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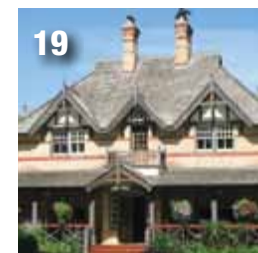
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## DOLLARS & SENSE

### Don't give your money the silent treatment

By Suzanne Smith-Demers – Consultant

Finances can be tough to talk about, but keeping your money issues a secret can be bad for your personal and financial health. A 2014 study\* asked people what their most difficult conversation would be and 44 percent said personal finances.

Silence around money encourages people to remain uninformed about financial options and strategies and to hide resulting financial errors. If we seldom know what our loved ones think about money, misunderstandings can fester.

Despite plenty of good reasons to open up, people often find that money is a difficult topic to discuss as it can come with an emotional attachment. The technical details of financial planning can be complex, but it also requires people to think about aging and their own mortality.

As with other hard-to-discuss topics, it's often easier to stay quiet than to admit that you're deep in debt or have

another money-related problem. But studies show that talking about money can reduce feelings of financial stress and help you make better money decisions\*\*.

Of course, talking is easier said than done. When you're ready to open up, accept that the discussion will inevitably not just be about money, but also what it symbolizes. It helps to have a goal in mind about what you want the talk to accomplish, and to start conversations about money with professionals that you have no emotional connection with before sharing financial feelings with loved ones.

A great way to start your money conversation is by talking to your professional advisor. They can provide the financial knowledge and planning that will reduce stress and emotion making it easier to communicate your financial goals, dreams and concerns with others.

Sources:

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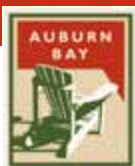
**Saturday, September 9, 2017**

**Fun starts at 6:30pm | Fireworks at approx. 9:00 pm (after sunset)**

Join Auburn House in celebrating the end of another fantastic summer at the lake! Let's say farewell to this great summer with a bang and a spectacular fireworks display over Auburn Bay Lake. Festivities will begin at 6:30pm with the fireworks show beginning at approximately 9:00 pm after the sun has set.

*\*\*This event is reserved for Auburn Bay residents and their guests only. Membership cards will be required to be presented upon arrival. All normal guest policies/rules will be in place, so please abide by the normal rules of the number of allowable guests permitted to be signed in. It is also required for guests to arrive with the resident member.*





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Room	Sq. Footage	Capacity	Rate	FULL DAY		HOURLY		
				Weekend (9am - 1am)	Weekday (9am - 4pm)	Prime Time (4pm - 1am)	Non-Prime Time (9am - 4pm)	
<b>Upper Level Banquet Rooms</b>								
Grand Hall - Banquet A & B	1,628	85 - Dinner 100 - Theatre	RR:	\$ 550.00	\$ 400.00	\$ 65.00	\$ 50.00	
			BF:	\$ 632.50	\$ 460.00	\$ 74.75	\$ 57.50	
			NR:	\$ 725.00	\$ 520.00	\$ 84.50	\$ 65.00	
Banquet A	1,162	60 - Dinner 70 - Theatre	RR:	\$ 395.00	\$ 290.00	\$ 46.50	\$ 40.00	
			BF:	\$ 454.25	\$ 333.50	\$ 53.30	\$ 46.00	
			NR:	\$ 513.50	\$ 377.00	\$ 60.50	\$ 52.00	
Banquet B	466	25 - Dinner 30 - Theatre	RR:	\$ 250.00	\$ 175.00	\$ 35.00	\$ 30.00	
			BF:	\$ 287.50	\$ 201.25	\$ 40.25	\$ 34.50	
			NR:	\$ 325.00	\$ 227.50	\$ 45.50	\$ 39.00	
<b>Lower Level Multi-Purpose Rooms</b>								
Multi-Purpose A & B	591	35 - Dinner 45 - Theatre	RR:	Unavailable for bookings due to ABRA Registered Programs & Events	\$ 40.00	\$ 30.00		
			BF:		\$ 46.00	\$ 34.50		
			NR:		\$ 52.00	\$ 39.00		
Multi-Purpose A	276	15 - Dinner 20 - Theatre	RR:		\$ 25.00	\$ 20.00		
			BF:		\$ 28.75	\$ 23.00		
			NR:		\$ 32.50	\$ 26.00		
Multi-Purpose B	315	20 - Dinner 25 - Theatre	RR:		\$ 30.00	\$ 25.00		
			BF:		\$ 34.50	\$ 28.75		
			NR:		\$ 39.00	\$ 32.50		
<b>Gymnasium</b>								
Full Gymnasium	5345	200 - Standing	RR:	Unavailable for bookings due to ABRA Registered Programs & Events	\$ 60.00	\$ 50.00		
			BF:		\$ 69.00	\$ 57.50		
			NR:		\$ 78.00	\$ 65.00		
1/2 Gymnasium	2,673	100 - Standing	RR:		\$ 40.00	\$ 30.00		
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<b>Picnic Shelter</b>								
4 Shelters	N/A	Up to 25 Non Resident Guests	RR:		Minimum 2 Hour Rental Maximum 3 Hour Rental <i>*Rental only available for residents</i>	\$ 20.00	\$ 20.00	
<b>Wedding Packages</b>								
Wedding Package A	1,628	85 - Dinner 100 - Theatre	RR:	Includes Banquet A & B Space 7pm-10pm Friday 9am - 1am Saturday <i>*Rental only available for residents</i>	\$ 600.00	\$ 600.00		
Wedding Package B	1,628	Outside - Up to 25 Non Resident Guests  85 - Dinner 100 - Theatre	RR:	Includes Outdoor Green Space for Ceremony Min - 2 hours Max - 3 hours  Includes Banquet A & B Space 7pm-10pm Friday 9am - 1am Saturday <i>*Rental only available for residents</i>	\$ 800.00	\$ 800.00		

