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Pre-Board Pals is a collaboration between The Calgary Airport Authority and Pet Access League Society (PALS). You can spot our furry volunteers and their handlers in the terminal during peak travel times every Thursday to Saturday.

Visit [yyc.com](http://yyc.com) to learn more about our Pre-Board Pals.



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**TGCA HOURS**  
 HOURS MAY BE SUBJECT TO EARLY CLOSING

**Administration Office**  
 Mon, Tues, Wed, Thurs 9:00 am – 9:00 pm  
 Fri 9:00 am – 4:30 pm  
 Saturday & Sunday Closed  
 Complex Closed April 14th to Observe Good Friday

**Lounge & Rec Centre**  
 Monday – Thursday 9:00am - 12:00am  
 Friday & Saturday 9:00am - 1:00am  
 Sunday 11:00am - 6:00pm



# PRESIDENT'S REPORT

by Leslie DeGagne

April is the month where we celebrate Volunteers:

**Valuable  
Outgoing  
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Necessary  
Time givers who create  
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Rewards for all**

Just as the rain in April creates beautiful gardens in June, community volunteers sow the seeds of good citizenship in our youth and ensure that the community flourishes into the future. Communities like TGCA do not exist without the giving of the gift of time from caring people; Moms and Dads who get their children to practices and games, coaches, managers, committee members, Booster Club and TGWL volunteers, Community committee and board members. The list of people who care continues beyond the complex into the neighbourhoods. We all chose to live in this community and have worked hard to know our neighbours and create a neighbourhood of caring. This message of thanks goes out to each one of you who stepped up and gave a piece of yourself this year to make your community great. We are sixty years old and we are strong because of the special people who care. Keep up the great work Thorncliffe Greenview.

## RECYCLE DEPOT

2017 Thorncliffe Greenview Community Recycle Depot – Saturday May 20  
9:00am – 2:00pm only  
(Saturday of the May Long Weekend)

Clean out those garages, along the fences, basements and closets and bring on over to the community center.

Collecting - Metal, Clean Wood, Electronics, Tires, Garbage, Shredding (offsite via secured bins) Greens (grass, pruning), donations - clothing, small household items.

Please make sure items in your truck are tarped properly.

Any greens (organics) should be placed on top of your load, to make them available first.

Break down wood and remove any metal parts.

No concrete, creosote railway ties, or hazardous waste!

Please join us in helping keep all organics and recyclables out of the landfill!!

For more information call the office  
(403) 274-6840

### VOLUNTEERS WANTED

We are looking for volunteers to work and assist our seniors at the Recycle Depot!

Always looking for new ideas.

Call the office if interested – (403) 274-6840

### HELP AVAILABLE

Assistance for seniors and the physically challenged to get items to the Recycle Depot is available.

This service is for community members only, and is dependent on the numbers of volunteers.

To make arrangements contact the office – (403) 274-6840



## Sit & Be Fit Adults Only

**Days: Mondays (April 17 - June 26)**

**(No Class Monday May 22, 2017)**

**Times: 9:30am - 10:30am**

**Days: Thursdays (April 20 – June 22)**

**Times: 10:30am – 11:30am**

**Cost: 10 sessions (Once a Week) \$100 or 20 Sessions (Twice a Week) \$200 plus GST**

**Room: Thorncliffe Room**

Come and challenge yourself in a gentle and effective way. This class will help you to strengthen, learn stretches and create Balance in both body and mind. It will combine a fusion of general exercise, Pilates and yoga. Bring your own 1 to 2 pound weights. This is sure to be a safe and fun exercise experience for all lead by a certified fitness professional.

**Registration Information:**

**Email: [programs@tgccalgary.com](mailto:programs@tgccalgary.com)**

**Phone: 403-274-6840**



## Mothers' Day Tea

**Saturday May 13, 2017**

**1:30 pm**

**Hosted by T.G.W.L**

**Adults \$2**

**Children under 6 years free**

Door prizes-entertainment. Join the ladies of our community for an afternoon of fun and laughter.

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# Thorncliffe Greenview Scholarship

Every year the Thorncliffe Greenview Community Association awards a scholarship to one or two graduates from John Diefenbaker, James Fowler, St. Francis and Notre Dame High Schools. (Graduates from other High Schools in Calgary may also be considered.)

