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The New Adventures of Engine 23

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When the Calgary Fire Department offered to loan us a decommissioned fire truck, Calgary Public Library seized upon the opportunity to create an innovative early learning experience. After much planning and design, we've installed Engine 23 in Central Library, where it will remain until New Central Library opens in 2018.

Visit Engine 23 any time Central Library is open, or drop in for special Engine 23 storytimes. Toddlers and Preschoolers (ages 2-5) can drop in to enjoy fire-themed storytimes while seated atop Engine 23! Families (all ages) are welcome to drop in and join a Calgary Fire Department firefighter for a special family storytime and the opportunity to start their very own new adventures with Engine 23. See the July-August *Library Connect* for exact dates and details. A reimaged staircase will connect the installation to the children's area on the second floor, so be sure to visit the Children's Library on the 2nd Floor!

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your COMMUNITY BUSINESS OF THE MONTH

Windsor Pizza Co.

Windsor Pizza Co. is family run and operated by two brothers and their wives.

With three of the owners originally from Windsor, Ontario, they are proud to bring a taste of their home to Calgary. Windsorites are proud of their pizza and Windsor Pizza Co. "wanted to show Calgarians why."

This is what distinguishes Windsor style pizza from the typical Calgary pizza:

- Windsor Pizza Co. uses fresh dough, homemade pizza sauce, local cheese, fresh toppings, and shredded meats. All of the toppings are cooked over the cheese, in Windsor pizza style.
- The pizza is baked directly on the stone of a Bakers Pride oven. The owners say, "It was important to us that we obtain a gas Bakers Pride oven, as they cook the pizza just right, giving the pizza that crispy crust that Windsor is famous for."
- They also make and bottle their own homemade BBQ sauce, available in hot or mild versions.

Windsor Pizza Co. is located in the Eastlake Industrial area of the foothills in the southeast, off of 52nd Street and 106th Avenue. "We feel it's a great starting place, as there are a lot of businesses around us but it is still close to some great residential communities."

They offer six specialty pizzas, the opportunity to create your own pizza from 21 toppings, as well as fresh made breadsticks, Caesar salad, and homemade chicken wings. They also offer a pizza with 24 slices, which is great for events!

Monday to Friday from 11:00 am to 2:00pm they offer three lunch specials, which include slices of fresh baked pizza, breadsticks, and chicken wings. Call ahead and have your pizza ready for you!

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July at Trico Centre

Trico Centre for Family Wellness is a non-profit, community-owned and operated recreation facility. Our memberships are affordable and our programs are family-friendly. With a membership, you can work out in the fitness centre, take more than 70-drop-in fitness classes a week (more than 55 in the summer months), use the gymnasium, skate, or play shinny, plus with a membership you get 20% off our fun, active registered programs. Residents of communities partnered with Trico Centre (yours!) pay 20% less for a Trico Centre membership with presentation of a community association membership or payment of the Community Support Fee (which is sent to your community association.)

Membership Specials while the Pool is Closed

After 33 years in operation, Trico Centre's Aquatics Centre is undergoing a major refurbishment. This project will address lifecycle issues, improve health and safety components. **The target reopen date is August 15, 2016.** There

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is still lots to do at Trico while the pool is closed. We will be hosting a pool grand opening, so watch for details.

- Purchase a new membership up until August 14, 2016 and RECEIVE 14 MONTHS FOR THE PRICE OF 12.
- Purchase an All-Inclusive 10-Visit Pass up until July 31, 2016 and receive 13 VISITS FOR THE PRICE OF 10.
- If you were a member on Feb 19, 2016 when the pool closed for its makeover, make sure to drop by Guest Services and fill out your form to receive A THREE-MONTH FREE EXTENSION ON YOUR MEMBERSHIP and 5 FREE PASSES*

