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### PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

I hope everyone had a great summer. September has returned to Glenbrook and we are still looking for some additional volunteers to help us out. We presently have a strong board with members that are very dedicated to ensuring the work continues behind the scenes, however we do need new volunteers to help with existing and new events. If you have considered volunteering in your community, I encourage you to reach out now. Whatever your interests are, we can find a spot that fits in with your schedule and skills. We understand that most people are not into sitting around at monthly meetings, but we need to develop a list of Glenbrook volunteers that are willing to help out at things like our Canada Day Sports Day, teaching kids to skate at our winter skating parties, helping out at our casino nights, working with some of our Glenbrook residents at a new ESL (English as a second language) program along with many other events and programs. If you are interested send us a quick email to Glenbrook.community@shaw.ca and one of us will get back to you and find the best fit. Just think - if you really like basketball and want to start a league to play at our new courts, how would you like the resources and the support of the Glenbrook Community Board to assist you to get it started?

Fast approaching, on September 23rd, is our annual community clean up. Look for the details in this newsletter as we have added new services for you this year as well as reintroduced metal recycling.

The Glenbrook Outdoor Sport Facility is turning into the hub of community activities we had envisioned it to be. The incredible space padel tennis, pickle ball, badminton, volleyball, basketball, ball hockey and mini soccer in the summer and ice hockey and ice skating in the winter to all Glenbrook residents for free. This facility is now a model for numerous other communities in Calgary to look at for their own communities. If you have not made it out to try the new facility I encourage you to try it this fall. The lights are now on in the evening so the courts are open till 10 each night.

A reminder your Glenbrook Community Membership is now due. You can always reach me by email at glenbrook. president@shaw.ca or call me/text me at 403-616-4644.

Please remember to watch your speed when driving through the neighbourhood as we enjoy the move to fall weather. On October 5th, I hope to see you at the Annual General Meeting.

Take care,

### Murray Ost, President



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### GLENBROOK COMMUNITY

### MEMBERSHIPS

### GLENBROOK COMMUNITY MEMBERSHIP

Your community association is a group of volunteers who work to make your community a great place to live for residents of all ages. You can become involved with your community association in two important ways:

- Become a member when you purchase your annual Glenbrook membership, your dues are used to offer you and your neighbours many programs and activities.
- Become a volunteer Glenbrook Community Association relies on volunteers to make things happen. There are many ways to volunteer to make your community a more enjoyable place to live. At the same time, you will make new friends and learn new skills.

Membership forms and payment can be dropped off at the Glenbrook Hall mail slot, mailed to 3524-45 St SW, Calgary, AB T3E 3V2 or purchased at community events. C O N T A C T 3524 – 45 Street SW Calgary, AB T3E 3V2 Glenbrook.Community@shaw.ca (403) 249-6664



September 1, 2017 to August 31, 2018

Membership fees: \$25 per family (includes any family member living at same address) or \$15 for Senior (65 years and older) or individual. Please make cheques payable to: Glenbrook Community Association

Name	
Address:	
Postal Code:	_ Phone:
Email:	

Are you interested in volunteering? \_\_\_Yes \_\_\_No

# GLENBROOK COMMUNITY CLEAN UP



Always a great opportunity to get the yard cleaned up before winter.

### **Glenbrook Dumpster Day**

Glenbrook's annual fall cleanup day. Including this year:

- Metal recycling
- Electronic recycling
- Document shredding
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- Domestic Garbage

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Your memberships help supports programs like this.

# **September 23, 2017** 9:00 to 2:00 3524 – 45 Street SW, in the parking lot





## A Zest for Life

It's a warm, sunny day. Laughter and conversation roll out over a manicured green lawn. Under a gazebo, a group chats as a bocce ball rolls by. Inside, you can hear the choir as they rehearse for an upcoming performance. Welcome to Amica at Aspen Woods, one of Calgary's finest retirement residences.

Residents here are busy. You'll find them enjoying the salt water pool, visiting the spa, or participating in an exercise class. A bus operates as an errand shuttle twice a week. Two to three times a week, the bus ventures to places like the mountains, the Calgary Philharmonic Orchestra, or Lunchbox Theatre.