Scholarships are awarded on the basis of academic standing and community involvement. These scholarships are to provide financial assistance for students to continue studies beyond the senior high school level, in programs of at least two years duration at an approved post-secondary school, college, university or institute of technology in Alberta. A school outside of Alberta may be attended if the course desired is not offered in an Alberta learning institution.

Students must be enrolled as a full-time students and the scholarships will become payable upon receipt of proof of acceptance at one of the above mentioned institutions.

## Eligibility

Parents must be voting members in good standing with Thorncliffe Greenview Community Association and must be involved in sanctioned community activities for a minimum of three years.

Students must achieve a grade twelve diploma and may apply for a scholarship up to two years after completing grade twelve. They must achieve a good academic standing for their abilities.

## Application

A scholarship application form is available next pages. Completed forms must be submitted to the Administration office prior to July 07, 2017.

Students who meet the community requirements will be required to submit final grade twelve marks by August 04, 2017.

For more information about the Scholarship program call 403-274-6840.



**Family Dinner and Dance**

Easter break will be fast approaching, join us for a family dinner and dance on Friday April 7. Dinner will begin at 6 pm spaghetti and meatballs with dessert. Dance will begin at 7 pm. Cost will be \$15.00 for members for a family of four and \$20.00 for non-members for a family of four. Any extra tickets will be \$5.00 each. See you then.

Michelle

# Thorncliffe Greenview Scholarship Application

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Father: \_\_\_\_\_ Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

School Attended Grade 10 \_\_\_\_\_  
Grade 11 \_\_\_\_\_  
Grade 12 \_\_\_\_\_

Course study you intend to follow: \_\_\_\_\_

At what Secondary Institution: \_\_\_\_\_

References: Name two people other than relatives to whom references can be made for verification of the above information.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address & Postal Code \_\_\_\_\_

Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address & Postal Code \_\_\_\_\_

Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

Applicants are required to write a short statement setting forth the type of career for which they wish to prepare at a particular post-secondary institution.

Please submit statement on a separate, attached piece of paper.

# APRIL 2017

## THORNCLIFFE/GREENVIEW CALENDAR

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
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Bingo! 6:15pm		Bingo \$5000 Bonanza! 6:15pm			Family Easter Dinner and Dance 6:00-11:00pm	
Bingo! 6:15pm		Bingo! 6:15pm				
Sunday April 16 Bingo! 6:15 pm		Bingo! 6:15pm		Bingo! 6:15pm		Bingo! 6:15pm
Bingo! 6:15pm		Bingo! 6:15pm				Bingo! 6:15pm

## TG LOUNGE & REC. CENTRE NEWS

### Did you know?

TG has 4 racquetball courts and four 5-pin bowling lanes  
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Monday - Thursday 9am - 12am  
Friday & Saturday 9am - 1am  
Sunday 11:00am to 6:00pm

*Hours may be subject to early closing.*

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Book your Tournaments with the  
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*Consider Going Bowling for  
Your Next Family Get Together  
Children's Birthday Party Packages  
Are Also Available*

## TG LOUNGE & RECREATION CENTRE

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Consider Going Bowling For your Next Family  
Get Together  
Children's Birthday Party Packages Are Also Available

## FORBES INNES ARENA PUBLIC SKATING SCHEDULE

5600 Centre Street N. • 403-274-1466  
Check out our website for changes or additions.  
www.tgcacalgary.com

**Mark Your Calendars!**

**May 20 - TGCA Recycle Depot**

## TGCA Community CAMPSITE



Available to TG members who are  
in good standing and have held a  
membership for a minimum of one  
year.

Get back to nature...Leave the plug-ins behind  
Site has Outhouse – no electricity or running water  
Near Winchell Lake by Water Valley.  
Approx. 45 minutes NW of Calgary.

Costs - \$35.00 per site OR \$100.00 for all three sites  
for the weekend!  
Cost covers site only – no wood or amenities  
supplied.

Book through the TG Admin Office.  
403-274-6840

Please note Scout Groups and Youth Groups take  
precedence.