Summer Fun for Families, Children, Youth

- **Summer Day Camps:** Trico Centre is known for its summer camps. Want your child to have fun *and* learn over the summer? Good quality themed camps. 3-14 yrs, weekly or daily, full day, half, day, pre and post care.
- More registered summer programs than ever before including Parent & Tot classes, preschool, children and youth. See the Summer Program Guide or check www.tricocentre.ca for all the details.
- Summer drop-ins include Drop-In Playtime (walking and up, Thursdays, 5-6:30pm, Drop-In Craft (2 yrs and up) Drop-In Dodgeball (10-14 yrs.) Check the Summer 2016 Program Guide for details.
- Skating Lessons – what could be a better way to spend a hot summer than in a cool skating rink. Parent & Tot, Pre-school Learn to skate, Youth Learn to Skate, Teen Learn to Skate, and private lessons.
- Intro to Hockey for 6-8 yrs, Intro to Hockey Adult & Child (4-6 yrs with parent/caregiver), and Power Skating & Recreational Hockey (7-12 yrs.)

Summer Programs for Adults

- Check out these registered summer programs: Core Fusion Barre, Obstacle Race Training, Stroller Fit, Fit 101: For the Absolute Beginner, and Sore Joints Training.
- Even though it is summer, there is still lots to do in the Fitness Centre. Choose from more than 55 dryland drop-in fitness classes every week. Free for members, drop-in fee for non-members.

Summer Programs for Older Adults

- Balance Builders: Fall Prevention for Older Adults, Bone Builders: Weight Training for Older Adults, Chair Yoga, and Sore Joints Training are registered fitness classes for older adults offered over the summer.
- Drop-in Pickleball is offered several times a week over the summer. Check out the Drop-In Gym schedule (available on the website or at Guest Services.) Free for members or drop-in fee for non-members.

Riverbend

Real Estate Update

Last 12 Months Riverbend

MLS Real Estate Sale Price Update


	Average Asking Price	Average Sold Price
June 2016	\$369,900.00	\$362,000.00
May 2016	\$474,900.00	\$460,000.00
April 2016	\$470,900.00	\$456,750.00
March 2016	\$414,900.00	\$404,025.00
February 2016	\$439,000.00	\$425,000.00
January 2016	\$449,900.00	\$435,000.00
December 2015	\$429,900.00	\$406,000.00
November 2015	\$424,900.00	\$418,000.00
October 2015	\$439,450.00	\$426,500.00
September 2015	\$475,000.00	\$463,000.00
August 2015	\$447,900.00	\$440,000.00
July 2015	\$472,500.00	\$462,500.00

Last 12 Months Riverbend

MLS Real Estate Number of Listings Update

	No. New Properties	No. Properties Sold
June 2016	17	9
May 2016	17	11
April 2016	10	8
March 2016	13	8
February 2016	10	5
January 2016	6	3
December 2015	2	5
November 2015	7	5
October 2015	6	8
September 2015	11	15
August 2015	12	15
July 2015	14	9

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**AUGUST 13
CALGARY JAPANESE
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The one day festival has plenty of fun, cultural activities appropriate for the whole family, including galleries of Japanese arts and crafts and food kiosks selling Japanese food. www.calgaryjapanesefestival.com

**AUGUST 13 TO 14
CALGARY DRAGON BOAT
RACE AND FESTIVAL**

This is a weekend of dragon boat racing on the Glenmore Reservoir, where Calgary embraces a sport that stems from a 2,000-year-old Chinese legend. www.chinatowncalgary.com/dragonboat

**YOUR COMMUNITY/CITY EVENTS
AT A GLANCE...**

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**IN & AROUND
SCHOOLS****Mapleridge Cooperative
Preschool**

The year-end party and picnic for our preschool students were a huge success. We had a great time at Lake Bonavista filled with fun, laughter and playing at the beach. A big thanks to the organizers and sponsors! Our sponsors included Safeway and Co-op.

We would like to extend our appreciation to all the parents, families, and friends who have supported our preschool during the past year, as a cooperative, we could not have done it without you all! A special thank you to Mrs. Killam as she has put so much love and dedication into all of the activities for the students for so many years, and creating all of the relationships with her students that have made a lasting impression for each of them (so much so we have her student's children now attending some of the classes).

Have a wonderful summer!