There are three catered meals a day, made by our Red Seal chef's culinary team. "Lunch on the patio is a big hit in the warmer months," General Manager, Deborah Burrowes says. "You can arrive for dinner and sit wherever you want. There is no set schedule or seating chart."

Residents are active and social with an abundance of on-site services and amenities. They're free of the worries of grocery shopping, cleaning, and home maintenance. "Our team is really here to serve in every way possible. We have residents who initially came here for respite stays who have moved in because of the level of service we provide." There are over 40 scheduled activities per week. "Half of our activities are fitness based and many are designed to maintain strength and mobility, as well as prevent falls," Life Enrichment Coordinator, Lynn Penko explains.

But it's not all fun and games. "We have professional wellness team members, including a registered nurse on site daily and LPN's around the clock. Additionally, local health professionals visit regularly," mentions Director of Care and Registered Nurse, Wanda.

Amica's philosophy is that residents should be able to age in place – residents don't have to worry about moving, since care options are available here. "Residents might move to a different floor, but they will still be able to enjoy the same activities and socialize with friends," Registered Nurse, Kathy adds.

Amica's sister community, Maison Calgary, is designed and operated for those needing the highest levels of care as well as people with dementia, Alzheimer's disease and memory loss. If the need arises, residents can transfer easily.

"Our residents are socializing everyday. They enjoy our community and don't have to rely on their families to get out and do things. On warmer days, we have walking groups visit the ravine, which has great views of the Rockies. We even recently held a community food truck festival. Living here helps to sustain independence," Deborah says.

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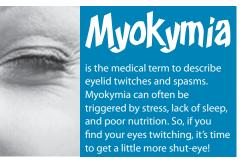
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Meetings are held the first Thursday of every month from September to June at the Community Hall (3524 45 St. SW) from 7-9pm.

**Meeting Dates:** 

September 7, 2017

October 5, 2017 (Annual General Meeting)
November 2, 2017
December 7, 2017

## Farewell to the Leaf & Pumpkin program



The City of Calgary will no longer be offering the community Leaf & Pumpkin drop off sites this fall. With the roll out of the Green Cart program, residents will now have a convenient option to compost their yard waste right at their door.

For residents that would like to remove their yard waste quicker, a Fall Yard Waste program will be available from September 29 to October 29, 2017. If you choose to, you can bring yard waste to a City landfill for free composting at that time. More details can be found at calgary.ca/yardwaste. Please do not bring yard waste to former Leaf & Pumpkin depot sites.

Thank you to Calgarians for helping to support the Leaf & Pumpkin program for over 20 years!

### **MEET THE BOARD**

Glenbrook, like many communities is run by volunteers. Our board is small and we need help to put on the activities and events the community members are asking for. Want to volunteer? Contact glenbrook.community@shaw.ca.

### President: Murray Ost

### (Glenbrook.President@shaw.ca)

Murray is returning for his 20th year as President of the Community Association.

#### Vice-President: Andrew Del Bucchia (Glenbrook.VicePresident@shaw.ca)

Moving on from his role as treasurer last year, Andrew will be Murray's right-hand man, as VP of the Community Association

### Past President: Ken Weaving

### (Glenbrook.Community@shaw.ca)

Ken continues on filling the role as Past President, supporting Murray and the rest of the board.

#### Treasurer: Kerry McGuire (Glenbrook.Treasurer@shaw.ca)

Kerry starts her first year on the board as the Treasurer.

### Secretary: Haley Bent (Glenbrook.Secretary@shaw.ca)

Haley is also joining the board this year as the Secretary

### Memberships: Mary Kuipers-Morris (Glenbrook.Community@shaw.ca)

Mary has been the Secretary on the board for several years. She'll now try her hand at membership coordination

### Hall Rentals: Shirley Barge (Glenbrook.Hall.Rentals@shaw.ca)

Shirley takes care of the hall. If you'd like to rent the hall, boardroom, or skate shack, contact Shirley.