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# COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION MEMBERSHIP

## Benefits

Successful, healthy communities are generally those with active and sustained membership and involvement of the community residents. Often a strong membership representation is an indication that our association is serving the needs of the community and is therefore, valued and supported by its residents. Your support today is important and ensures new energy to continually address community issues. Your membership fee goes towards community events, programs & operating costs.

## Guidelines

All new members must provide I.D. with current address. Members agree to abide by the bylaws, policies and procedures governing the Thorncliffe Greenview Community Association. Residence must be WITHIN BOUNDARIES of Thorncliffe, Greenview, West Thorncliffe to obtain a voting membership. Membership cards will be mailed. Children of Voting members, 7 yrs or older, will also receive their own cards. It is your responsibility to notify the office of any address changes. If you wish to retain your membership after moving out of community

boundaries, you must pay for it each year before expiry date. Failure to do so will result in the loss of your membership, no exceptions. Memberships will not be renewed if membership is not in good standing. Anyone over the age of 18 must hold their own membership.

## Waiver

I understand that the Thorncliffe Greenview Community Association has collected, or may collect, use and disclose my personal information to administer and maintain accurate and complete community association membership lists, program registrations, including, when required, the sharing of information with affiliated organizations, such as community sports associations. I understand that my personal information, collected for the purposes outlined above, will be kept confidential by the Association. I also acknowledge that my information may be used and disclosed to third parties in certain circumstances, but only to fulfill the above purposes. I hereby consent to such use and disclosure, for these limited purposes, until such time as I may revoke my consent in writing.

Thorncliffe Greenview Community Association  
5600 Centre Street N. T2K 0T3

## Membership Application

Family Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_  
Applicant Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Bus/Cell Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_  
Spouse Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Bus/Cell Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Postal Code: \_\_\_\_\_  
Verification I.D.: \_\_\_\_\_ Current Membership#: \_\_\_\_\_  
ie: (Voting: driver's license, bill or Non-voting: resident community membership/expiry)

Please Circle One

Voting 1 Yr \$15.00 Non-Voting (with resident membership) 1 year \$15.00  
Voting 3 Yr \$30.00 Non-Voting (w/o resident membership) 1 year \$30.00

I am interested in volunteering \_\_\_\_\_

Children: Eldest listed first to the youngest last \_\_\_\_\_ I consent to  
Name Mon/Day/Yr M/F Name Mon/Day/Yr M/F receive emails  
from TGCA

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

# TG Community Hall & Meeting Room Rental Information

## Main Hall (maximum capacity 800)

250-500 people \$1050  
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Damage Deposit \$1050  
Plus \$4.00 mandatory corkage charge per person, based on a minimum of 250 people.

## Thorncliffe Room (maximum capacity 125)

Rent \$412.50  
Damage Deposit \$412.50  
Plus \$4.00 mandatory corkage charge per person, based on a minimum of 75 people.

## Greenview Room \$34.50/hour

Fitness/Sports Classes only

## TG Room \$25/hour

Bowling Parties (adjacent to lanes)

## Board Room (maximum capacity 20)

Meetings only \$35.00/hour

## 5600 Room (maximum capacity 30)

Meetings only \$35.00/hour  
Parties \$175.00

## Horizon Room (maximum capacity 15)

Meetings only \$15.00/hour

## ADD GST TO ALL PRICES

Classes, Meetings, Conferences, Programs, Children's Parties, Adult Celebrations, Silent Auctions, Weddings, Receptions, Parties, Family Reunions

## LET THORNCLIFFE GREENVIEW COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION HOST YOUR NEXT EVENT!

## Looking to rent space to run an Exercise Program?

We have a hall available weekdays, daytime only at \$34.50 per hour. The Greenview Room located in the basement is where it all began. The Community Complex that you see today was built around this hall. It is self-contained with washrooms and is a great space for classes such as Tae Kwon Do, Karate and Fitness. The hall measurements are 70' x 38'. Call 403-274-6840 for further information or to book.



## We Accommodate Seminars!

Thorncliffe Greenview Community Association has four meeting rooms and two halls accommodating anywhere from 10 to 800 people!

To break up your day we have recreation facilities. You can go bowling, play racquetball, darts or billiards in our lounge/recreation centre.

Call 403-274-6840 and let us make your next event an overwhelming success!



