huntington Hills Community Members

As part of the coordinated effort throughout many communities in the City of Calgary, the HHCA has joined in a partnership with CEMA's Ready Calgary to help community members and their households be best prepared should unexpected events arise, such as, fires, floods, as well as other natural and human-made disasters.

Community members can sign up for the fall workshop now, by contacting Stella Riesen, CEMA's Ready Calgary Support Team Coordinator, at: s.constance@toxserv.com.

The Status of Emergency Preparedness in Calgary

Floods, snowstorms, fires, power outages, telecommunication failures — these are just some of the natural, technological and human-induced events that Calgary needs to be prepared for, according to the recent Status of Emergency Preparedness report from the Calgary Emergency Management Agency (CEMA)

A quarter of Albertans report having three or more 'precautionary' measures in place to support their own preparedness. "We've seen an increase of almost 10% in the number of families with 72-hour kits," says Tom Sampson, Chief of CEMA, noting the growth. "While this

is improving, there is still work to be done to ensure citizens understand the risks and take some responsibility for their own preparedness."

The best ways individuals and families can prepare:

Know the risks. Flooding is most common May-15 to July-15 but can occur at any time of year. Be informed about current conditions. When weather watches or warnings are in place, be prepared for severe weather such as flooding, lightning, tornadoes, or winter storms. For more information visit Alberta Emergency Alert (emergencyalert.alberta.ca)

Make a plan. Know how to reach your family members if you are not with them when an emergency or disaster strikes.

Get a kit. Ensure you have a 72-hour kit stocked and ready to go that contains supplies to support you and your family for the first 72 hours of an emergency or disaster.

Calgary.ca/cema provides great resources for individuals, families and businesses to learn what they can do to prepare.

Shinny Session 2 will begin October 11

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GOOD FOOD box

Our friends at Neighbour Link have had a well-deserved summer break. The Good Food Box program is now running again from September 2016- June 2017. Thanks to all the community volunteers who allow the Good Food Box program to operate.

Please note these fall order dates:
 Order deadline October 18, 2016 for the October 27, 2016 pick up
 Order deadline November 15, 2016 for the November 24, 2016 pick up.

For more information or to order a good food box, please call 403-275-6666 ext 221 or 232 or check our website for this and many other program updates at www.weconnectyou.ca



Parent Link Call for Volunteers:

The Family connections Parent Link program is looking for people interested in volunteering. Volunteers help staff; prepare snack, supervise child doing crafts, prepare crafts, clean and sterilize toys as well as the room itself, and provide childcare for adult only programs. Volunteers work closely with the staff and can work from an hour or two a week, to a few hours a week.

For more information please contact Vivian at 403-275-6666 ext. 242



403-275-6666 ext 229
 hhcurls@shaw.ca
www.huntingtonhillscurlingclub.com
 Barb Dickson – Curling Coordinator/Instructor

All of our leagues look forward to filling up with new and returning teams. Whether you are a seasoned curler or someone looking to try out the sport for the first time, we welcome all to HHCC and will help you find a team, take a lesson or sign up an entire foursome for one of the leagues. Great curling and see you on the ice!!

On Line Registration will begin August 8, 2016. Please remember to purchase your membership on line when registering.

Registration – September 6 – 2016 – 7:00pm Curling Lounge

Computers will be available to register on line and assistance will be provided.

LEAGUES – All curlers require a \$25 Community Membership to participate.

Adult Learn to Curl – Please call Barb for details at 403-275-6666 ext 229 or email hhcurls@shaw.ca

HUNTINGTON HILLS CURLING CLUB LEAGUES Curling Rocks!! Join Now!

Monday Night Ladies – 21 games - \$315.00 *plus membership
 Alternating Draw Times – 6:30pm & 9:00pm

Thursday Morning Ladies – 21 games - \$205.00 * plus membership
 9:00am Draw Time

Tuesday or Thursday Men – 21 games - \$320.00 *plus membership
 Alternating Draw Times – 6:30pm & 9:00pm

Wednesday Mixed – 21 games - \$300.00 *plus membership – 2 ladies/2men per team
 Alternating Draw Times – 16 team league – 6:30pm and 9:00pm

Friday Night Mixed – 19 games -\$295.00 *plus membership-2 ladies/2 men per team
 6:30pm Only Draw Time – 16 Team League

Friday Night Open Late – 19 games - \$280.00 *plus membership – any combination of females/males on a team
 9:00 Only Draw Time – 16 Team League

Saturday Open - 17 games - \$255.00 *plus membership – any combination of females/males on a team
 7:00pm Only Draw Time – 16 Team League