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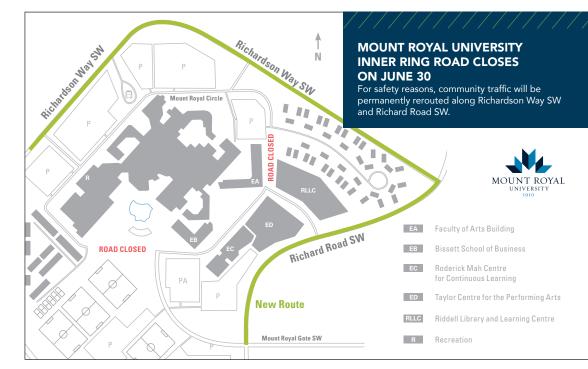


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As we celebrate the 150th anniversary of confederation, it is important to reflect on our past. In the Calgary Signal Hill riding, there are several areas with historical significance that I intend to highlight in my monthly report.

Most of us drive by Edworthy Park regularly while others walk the trails, often with their four-legged friends. We all enjoy the views but few realize the park's history.

The area was a nomadic settlement of the Plains Indians who followed the buffalo migration. The varied berries and wildlife made it sustainable for life. The cliffs and ravines were considered ideal sites for buffalo jumps. Evidence remains of the stones from tipi circles on the escarpment and several buffalo bones were uncovered after heavy rains in 1940.

In the 1870s European settlers arrived. Thomas Edworthy arrived among them in Calgary in 1883 from Devonshire, England. He became a squatter on part of the Cochrane Ranche lease and used the land to establish a garden market that supplied produce to homesteaders and railway building crews. There were springs for Edworthy to use for irrigation but the water was cold, so he built a reservoir to warm the water. The grass that supported the buffalo now supported cattle grazing, so the Edworthy homestead was built as both a ranch and market named Shaganappi Ranch.

In later years, he operated sandstone quarries for construction of buildings in Calgary. After a devastating fire, the city passed an ordinance requiring buildings to be built out of more permanent material, which led to Calgary being known as 'Sandstone City'. Edworthy's 'Bow Bank Quarries' supplied the sandstone for many buildings in Calgary that still stand today, such as Fire Hall #2, Central, Balmoral and Victoria Park Schools, and Knox United Church.

In 1894, Tom married Mary Ross, widow of Alexander Ross—Calgary's first resident photographer. Ross photographed the building of the Canadian Pacific Railway as it headed west from Manitoba, and many historic scenes, including the signing of Treaty Number Seven. Mary and Tom Edworthy had two sons, Thomas Percival and George (Sr.). Thomas Edworthy died at 48 from typhoid leaving his wife and sons to operate the businesses and ranch.

In the 1950s, part of the Edworthy land was sold and became the community of Wildwood. The family sold the remaining land, 169 hectares, to the City of Calgary in 1962 for the development of the park which bears his name.

The next time you walk through the park look for remnants of the buffalo jump, the ranch and market or the quarry, all part of the history of this beautiful legacy in the middle of our riding.





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 at tomato in a fruit salad!



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While September means back to school for many, for me it also means that the start of session in October, after a busy summer speaking with Albertans from across our province. It was great to see so many of you at the Marda Gras Street Festival or Edworthy Off Leash Dog Park, two highlights for me. I enjoyed our chats about our government's work building and opening more schools in the Calgary area will ease pressure on Currie classrooms this fall. Many others were thrilled about the construction of the new cancer centre and the SW portion of the Ring Road.

For those students returning to school this fall, I am happy that Premier Rachel Notley has kept our government's promise to fully fund each student, and those studying at Mount Royal University are returning to the world-class Riddell Library and Learning Centre. And while the reduction of school fees has helped make life more affordable for many families, it also revealed that a friendly review of the Calgary Board of Education's books was needed. I will provide updates as this work proceeds and will continue to convey any concerns to Education Minister David Eggen.