# GOOD FOOD BOX PROGRAM



What is the Good Food Box? It's a monthly program where community members can buy fresh fruit and vegetables for a very low cost. Thorncliffe Greenview Community Association now has a Good Food Box Depot. You receive top quality produce at wholesale prices. There are three sizes of boxes to choose from. The large box (\$35.00) contains 40 plus pounds of produce. The medium box (\$30.00) contains 30 plus pounds of produce. The small box (\$25.00) contains 20 plus pounds of produce. You only order the size you want, when you want. How do you get a food box? Bring your exact cash to the Horizon Room at Thorncliffe Greenview Community Centre between 2:00 and 5:00 p.m. on the scheduled pick up day. This will secure your order for the next month or bring your exact cash to the Administration Office no later than the order deadline listed below. If you have any questions feel free to call M.J. at 403-275-6752.

Order Deadline	Pick up Day
April 24	May 4
May 29	June 8
June 19	June 29
September 18	September 28
October 16	October 26
November 13	November 23

## Interested in Running our Good Food Box?

MJ's last Good Food Box date is June 29, 2017. If you are able to oblige one day plus a few additional hours per month and are interested in volunteering your time, please contact the office at 403-274-6840 or M.J. at 403-275-6752.



Helping Your Children with Social and Emotional Skills

As parents, we strive to help our children learn new things in the early years of their lives. These things include learning to walk, dress themselves, use the potty, and many many more things. Teaching your child social-emotional skills are just as important. These skills are: recognizing and understanding their thoughts and feelings; making healthy decisions and learning right from wrong; being a friend and making friends (teaching conflict resolution and cooperation); self regulation (calming themselves down in an appropriate manner); being empathetic to others.

Here are some tips on how to foster social emotional development in a preschool child:

1. Parents need to role model proper interactions and self control.
2. Listen to what the child is saying instead of judging.
3. Give reasons for the behavior you want and make goals to achieve the behavior.
4. Teach a child empathy instead of being sympathetic all the time. It never hurts to try and see something from another's point of view.

The Calgary NW ECD Coalitions consist of three coalitions who have joined forces with parents, community members, organizations and professionals, who are all working together to better the lives of young children and their families. We work hard to support five important developmental areas for children – Social Competence, Emotional Maturity, Language & Thinking Skills, Physical Health & Well-being, and Communication Skills & General Knowledge. We are always looking for interested parties to join our coalitions.

If you are passionate about children and their future, and would like more information about the Calgary NW ECD Coalitions, or if you have any questions, please email us at: [nwecdcoalitions@gmail.com](mailto:nwecdcoalitions@gmail.com).

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11	18	32	51	66
15	19	36	47	69

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Sundays & Tuesdays

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Bonanza & Satellite Games

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 Email: michelle.rempel@parl.gc.ca  
 Website at www.michellerempel.ca

As you know, my top priority remains the Alberta economy and jobs crisis here at home. I will continue to work hard on your behalf and demand that this government provide the relief and job creating policies that Albertans need in order to get back to work. That's why my colleagues and I created the Alberta Jobs Taskforce, in order to listen to Alberta employers and those who are out of work and convey their solutions directly to the federal government. The report, along with the 11 recommendations, is on my website at [www.MichelleRempel.ca](http://www.MichelleRempel.ca).

I would also like to bring your attention to two important upcoming events:

- 1) Town Hall Meeting – April 27<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 PM at the Berkshire Citadel (222 Sandarac Drive N.W.)
- 2) Career Services Event – May 13<sup>th</sup> starting at 9:30 AM at Foothills Alliance Church (333 Edgepark Blvd. N.W.)

For more information on both these events visit my website at [www.MichelleRempel.ca](http://www.MichelleRempel.ca)

As always you can contact me at my office, about issues important to you.

## TG MEMBER'S CORNER

### Birthday Wishes Go Out To:

April – Dustin Adamson

### In Memory Of:

Condolences go out to the Brady Family on the loss of Verna Brady in February.

Any TG Member that would like to submit a tidbit for this section may do so by email to [admin@tgcacalgary.com](mailto:admin@tgcacalgary.com) or by phone to the office at 403-274-6840.

## COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Deadline – 1<sup>st</sup> of each month for the next month's publication**

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- ◆ Free announcements: lost/found, household items for sale, wanted, garage sale, student/senior services, etc.
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**VOLUNTEERS NEEDED:** The Calgary Performing Arts Festival seeks volunteers for the 2017 Festival, April 18 to May 6 at Mount Royal University. Positions are available mornings, afternoons, evenings and Saturdays. For more information contact Holly at 403-283-6009 or [volunteer@cpafestival.ca](mailto:volunteer@cpafestival.ca).

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## Thornview Seniors

You're invited to join the Thornview Seniors at the Thorncliffe Greenview Community Centre. We offer several activities such as:

Bridge, Military Whist, Bowling, Pool etc. Come out and meet some new people, try a new activity and become involved in the center. For more detailed information contact Sandy Staple @403-274-3257.

*We look forward to hearing from you!!*

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Greetings Residents,

**Census and voter registration 2017**

Complete your census and voter registration at the same time! Watch the mail for your access code and visit [calgary.ca/census](http://calgary.ca/census) from **April 1 to 21** to complete your census and voter registration online.

The census data collected every year is used to ensure adequate programs and services are available to meet the needs of Calgarians.

If you are unable to complete your census online, door-to-door census and voter registration collection will begin **April 22, 2017**.

**Spring programs**

The City of Calgary offers a wide variety of fun and FREE drop-in programs and activities for children, youth and families.

From after school programs, to health and wellness classes, to leadership opportunities, we have something for everyone.

Find out what's happening in your area, visit [calgary.ca/CommunityPrograms](http://calgary.ca/CommunityPrograms).

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Calgary AfterSchool provides children and youth with supervised recreational, artistic, healthy living, leadership development and social activities in a safe and stimulating environment.

For more information, including a listing of all programs, visit [calgary.ca/AfterSchool](http://calgary.ca/AfterSchool).

**Spring Yard Waste landfill drop-off program**

What's old is new again when composting your yard waste. **From April 7 – May 28, all three City landfills** will waive fees for residential spring yard waste. Bring your leaves, branches, plants (no sod – it can't be composted) and other yard waste to any City landfill for free composting.

Please use paper yard waste bags, leave the material loose or bring it in plastic bags (plastic bags must be emptied onsite). This program is only for residential customers and charges will apply if your load contains other items.

By composting your yard waste, this material is kept out of the landfill and given a second life as compost.

Free mulch is available for pick up at all City landfills for both residents and businesses. Bring your shovels as you are required to load your own vehicle.

Please note that landfill hours have changed! Check the days/ hours of your nearest landfill and other program details at [calgary.ca/yardwaste](http://calgary.ca/yardwaste).



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Hello Calgary-Klein,

Cuts to the salaries of the highest paid top executives of the government's agencies, boards and commissions were announced in late February by the Alberta government. Perks such as retention bonuses, golf club membership and housing allowances have also been eliminated.

For much too long, previous governments allowed bloated CEO salaries beyond acceptable levels. Albertans deserve better, especially in tough times. These changes to compensation are expected to save government and agencies nearly \$16 million a year.

Agencies, boards and commissions are now subject to a new compensation framework. The new framework benchmarks agency salaries against public sector market data in the Alberta Public Service, municipalities, public bodies and other Canadian jurisdictions. Similar measures have been implemented in British Columbia, Ontario, Quebec and Nova Scotia. These changes ensure that salaries for agencies, boards, and commissions are reasonable and in line with other provinces, while serving the public interest.

Future contracts will be reviewed by the new Public Agency Secretariat to ensure they are in line with the new rules. These changes are a part of the Government of Alberta's review of all agencies, boards and commissions, which has introduced a transparent and accountable recruiting process, as well as public disclosure of compensation amounts.

For more information about Alberta's public agencies, boards and commissions and their compensation, please visit <https://www.alberta.ca/abc-compensation.aspx>.

Our office is happy to hear from you, and may be reached at [calgary.klein@assembly.ab.ca](mailto:calgary.klein@assembly.ab.ca) or 403-216-5430. I'll be available for the next *Coffee with Craig* at the Velvet Café (502 25 Ave NW) on May 13th from 10am-12pm.



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