RR: Auburn Bay Resident Rate BF: Brookfield Community Rate NR: Non-Resident Rate

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### Fun Fall Programming at Auburn House!

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	Average Asking Price	Average Sold Price
July 2017	\$499,900	\$495,000
June 2017	\$539,900	\$530,000
May 2017	\$534,900	\$522,500
April 2017	\$509,450	\$497,500
March 2017	\$474,900	\$470,000
February 2017	\$494,500	\$481,750
January 2017	\$557,900	\$554,175
December 2016	\$522,400	\$505,750
November 2016	\$529,900	\$523,500
October 2016	\$477,450	\$460,442
September 2016	\$475,400	\$462,500
August 2016	\$494,900	\$482,500

Last 12 Months Auburn Bay  
 MLS Real Estate Number of Listings Update

	No. New Properties	No. Properties Sold
July 2017	33	21
June 2017	41	37
May 2017	37	32
April 2017	32	26
March 2017	34	25
February 2017	19	20
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## HISTORIC CALGARY



### Bow Valley Ranch House est. 1896 – Fish Creek Park

The Bow Valley Ranch House and property serve as an excellent reminder of the wealth generated by Calgary's leading pioneer ranchers. The villa-like brick house was erected in 1896 by William Roper Hull, one of Calgary's most prominent citizens. It replaced an earlier log structure which has been built in the 1870s by homesteader John Glenn and which was the first permanent farm in the Bow Valley area. In 1902, Patrick Burns purchased the 4,000-acre ranch, by 1937 other family members operated the ranch and did so until the early 1970s. The house and 1,400 acres of the ranch now form part of the Fish Creek Provincial Park.

The house is a very good example of Queen Anne style. The symmetry of the facade around the central

entranceway creates a strong sense of formality. The highly-articulated hipped roof, with half timbering in its many gables, helps to relieve any bulkiness of the massing. The protruding verandah on the main facade has been enclosed to create two sunrooms. Bay windows protrude on the east and west sides. Architects Rule, Wynn and Rule took great pains to match a 1957 addition with the main building. The interior of the 1896 structure features 11-foot ceilings and original plank floors. The ranch house exhibits very good detail and stylistic features, and is notable for the early use of brick.

The Foreman's House was restored and rehabilitated as "Annie's Cafe" in 1998. The main house was restored and rehabilitated to accommodate a restaurant in 1998-99, including an addition with a kitchen and office.