**IN & AROUND
CALGARY****Historic Calgary Week
July 22-August 1, 2016**

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After a successful pilot that saw a 40 per cent drop in garbage and 89 per cent satisfaction amongst residents, the Green Cart Program will roll out to all single family homes beginning next spring. All communities should have the service by fall 2017. Here are the highlights:

All food, yard and pet waste is accepted in the program.

Unlimited quantity. Use paper yard waste bags for extra yard waste that doesn't fit in the cart.

Green and blue carts will be collected on the **same day every week.**

Black carts will be picked up **once every two weeks on a separate day** since most household waste can be recycled or composted.

Residents will receive everything they need to get started including the green cart, a kitchen pail for collecting food scraps inside the home; a sample of compostable bags for the kitchen pail and yard waste bags. Once service begins, households will pay \$6.50 per month. This charge reflects the savings achieved by changing black cart garbage collection from weekly to once every two weeks.

Green carts go beyond backyard composting

If you're already backyard composting, keep it up. Use your green cart for all the other materials that cannot be composted at home like meat, bones, shellfish, dairy, weeds and pet waste.

Why we need to keep food and yard waste out of landfills

It may be hard to believe, but more than half of residential garbage is food and yard waste. Composting this material is the right thing to do. When food and yard waste is buried in the landfill it releases methane, a greenhouse gas that is 25 times stronger than carbon dioxide. By using the green carts we reduce dependence on our landfills, reduce greenhouse gas and turn food and yard waste into nutrient-rich compost.

To learn more about the Green Cart Program, visit calgary.ca/greencart.

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IN & AROUND CALGARY



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Registration fees are extremely affordable at only \$160 for an individual golfer and a discounted rate of \$600 for a foursome! Your fee includes lunch, a round of golf in a power cart, a delicious dinner, and the chance to win one of many exciting prizes.

Visit calgarycommunities.com/events to register today!

There are 150 community associations in Calgary with more than 20,000 volunteers involved, making it the largest collective volunteer movement in the city! Community associations come in all shapes and sizes, are run by your neighbours, offer you endless opportunities, bring you together as a community, and are dedicated to addressing local issues and ensuring you love where you live. They can be the anchor for community life, but they need support to effectively operate in today's competitive not-for-profit world. The Federation of Calgary Communities is that support organization.

This golf tournament will help raise funds for the Federation of Calgary Communities to continue providing programs and services that help community associations build capacity, support and mobilize residents, be on the front lines of important issues in their community, and improve neighbourhood life in Calgary.

If you have any questions or are interested in finding out more please contact Rebecca Dakin with the Federation of Calgary Communities at communityrelations@calgarycommunities.com or (403) 244-4111 ext. 204.



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Hello Ward 9!

As we get ready to enjoy the summer months and reconnect with friends and family, I wanted to take this opportunity to give you all a heads up with events that are happening both in our Ward and in Calgary.

On Canada Day, July 1, there will be lots of events for all ages. On Prince's Island, there will be two opportunities to explore Canada's heritage through the Aboriginal Show Case and through meeting members of our Canadian military.

At historic Fort Calgary, come on down for a free t-shirt to take part in the annual group selfie where we recreate the Canadian Flag.

Down on Riverfront Avenue, you can experience rich francophone heritage with the evening ending with fireworks at the Centre Street Bridge.

If you have your walking shoes on, during the day, you can stop by Olympic Plaza and view the market. Just down the street on Stephen Avenue Walk, view the usual fare, plus the additional live entertainment and events that will be taking place.

If you haven't been to Studio Bell, home of the National Music Centre, there will be free admission and gifts for the first 500 visitors who attend.

For more details on those Canada Day events, go to calgary.ca/CanadaDay.

You aren't limited to these events to enjoy your city and neighbourhoods. Your community associations do great work all year. With Stampede season starting soon, it's a great time to get better acquainted with them and the work they do on your behalf.

Please check out their websites and read through their newsletters for their Stampede breakfasts, the other events they will be holding over the summer, and the things they are preparing for in Fall 2016.

