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Alberta Adolescent Recovery Centre	403-253-5250	
Alberta Health Care	403-310-0000	
AHS Addictions Hotline	1-866-332-2322	
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	
Kids Help Line	1-800-668-6868	
Child Safe Canada	403-202-5900	
Distress/Crisis Line	403-266-4357	
ENMAX – Power Trouble	403-514-6100	
Poison Centre - Alberta	1-800-332-1414	
HOSPITALS / URGENT CARE		
Alberta Children's Hospital	403-955-7211	
Foothills Hospital	403-944-1110	
Peter Lougheed Centre	403-943-4555	
Rockyview General Hospital	403-943-3000	
Sheldon M. Chumir Health Centre	403-955-6200	
South Calgary Urgent Care Health Centre	403-943-9300	
South Health Campus	403-956-1111	
OTHER		
Calgary Humane Society	403-205-4455	
Calgary Parking Authority	403-537-7000	
SeniorConnect	403-266-6200	
Calgary Kerby Elder Abuse Line	403-705-3250	
Alberta One-Call Corporation	1-800-242-3447	
City of Calgary	311	
Social Service Info & Referral	211	
Community Mediation Calgary Society	403-269-2707	
RNR Lockworks Ltd.	403-479-6161	
Road Conditions – Calgary	511	
Weather Information		
Gamblers Anonymous	403-237-0654	

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Next SCA Meeting Wednesday Feb 15 at 7pm

Please join us in our new community home!
 Shepard Community Hall

SAVE THESE DATES
2017 SCA Monthly Meetings (on Wednesdays)
 Feb.15, Mar.15, Apr. 19, May 17, June 21



Road Ramblings

- Road Report - www.511alberta.ca
- SE Ring Road 17 Ave. - 22X Issues - Chinook Road Partnership
- 22X / Deerfoot / Ring Road – c/o Carmacks at 403-543-8750, www.carmacksent.com
- City of Calgary Roads - call 311/ www.calgary.ca
- RockyView County Roads 403-520-6378/ www.rockyview.ca
- Alberta Transportation 1-877-898-7623 or <http://www.transportation.alberta.ca/eastgp.htm>

Local Landscape Links

South Shepard Area Structure Plan - Updates
<http://www.calgary.ca/PDA/LUPP/Pages/Current-studies-and-ongoing-activities/East-region-planning/South-Shepard-Area-Structure-Plan.aspx?redirect=/southshepard>

ATCO Gas Pipeline Replacement
<http://www.atcopipelines.com/upr/>

Revised Public Lands Act (Water) Affecting Private Land Owners
http://www.wetlandsalberta.ca/water_act/

AltaLink Transmission Line
<http://www.altalink.ca/projects/southernabtransmission/fatd/calgary-okotoks-janet.cfm>

Shepard Power Center – Updates
<http://www.capitalpower.com/generationportfolio/constructiondevelopment/Pages/shepard.aspx>

Area Development Permits & Public Notices
 Note – there is an inter-municipal agreement whereby you can appeal either County or City listings even if you live in the other tax area.

City of Calgary – Thursday's Calgary Herald or www.Calgary.ca/publicnotices
 (Email to Ward12@calgary.ca to be included in weekly email updates.

Rocky View County – Check your weekly Rocky View Times newspaper weekly

NEW! Calgary Police Service - HUB Messaging system
www.calgary.ca/cps/pages/the-hub.aspx

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SCHOOLS

Chestermere High School	403.272.8868
Chestermere Lake Middle School	403.273.1343
Indus School	403.936.5855
Langdon School	403.936.4579
Prairie Waters Elementary School	403.285.6969
Prince of Peace Luthern School	403.285.2288
Rainbow Creek Elementary School	403.273.8129
Rocky View Learning Connections - Chestermere Campus	403.235.0294
Douglasdale School	403.777.6177
McKenzie Towne School	403.777.6185
Msgr. J.S. Smith	403.500.2069
St. Albert the Great	403.500.2114
École de la Source (FR) K-9	403.255.6724
Ste-Marguerite-Bourgeoys (S) (FR) K-12	403.240.2007
École de la Rose sauvage (FR) 10-12	403.230.3112
Trinity Christian School K-9	403.254.6682

WORSHIP

McKenzie Towne Church	403.257.5360	St. Augustine's Anglican Church	403.279.3105
St. Albert the Great Catholic Church	403.257.6054	River View Christian Church	403.279.6334
First Alliance Church	403.252.7572	Red Deer Lake United Church	403.256.3181
Ogden United Church	403.271.2700	Langdon Community Church	403.936.5974
St. Bernadette's Church	403.236.2979	Calgary Living Word Assembly	403.472.0292

COMMUNITY

Shepard Community Association	shepardexpress@gmail.com	403.290.0144
Shepard Hall (Calgary) Rentals	info@shepardcommunityhall.ca	403.290.0144
Calgary Police Service – Community Liason Officer (Constable Matt Forest)	POL5067@calgarypolice.ca	
Indus Curling Rink		403.936.5656
Chestermere Public Library		403.272.9025
Glenmore Square Library		403.260.2600
Fish Creek Library		403.221.2090
Shawnessy Library		403.221.2072
Scouts Canada	www.myscouts.ca	403.283.4993

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COMING EVENTS

“Community Cards” Class

Nothing warms an occasion more than a homemade note from the heart!
 Next class - Saturday Feb.25 - 10am - 3pm
 This fun class includes making 5 or 10 “hand-crafted” cards with envelopes for various occasions.
 No experience necessary and all supplies included.
 Fee \$12.50 / 5 cards or \$25 / 10 cards.
 RSVP by Feb.15/17 to NARKLIE@msn.com or call 403-618-6069. Limited space.