Junior Curling
 Saturday Mornings – 10:00am to 11:30am – ages 10 – 18
 \$125.00 *plus membership \$25.00 required

Little Rocks #1
 Saturday Afternoon – 12:30 – 1:30pm
 *This is for new little rockers – ages 5 - 9
 \$75.00 – 6 weeks - *plus community membership - \$25.00 required

Little Rocks #2
 Saturday Afternoon – 2:00pm – 3:00pm
 MUST HAVE TAKEN LITTLE ROCKS #1 TO REGISTER
 Ages 5 – 9 - \$75.00 – 6 weeks *plus community membership \$25 required.

BONSPIELS – 2016-2017
 Ladies Bonspiel – November 4, 5, 6 – 2016
 Mixed Bonspiel – December 3, 4 - 2016
 Junior Noel Bonspiel – December 10 -2016
 Men's Bonspiel – January 5, 6, 7, 8 – 2017
 CURLING ROCKS!

Meets at the Triwood Community Hall on the second and fourth Tuesday of each month.
 Serving Northwest Calgary, open to all men and women of legal age.
For more info call: John Wilson 403-932-6043

HUNTINGTON PIONEERS ASSOCIATION



A club for adults 50 years and older, retired or semi-retired.

Located in the lower level of the Huntington Hills Community Association
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 www.huntingtonpioneers.com
 E-Mail: pioneers50@telus.net
 The Huntington Pioneers Association is a group of people participating in a variety of activities.

- Some of the activities include:** Bridge, snooker, whist, shuffle boarding, art classes, craft classes, outings, movies, volunteer activities, social events and more!
- We have regular monthly activities and we invite anyone meeting our membership requirements to join us:
- Pot luck supper:** last Monday of each month, starts at 5:30pm
 - Movie Night:** 3rd Friday of every month 7pm, Silver collection for popcorn and pop.
 - Art classes:** Every Tuesday 1:00pm-3:00pm, includes: oil painting, water color, acrylics and sketching.
 - Games Night:** every Tuesday from 6pm – 9pm.
 - Soup and Bun Day:** The 2nd Thursday of every month, starting at 12pm. Cost set by Board.
- Club Cost and hours:
 \$33 for membership
 Tuesdays and Thursdays from 10am – 4pm
- Call 403-275-4294 for more information; registration and costs, program start times, and more.



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Huntington Hills mybabysitterlist



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Benjamin	14	587-284-6324	Yes
Emily	15	587-581-3684	Yes
Brooklyn	16	403-990-6176	Yes
Rachelle	18	403-971-8870	Yes
Paige	23	780-305-1381	No
Emilie	27	403-923-3816	No
Nicole	27	587-876-9600	Yes
Shawna	29	403-968-5764	Yes
Tammy	30	587-968-1638	Yes
Andrea	31	587-437-2048	Yes
Dayelle	32	587-755-1878	No
Anna	33	403-607-7464	Yes
Teresa	43	403-478-3749	Yes

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Calling All PARENTS Visit mybabysitter.ca and find available babysitters in and around your community.

Disclaimer: We recommend for your own peace of mind that references be checked when choosing your babysitter. This babysitter list is provided as a service to the community and is governed by the terms & conditions outlined at mybabysitter.ca.



Public Skating

Public skating will begin on September 6th.

- Mondays – 2:00 – 3:30pm
- Wednesdays – 2:00 – 3:30pm
- Fridays – 1:15 – 2:15pm



Huntington Hills Real Estate Update

Last 12 Months Huntington Hills
 MLS Real Estate Sale Price Stats

	Average Asking Price	Average Sold Price
August 2016	\$434,900.00	\$426,000.00
July 2016	\$449,900.00	\$435,000.00
June 2016	\$399,900.00	\$382,750.00
May 2016	\$348,750.00	\$338,500.00
April 2016	\$409,900.00	\$400,000.00
March 2016	\$444,900.00	\$426,500.00
February 2016	\$459,300.00	\$455,500.00
January 2016	\$439,900.00	\$445,000.00
December 2015	\$339,900.00	\$324,000.00
November 2015	\$374,950.00	\$359,500.00
October 2015	\$439,850.00	\$436,500.00
September 2015	\$425,000.00	\$423,000.00

Last 12 Months Huntington Hills
 MLS Real Estate Number of Listings Stats

	No. New Properties	No. Properties Sold
August 2016	12	9
July 2016	11	9
June 2016	5	8
May 2016	15	6
April 2016	10	9
March 2016	7	8
February 2016	10	2
January 2016	3	1
December 2015	3	5
November 2015	5	6
October 2015	9	12
September 2015	9	9