#### Heritage Significance

The site was originally settled in 1873 by John Glenn, a trapper and former gold prospector. Glenn was the first settler in the Calgary area. He built a log house and barns and lived here until 1879. The property was subsequently purchased by the government as an instructional farm for aboriginal peoples. In 1892, William Roper Hull, a successful rancher and businessman, purchased the property. When the original log ranch house burned down, he built the brick, two-storey house, now known as Bow Valley Ranch, at a cost of 12,000 dollars. The structure was finely detailed, with elegant furnishings chosen by Mrs. Hull. In 1902, Patrick Burns, a leading Calgary rancher and meat packer, purchased the property, complete with Mrs. Hull's furnishings. Few modifications were made to the house. Pat Burns was one of the major forces behind the growth of ranching in Alberta. This was an active ranch until 1973.

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## TO-MAY-TO, TO-MAH-TO:



Tomatoes are originally from Central and South America. The name comes from the word *tomatl* in the Aztec Nahuatl language, which translates roughly as "fat thing". While technically a fruit, you don't want to put a tomato in a fruit salad!





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Shakespeare's plays are thought to be influenced by the works of playwright Christopher Marlowe. Though never confirmed, Marlowe is speculated to have worked in espionage for Queen Elizabeth I which led to his assassination, preventing him from ever achieving the same fame as Shakespeare. A playwright and a spy!

**SAFE & SOUND**

**Back to school safety**

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

**Motorists**

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


**Around school buses**

- Flashing amber lights mean a bus is slowing down to stop – motorists should do likewise;
- No matter which direction you are coming from, STOP, when approaching a school bus with activated flashing red lights – unless the bus is on the opposite side of a divided highway from you;

- Driver courtesy goes a long way. By simply being alert and cautious when approaching a school bus, you are contributing to school bus safety.


**Pedestrians**

- Cross only at marked crosswalks, or street corners that have clear visibility from all directions;
- Make eye contact with all drivers before crossing the street, and keep distractions to a minimum;
- When activating overhead crossing lights, pause before stepping off the curb to ensure motorists in both directions have come to a complete stop;
- Stay within the crosswalk lines until fully clear of the roadway;
- Obey pedestrian lights at intersections. Cross the street only when you see the 'walk' sign and only when all cars have come to a complete stop;
- If you are with young children or pets, hold your child's hand firmly and keep a solid grip on leashes when crossing;
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# Ask Charles

**My elderly mother passed away at home. We are now selling her home; do we have to disclose that she died in the property?**

Potential buyers' different values, perceptions, and backgrounds will affect the significance of a potential "stigma". Some buyers won't care about a death occurring in the property, while others may be completely put off by it.

Simply put, you are not required to disclose her death to potential buyers.

Sellers are required to disclose certain defects to potential buyers, but a death occurring in a home is not a defect.

When a death occurs in a home, the property may be considered a "stigmatized property." A stigmatized property is one that has an unfavourable quality that *may* make it less attractive to some buyers. That quality, though, is unrelated to the physical condition or features of the property.

As a seller, you are not required to disclose stigma to potential buyers. Stigmas are different from material latent defects, such as un-remediated hidden flood damage or mould, which sellers are required to disclose.

- Some stigmas include:
- a suicide or death occurred in the property
  - the property was the scene of a major crime
  - the address of the property has the wrong numerals
  - reports that the property is haunted

Although you are not required to disclose stigma to potential buyers, because some buyers may have concerns about stigmas, those buyers can ask their real estate representative to ask your representative about possible stigmas. You don't have to answer their questions, but if you choose to, you must do so honestly.

If you decide not to answer, a buyer has to decide if they are comfortable proceeding without an answer. Remember that not answering may turn the buyer off of your property more than simply responding honestly; it will depend on the specific buyer, their particular concerns, background, and perceptions.