Upcoming SE Blood Donor Mobile Clinics

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Call 1-888-2Donate or 1-888-236-6283 to make an appointment or go to www.blood.ca for times and last minute clinics changes.

February 2017
 Feb.3
 Riverbend Community Centre
 Feb.4
 Cranston Century Hall
 Feb.13
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NEIGHBOURHOOD CONFLICT? Community Mediation Calgary Society (CMCS) is a no cost mediation and conflict coaching service that can help you resolve problems and restore peace! We help neighbours be neighbours again! www.communitymediation.ca, 403-269-2707.

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SAVE THIS DATE Sunday, June 18

SHEPARD COMMUNITY HALL

2nd Annual Community Cleanup Dropoff & "Recycle Me" Store



Watch for updates to help YOUR household plan for this FREE event!

~ Your Shepard Community Association ~



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The weather outside might be chilly, but things have been heating up in my office over the last few weeks. We are continuing to pave the way towards construction of the Green Line LRT. Recent upgrades to the 302 bus route are a great first step and some early work pre-construction activities will be starting soon. My office has also had some great discussions with the Deerfoot Trail study team about some of their short term implementation ideas to improve traffic flow in southeast Calgary. Please do not hesitate to contact my office if you have questions or want clarity on some of the big things that are happening in southeast Calgary.

Notices of Assessment Appeal Period

Assessment notices were mailed out to property and business owners in the first week of January. These assessments provide the property value that your property taxes will be based on. If you do not agree with your assessment, you do have the opportunity to take part in the Customer Review Period. The Customer Review Period will be open from January 5 to March 6, 2017. Changes to your assessment will only be considered during this window.

You can visit calgary.ca/assessment for more information.

Snow Angels Among Us

We've seen quite a bit snow to kick off winter already and it sounds like more might be ahead in the forecast. While many of our neighbours might be excited about heading out to the ski hills this winter, clearing snow from sidewalks and driveways can be a daunting task for some Calgarians. The Snow Angels program is a great good neighbour initiative that can make a world of difference for people in your community.

You can learn more about Snow Angels at calgary.ca/snowangels

Ward 12 Open House

The Ward 12 Open House is right around the corner! My office invites City of Calgary departments and external stakeholders to participate. They will have presentation booths that provide information and they will answer your questions. The 2017 Open House is right around the corner, and I am looking forward to hearing your feedback!

When: Wednesday, February 8 from 7:00pm – 8:30pm

Where: Remington YMCA, 108 Quarry Park Road SE

Feel free to contact my office if you have questions about our open house.

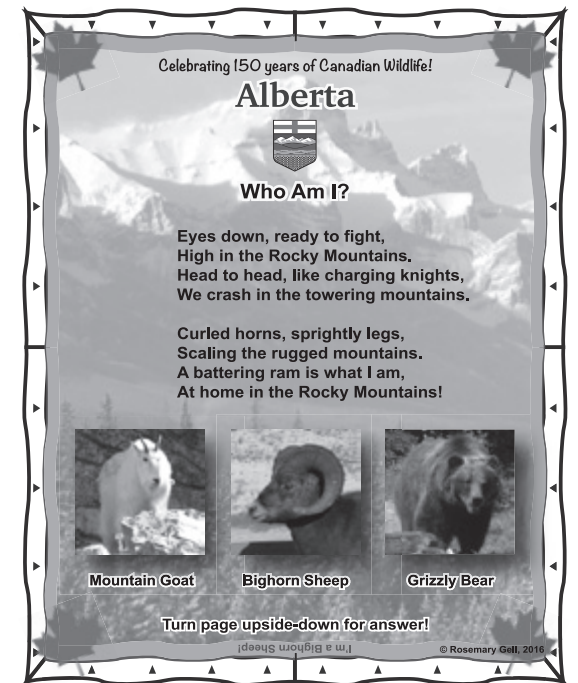
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Family Names or Business _____

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(Note – all information received is treated with strict confidentiality)

Please mail \$20 cheque only payable to Shepard Community Association to:
 Attention: SCA Memberships
 Shepard Community Association
 10800 – 84 Street SE, Calgary AB T3S 0A5

Please check ✓ any items you would be interested in volunteering for or any position within the Shepard Community Association and return this sheet with your payment.

- Board of Directors
- Events Planning
- Hall Bookings
- Casino Fundraising
- General Cleanup
- Seasonal Parties (Adult)
- Hall Maintenance
- Seasonal Parties (Children)
- Grounds Maintenance
- Hall Construction
- Potluck Nights
- Other: Please specify

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