To view the specific SOLD Listings that comprise the above MLS averages please visit huntington_hills.great-news.ca



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The North Central Family Support Program

The North Central Family Support Program is thrilled to announce our new partnership with BowWest Community Resource Centre. Outreach Advocates from BowWest will be at Huntington Hills office on Wednesdays and at the Northern Hills Community Offices in Vivo on Tuesday evenings to provide outreach, information and basic needs referrals for singles, seniors and families experiencing economic challenges. Please call 275-6668 extension 232 or 221 for more information or to book an appointment.

Upcoming Good Food Box dates:

- October 18 order deadline for the October 27 pick up.
- November 15 order deadline for the November 24 pick up.

We have a variety of recreation, education and connection events offered this fall for families in North Central and North West Calgary. Please check www.weconnectyou.ca for a current listing of fall programs.

This October, we are offering a Family Laughter Yoga Class on Sunday afternoons. Laughter Yoga is a simple yet powerful form of exercise. It combines yoga-based deep breathing, gentle stretching, simulated laughter exercises and playful games and activities. Using no jokes or comedy, a class involves movement and breathing exercises designed to stimulate laughter and cultivate an inner spirit of joy. Interested families will need to register for this free three week program and all ages are welcome.

Please call 275-6668 ext 232 or 221 for more information regarding Laughter Yoga or any of the other programs and services.

IN & AROUND SCHOOLS

Greetings from Dr. J. K. Mulloy School

The new school year has opened with a flurry of activity enhanced by the beautiful blooms in the newly planted garden areas. Students were excited to see the results of their work growing and thriving! Plans for the new amphitheatre/outdoor classroom are well underway. The designers of the area, "ReGenerate," funded for us through Calgary Parks Foundation, will be presenting detailed plans to the school community on November 15 at 6:30 pm. We would also welcome any Huntington Hills community members to that meeting also – this will be a great place for public use outside school hours and we are hoping that many of you will find it great for picnic use or even performance space for any amateur dramatic groups. We are counting on all members of the community to help us keep it a welcoming and valued space.

BRAIN GAMES SUDOKU

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Family Connections Parent Link Centre

The Parent Link Centre is open from 9-5PM Monday-Friday & Thursday we are open 9- 7:30PM and We offer free programs for parents with children 0-6. For more information on hours and programs please stop by & visit us to pick up a calendar or call Tracey at 403-275-6666 ext 276.

PARENT LINK STAFF

Cassandra: Manager ext 274

Tracey: Administrative Assistant - ext 276

Sue: Parent Coach - ext 235

Paula: Child Development Facilitator – ext 237

Vivian: ESL Program Facilitator – ext 242

Michele: Program Facilitator – ext 241

All of the Parent Link Programs are free of charge!

The Family Connections Parent Link Centre will be closed Monday October 10, 2016, and will not have programs on Thursday October 20, 2016.

PROGRAMS

ESL Program coming soon, Contact Vivian at 403-275-6666 ext. 242 for more information.

Playtime Fun: Tuesday mornings, 10:00-11:30; Please Join us for this free, drop-in, playgroup for parents and children (Birth to 5). Children are able to move about in the room and pick from a variety play areas.

Kids' Corner: Tuesday afternoons, 1:30-3:00; Join us for this afternoon, relaxed, drop in group for parents and children free of charge (Birth – 5). Our afternoon program is a little quieter and is another option parents with children under 12 months come to.

Play & Songs: Wednesday mornings, 10:00-11:30; This is a playgroup for all ages with a variety of activities to explore in the Parent Link Room and ending with a short song time. Please sit with your child on the rug during this time. Toddlers are not expected to sit for songs and wandering will happen. Exposing your child to these song times is great for developing their attention span. There are no toys available during the song time.

Baby and Me (under 12 months): Thursday afternoons, 1:30-3:00; **Starts up Sept 22 at the Parent Link site at Huntington location 520-78 Ave NW.** Stop in



and join the fun playing with your baby and talking with other parents. Watch the calendar for special guests e.g. Library, AHS nutrition or Speech & Language speakers.

Come Play with Me (drop in program at Vivo): Thursday mornings, 10:00-11:30, **October 6-November 24**, 11950 Country Village Link NE, Calgary, AB T3K 6E3; Come join us for this, new, free drop in playgroup for parents and children (birth – 5), located outside the Panther physiotherapy site, on the East side of the building at Vivo. There is lots of parking available outside the East entrance, at the back of the building. The space is on the upper floor and can be reached by taking the stairs or the elevator. For information call 403-275-6666 ext. 276.