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Your Team Ward 9 and I will be out visiting neighbourhoods across Ward 9. Don't be shy, and please say 'hi' to Eric, Katie, Shelaine, or myself when you see us.

If you aren't able to attend these events, my office is always open. Feel free to call us at 403-268-5330, follow us on Twitter at @gccarra & @Ward9Tweets, Facebook at facebook.com/gccarra or by email at ward09@calgary.ca.

If you want more info about what's happening in your community and want to sign up for our regular new-flashes, contact my office.

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Hi friends and neighbours,

Enjoy the wonderful days of summer holidays and community events near and far, I hope that you all continue to stay safe, hydrated, and enjoy the great weather (fingers crossed)!

As you are reading this, I will likely have welcomed our new addition to our family. Given that the Legislature will not be in session until the Fall, I will be primarily based in Calgary for the summer. I expect to be around the office and at community events during July and August so if you see me out and about with the little one, please come and say hi.

My staff and I continue to hear that traffic and speed in our neighbourhoods continues to be a cause of concern. We are all concerned about the safety and security of everyone whether they are walking, biking or in a vehicle. Please ensure that you report traffic concerns to 311 on a consistent basis so that they can be addressed.

The last thing that anyone needs this summer is a ticket so please remember that government reminders for vehicle registration and license renewal reminders will no longer be mailed to you. Albertans with disabilities will continue to receive their reminders in the mail. Seniors over the age of 70 will continue to receive mailed reminders until April 1, 2017. Sign up for email reminders by visiting your local registry agent, or sign up online at one of the following:

- E-registry (Vehicle Registration and Driver's Licence) <http://reminders.e-registry.ca/>
- Alberta Motor Association (Vehicle Registration) <https://ama.ab.ca/registries/vehicle-registration-online/>
- MyAlberta (Available April 1, 2016) <https://eservices.alberta.ca/notify>

As always, my staff and I are here to help and love to hear your feedback. If you need assistance accessing government programs, want some support for a community event or initiative or just want to say "Hi," you can reach us by email at Calgary.Acadia@assembly.ab.ca, by phoning 403-640-1363 or visiting #10, 8318 Fairmount Dr SE. Our office hours may be reduced during the summer to accommodate staff holidays, but we expect to be open Tues-Fri 10-4.

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Legislature Update

The spring legislative session has ended. It was quite a time for Alberta. The NDP government showcased their lack of understanding of the issues facing Albertans.

Bill one, their flagship legislation, is essentially a bill about nothing. It gives the economic development minister permission to take actions that the Minister already has the authority to do. While Albertans were looking to their government to take substantive action on job creation the NDP government gave platitudes and wasted valuable Assembly time.

The NDP Government introduced their carbon tax legislation which will hit all Albertans hard on January 1, 2017. They removed their self-imposed debt limit (after only 6 months) and told Albertans that they are only hiring people who understand the "NDP world view" to manage their government. Throughout all this, the Progressive Conservatives remain an effective opposition, providing common-sense amendments to government legislation and making suggestions to improve policy. We take our job as opposition to this government very seriously and will keep offering suggestions and keep asking tough questions and make sure Albertans are well represented in the Legislative Assembly.

I received support for my motion 504 to have the government reaffirm their support for parental choice in how they educate their children. My PC colleague MLA Mike Ellis introduced Bill 205 to make owning pill press machines illegal except for legitimate uses. This will make it harder for drug dealers to manufacture fentanyl and other illegal drugs here. Already B.C. and Saskatchewan are evaluating this bill to see if they should follow suit.

Calgary-Hays:
Mountain Park School

Visiting schools is always a highlight for me. On May 27, 2016 I visited the Grade 6 classes at Mountain Park School. The students were well prepared and peppered me with questions on a full range of provincial issues. I am very impressed by the depth of their understanding and the extent to which they were ready to challenge me with tough questions. This is a real testament to excellent teaching and to parents engaged in their children's education.

I am always happy to visit classrooms. If you would like me to visit your school, please contact my office to schedule a visit.