*"Ask Charles" is a monthly question and answer column by Charles Stevenson, Director of Professional Standards with the Real Estate Council of Alberta (RECA), [www.reca.ca](http://www.reca.ca). RECA is the independent, non-government agency responsible for the regulation of Alberta's real estate industry. We license, govern, and set the standards of practice for all real estate, mortgage brokerage, and real estate appraisal professionals in Alberta. To submit a question, email [askcharles@reca.ca](mailto:askcharles@reca.ca).*

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### Registration for Fall Programs

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September means a new school year and lots of exciting new beginnings for students, teachers and staff. As this year is a municipal election year, it also means new beginnings for the Calgary Catholic School District (CCSD) Board of Trustees. As trustees are elected officials, some of whom are retiring, while others are running again, there will be a new board in the fall.

The deadline to file nomination papers, which will confirm a candidate's intention to run as a local school board trustee, is Monday, September 18, 2017. The municipal election takes place on Monday, October 16, 2017 and will determine the mayor, city councilors and school board trustees for Calgary, as well as all municipalities in Alberta including the City of Airdrie, City of Chestermere and Town of Cochrane, also served by the CCSD.

Alberta school boards help shape the future of local communities by governing the education of students enrolled in kindergarten through Grade 12. The provincial government, through the Minister of Education, grants school boards the authority to make decisions regarding the direction and quality of local public education. Accountability to the public is entrenched through the election of local school board trustees every four years.

To be a Catholic school trustee represents a dual challenge: trustees must ensure that students are provided the very best educational opportunities, while at the same time ensuring that Catholic principles and values are reflected in policies and practices of the school board, thus establishing an education system that is permeated by faith. In practice, this plays out in trustees being accountable to both government legislation, as well as Canon Law (Church Law).

The success of Catholic schools depends on everyone in the faith community. While some are called to run as candidates for trustee, others are called to be supporters of Catholic education. Whether it is in the classroom, home or parish, every member of the faith community has a responsibility to ensure the vibrancy of our Catholic schools today and far into the future. An election is an opportune time for the community to have its say in Catholic education.



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I hope everyone had a nice summer. It's been a busy time in our constituency. I have spoken to many concerned parents from Prince of Peace, New Brighton and Copperfield schools about playground funding. I will continue to advocate on your behalf.

We have also been inundated with complaints of odour in the vicinity of Copperfield. Alberta Transportation district staff have since investigated and confirmed that it is not originating from the storm ponds constructed as part of the Southeast Stoney Trail project. The smell is originating from the natural wetlands near Copperfield. As all wetlands in Alberta are under the jurisdiction of Alberta Environment and Parks (AEP), we have reached out to AEP to discuss the issue and were informed that they had received similar complaints and had sent a compliance inspector to the site to investigate. They determined that the odour is a result of decreased water level in the wetlands due to recent dry weather and that since the odour does not pose any health concerns, they will not be taking any actions to eliminate it. If residents in the area have further concerns related to these wetlands they can contact Alberta Environment and Parks at 1-800-222-6514.

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- Copperfield School BBQ
- Chaparral Stampede Breakfast
- DIY Studio (Mahogany) Grand Opening
- Land of Lemurs Grand Opening at the Calgary Zoo
- Lunch and congratulations to Florence S. at Auburn Heights Retirement Residence
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**Ward 12 Newsletter Update – September 2017**  
As we enter September, we get ready to say goodbye to summer. Now is a great time to reflect on some of the exciting things that happened during the summer and look forward to what should be an exciting autumn.

**Provincial Government Announces Funding for Green Line Stage 1**  
Stage 1 of the Green Line is now fully funded – how exciting! On July 6, Premier Notley announced that the Government of Alberta would be funding \$1.53 billion over 8 years for the project. This funding, coupled with funding from the Government of Canada and The City of Calgary, allows the project to move forward and get ready for the procurement and construction processes. Construction is expected to begin in 2019/2020 with operations beginning on Stage 1 in 2026. This is historic for southeast Calgary. Finally, we can point to a firm date on the calendar and know that LRT is coming to our corner of the city. For more information on the Green Line please contact [www.calgary.ca/greenline](http://www.calgary.ca/greenline)

**Green Cart Food and Yard Waste Program**  
In my August update, I had indicated that the program would be coming to southeast Calgary between August 29 and September 30. The City has unveiled when specific communities will receive their carts. To view the delivery schedule and get more information about the program please visit [www.calgary.ca/greencart](http://www.calgary.ca/greencart).

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