*This program is a partnership between Family Connections Parent Link Centre, Northern Hills Community Association and Vivo.

Just for Moms

Saturday, October 22, 2:00-4:00

Topic: Women's Health.

Join our staff and a group of other Mom's as we have a chat on different ways to live a happy and healthy life. We will offer childcare and a safe fun environment for conversation and activities. Call Cassandra for more information 403-275-6666 ext. 274. To register call Tracey at 403-275-6666 ext. 276 starting October 7.

Me and my Dad

Saturday, October 22, 10:00-11:30

"Let's Dress Up & Play"

Come join us our Dad's ONLY (and children) activity. Dad's and children 1 years (able to walk and run) and older will be able to participate in some pre-Halloween fun activities (in the Parent Link area) and meet other dads. Call Sue for more information at 403-275-6666 ext. 235. To register call Tracey at 403-275-6666 ext. 276 starting October 3.

SPECIAL EVENTS:

Fall Harvest

Saturday, October 15

10:00-11:30

Come join us for a fun morning of play, crafts, and songs



or stories. Families can dress in Fall colors (red, orange, yellow, browns) or simple costumes.

Watch for posters and the October calendar for more information.

This is a registered program with limited spaces.

To register call Tracey at 403-275-6666 ext. 276 starting September 15

Parenting Programs:

Triple P Discussion Workshop; Managing Fighting and Aggression (children 3-11 years): Monday, October 24, 6:30-8:30 Do you feel like your child can be aggressive and destructive and you would like to learn how to prevent problems, communicate, share and take turns and problem solve. Call Cassandra for more program information 403-275-6666 ext. 274 Please call Tracey to register starting September 26 403-275-6666 ext. 276.

Positive Parenting Program (Triple P Group) for children 3-11 years: Tuesday evenings, October 18-December 6, (8 weeks) 6:30-8:30 pm

Do you feel like you:

- often struggle with your child's behavior?
- could use more strategies to use in difficult situations?
- would like to share ideas with other parents?

Call Tracey at 403-275-6666 ext. 276 to register for the free workshop and childcare starting September 21. For more information about the program call Sue 403-275-6666 ext. 235.

News from the Friends of Nose Hill

by Anne Burke

This year is North Haven's 50th anniversary. One of the seniors interviewed for a video said he led the committee of surrounding communities that lobbied the city for park status. As a result, we were asked for any information about Nose Hill, when it became a park.

Nose Hill Park is a natural environment park that lies in the northwest part of Calgary and is surrounded by 12 residential communities. We are often asked about its history and documents are posted on our website at www.fonhs.org. Here is an excerpt:

In 1858, Captain Palliser noted that the Blackfoot referred to Nose Hill as their wintering hills because it was a winter grazing area for the buffalo herds, since the frequent winter Chinooks kept the grass clear of snow. The area around the hill was mostly used for dairy farms, while the plateau was grazed. The land has been subject to speculation since before World War I. "The Great Prairie Fire of 1944" put an end to habitation on Nose Hill. Its rich supply of gravel began to be exploited in 1961, when Calgary began to grow.

The Calgary Municipal Airport was constructed in the northeast corner of the city in the late 1950's. The run-

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Karen McPherson, MLA
Calgary-Mackay-Nosehill
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Saturdays, September 24th to November 12th
(no session October 8th)

10:30am to 1:30pm

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Parliament resumed in September and I have been in Ottawa working hard on behalf of our community. I would like to thank those of you who took the time to complete the survey on Electoral Reform and send me your thoughts on this important issue. I will continue to keep you informed on the Federal Government's plans on this important issue. I have continued my work as the Official Opposition Critic for Immigration, Refugees and Citizenship as we push the Federal Government for answers on the costs and implementation plans for their refugee program. The genocide of Yazidis in Syria and Iraq continues to be of great concern and as you know, I successfully pushed the government to study "Immigration Measures for the Protection of Vulnerable Groups" over the summer. I encourage you to visit my website for more information on the committee's findings and my response to the Federal Government. Finally, my primary focus of concern remains the economic situation here at home and the impact it is having on Albertans. I believe the Federal Government can be doing much more to encourage investment and support skilled workers. I will continue to speak out loudly on the economic crisis facing Alberta and demand action from this Government.