Soccer Tournament – Foothills '02 Girls

Congratulations to the girls team who has won a spot at the world's biggest youth soccer tournament in Sweden. The international event attracts 1,600 U11 to U18 teams from 80 nations as far along as Algeria and Zambia. And now, a girls' team from Calgary Hays is joining that elite list of competitors. We wish you all the very best!

Stampede 2016

Again this year I will volunteer with the Stampede Caravan committee. Two events in Hays will be at DouglasGlen Square and at McKenzie Towne. Please come out and meet your neighbours while enjoying breakfast and good entertainment.

Ivor Strong Bridge

Wondering what is happening with bridge rehabilitation? Updated road information, including traffic delays, is a click or a call away. Call 5-1-1 toll-free, visit 511.alberta.ca or follow it on Twitter @511Alberta to get on the road to safer travel.

Here is what the website says on June 2, 2016:

At the northbound and southbound lanes of Deerfoot Trail at the Ivor Strong Bridge in SE Calgary, beginning May 13 at 9pm until the bridge work is completed, lane restrictions and speed reductions in both directions are in effect that will cause major traffic delays. Speed is reduced to 50 km/h. Two lanes will remain open in each direction. Weight restrictions are not affected. Wide loads must coordinate with central permitting. Large commercial truck access is restricted on ramps during work. Affected trucks must find alternate routes.

Vehicle Registry REMINDER

The Alberta government has ended mailed renewals for registration, licence and identification cards. Renewals for parking placards for people with disabilities and disabled licence plates will continue. And Albertans over the age of 70 will receive mailed reminders until April 1, 2017.

To set up a reminder you can visit your local registry agent or sign up online at www.e-registry.ca or through Alberta Motor Association at www.ama.ab.ca.

WCB Feedback:

The WCB Review Panel invites all Albertans to provide feedback through an online questionnaire or by written submission at alberta.ca/wcb-review until July 15.

Wishing you all a happy and safe summer

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Alberta Health Care	403.310.0000
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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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South Health Campus	403.956.1111
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Calgary Humane Society	403.205.4455
Calgary Parking Authority	403.537.7000
SeniorConnect	403.266.6200
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City of Calgary	311
Social Service Info & Referral	211
Community Mediation Calgary Society	403.269.2707
RNR Lockworks Ltd.	403.479.6161
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Weather Information	
Gamblers Anonymous	403.237.0654

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Summer may be a quieter time of year for some, but Ward 12 continues to be busy! Many of the Ward 12 community associations have completed their Annual General Meetings, and I am really looking forward to finding ways to support them over the next year.

Recreation Centre Update

Residents of Ward 12 made it very clear to me when I first ran for Council in 2010 that they needed to see stronger public investments in their communities. The addition of recreation facilities to southeast Calgary was a critical component of that progress. We have come a very long way in 6 years, and I am thrilled to provide you with a progress report.

Great Plains

Construction for the twin ice rink facility is well under-way with anticipated opening later in 2016.

Quarry Park

Recreation facility opened to the public on Canada Day. An official grand opening will happen later this year.

New Brighton Regional Athletic Park

The opening for this outdoor athletic park was on June 25th.

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Official ground breaking took place in June. Construction scheduled to complete in 2018. This will be one of the largest recreation facilities in Calgary with swimming lanes, water park, multi-purpose rinks and numerous other amenities.

Deerfoot Trail Study

The City has partnered with the Government of Alberta for a comprehensive Deerfoot Trail study. This is the first time a study of this magnitude has been done since the mid 1990s. I held a town hall meeting on June 23 in partnership with other Councillors and MLAs from south Calgary to introduce this study to Calgarians and field questions from the public.

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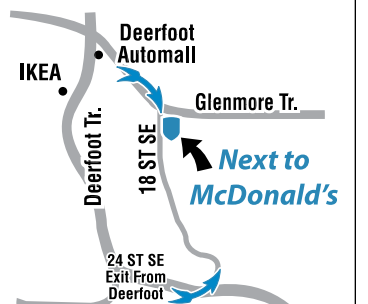


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