There are many important pieces of legislation that are being debated in the House of Commons and I appreciate your feedback and thoughts on issues important to you. If you are not already signed up to receive email updates from me I encourage you to do so. It is the best way for me to stay in regular contact with our community. You can sign up at www.michellerempel.ca/ subscribe. As always, you can contact my office at any time. Phone: (403) 216-7777, Email: michelle.rempel@parl.gc.ca, Website: www.michellerempel.ca.



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The fall session of the Alberta Legislature is starting at the end of this month and I am looking forward to being your voice in the legislature again this session.

Over the summer and early fall I have heard from constituents across the riding and attended some amazing community events. I really enjoy every opportunity to connect with you.

Earlier this fall, the Minister of Seniors and Housing, the Hon. Lori Sigurdson, visited Calgary Mackay Nose Hill for a tour and tea with residents of Holy Cross Manor in Evanston. Our seniors really enjoyed the chance to meet with the Minister.

In early September, I was very happy to join the NDP Caucus for this year's Pride Parade in downtown Calgary on Labour Day weekend. I've been an ally for many years and I'm very proud to be part of a government that values all people, including the LGBTQ+ community.

This fall both, Kenneth D. Taylor Elementary School and Our Lady of Grace School opened in Evanston. Kenneth D. Taylor School will be open first to grades K-3 and down the road to serve grades K-4. My office was pleased to be able to provide two provincial flags to the school and we are looking forward to the grand opening in the spring. Our Lady of Grace School has grades K-9 and I'm looking forward to the Blessing and Dedication Ceremony in November.

Throughout the month of October I will be hosting coffee and chat events on Fridays at 1pm. Please join me as I would love to meet you! On October 7th, 14th, and 21st, I will be at the Starbucks next to the Superstore at 7020 4th Street NW. On October 28th, I will be at the Good Earth in Creekside at 11988 Symons Valley Rd. NW. I look forward to seeing you there!

As always, I welcome your input. Please feel free to contact me by email at calgary.mackay.nosehill@assembly.ab.ca, by phone at 403-215-7710 or drop by the office at #106, 8220 Centre Street NE, beside First Calgary Credit Union.

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ATCO Gas – 24 Hour Emergency	403.245.7222
Calgary HEALTH LINK 24/7	811
Calgary Police – Non Emergency	403.266.1234
Calgary Women's Emergency Shelter	403.234.7233
Child Abuse Hotline	1.800.387.5437
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Child Safe Canada	403.202.5900
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ENMAX – Power Trouble	403-514-6100
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City of Calgary	311
Social Service Info & Referral	211
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News from the Friends of Nose Hill...cont'd

ways were oriented north-south and east-west. Nose Hill was on the flight path of the latter, so it was necessary for the Federal Department of Transport to impose a development ban on the area. This forced some farmers on the hill to relocate. In the late 1950's, much of the suburban sprawl occurred in the area to the east and south-east of Nose Hill. Purchasers of homes in these developments were told that they would always have the open space of Nose Hill adjacent to their communities. In 1960-61, the Calgary Winter Club proposed that they be allowed to develop a golf course on the top of the Nose Hill but this idea was rejected by the Calgary Planning Commission, because of the caveat imposed by the Department of Transport. Communities that developed later in the 1960's to the south of Nose Hill were unaware of this caveat, which was dropped when the jet replaced the propeller airplanes. Indeed, some residents nurtured the ambition to own a house on top of Nose Hill because of the fantastic view that it afforded of the city, the foothills, and the mountains.



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A park worthy of exploring

Home to the historical Lawrey Gardens, a seasonal cafe, four playgrounds and two off-leash areas, Edworthy Park has something for everyone.

Bring your family and friends for our free A Walk in the Park event on October 1 from 10 to 11:30 a.m. to discover (or re-discover) Edworthy Park. Come explore its rich history, learn about the plants and wildlife in the area and enjoy the breathtaking views of Calgary's north-west and beyond.

To participate, simply put on your walking shoes and meet at 5050 Spruce Dr. S.W. — no registration required! Wheelchairs, strollers and park enthusiasts of all ages are welcome. Hope to see you there.

For more information, visit calgary.ca/parksevents.

Leaf & Pumpkin composting program is underway!

Bring your leaves and pumpkins to a depot near you until November 6.

Fall is in the air – and on the ground. Bring your bagged leaves and pumpkins to one of our 35 drop-off locations around the city. By composting this material it stays out of the landfill, reduces harmful greenhouse gas emissions and helps turn the leaves and pumpkins into useful compost. We recommend using paper yard waste bags as they can be composted with the rest of the material. No sod or rocks please.

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