As our economy continues its return to its place as the driver of Canada's economy, we've continued to be conscientious with your tax dollars. We have reigned in spending at Albertans Agencies Boards and Commissions, for example, Guy Kerr, CEO of the Workers' Compensation Board, will earn \$396,720 instead of \$896,206 and Jim Ellis, CEO of the Alberta Energy Regulator, will see his salary drop from \$721,680 to \$396,720. We are reigning in the excesses of the old PC (now the UCP party) governments. We also re-invested \$1.53 billion in revenue generated through the Climate Leadership Plan to build the new Green Line LRT, making this the largest public infrastructure investment in Calgary's history. Your government also held open houses on condo regulations and launched a survey on consumer protection to tackle such issues as household moving services, debt collection, ticket sales and auto repairs with the goal of helping you to protect your pocket books.

The work on my private Members bill is nearing completion. Over the summer I held four more Henson Trust consultations - in Lethbridge, Medicine Hat, Edmonton, and Calgary- where I shared a draft of this legislation with families, self-advocates and various organizations. All this feedback will enhance the final version of the bill that I hope to table when the legislature returns this fall. Thanks to all who attended this second phase of consultations. I believe this bill will make their families' lives better.

Over the next few weeks you will see me in the city streets celebrating Calgary Pride with my New Democrat colleagues. If you or your community are having event - big or small, day or night - I am always happy to attend if I can! So, let me know about them by contacting my office.







## Letter to the editor

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### Last 12 Months Glenbrook MLS Real Estate Sale Price Update

	Average Asking Price	Average Sold Price
July 2017	\$534,900	\$509,000
June 2017	\$465,000	\$457,500
May 2017	\$549,450	\$564,000
April 2017	\$699,900	\$692,500
March 2017	\$589,900	\$575,000
February 2017	\$550,000	\$545,000
January 2017	\$539,900	\$559,500
December 2016	\$579,900	\$566,000
November 2016	\$548,888	\$525,000
October 2016	\$534,900	\$535,000
September 2016	\$689,900	\$675,000
August 2016	\$542,900	\$521,000

### Last 12 Months Glenbrook MLS Real Estate Number of Listings Update

	No. New Properties	No. Properties Sold
July 2017	13	7
June 2017	15	5
May 2017	4	4
April 2017	7	3
March 2017	2	7
February 2017	7	5
January 2017	7	4
December 2016	2	3
November 2016	4	7
October 2016	8	5
September 2016	6	13
August 2016	7	1

To view more detailed information that comprise the above MLS averages please visit **glenbrook.great-news.ca** 

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### **2017 Municipal Elections**

In the upcoming Municipal elections this Fall, you will be able to vote for your Mayor, Ward 6 Councillor, and School Board Trustees. Election Day is Monday, October 16, or you can choose to cast your ballot during the Advance Vote from October 4 – 11 (excluding Thanksgiving on October 9). There are many ways to vote, so check the website www.electionscalgary.ca for a complete list of options, including a mail-in ballot this year. Voting station locations will be available online after September 19, 2017, or you can watch the mail for your official Election Guide.

### New for 2017

New ward boundaries will be going into effect for the 2017 Election in order to address an imbalance in the city population distribution across wards. If you are currently in Ward 6, you will remain so. However, the community of Westgate (north of Glendale) and the Trinity Hills/Winsport area (south of 16 Ave NW) will also become part of Ward 6. Visit www.electionscalgary.ca to check your ward candidate profiles.

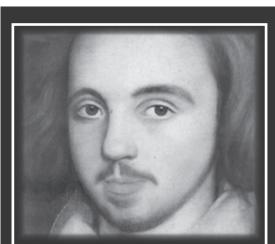
### A Personal Message

As many of you many know, I will not be seeking reelection on October 16. This will be my last newsletter update. It has been an absolute privilege and pleasure to serve as the City Councillor for everyone in Ward 6, and I am proud of the collaborative work all of us accomplished to make Calgary better each day.

Among many projects, it has been especially meaningful for me working with volunteers, communities, City Administration and The King's Own Calgary Regiment to establish the Battalion Park Remembrance Day ceremony and help it grow into a significant annual community event attended by thousands of people on November 11.

Building an even higher quality of community life for everyone was a priority for me when I ran for office. The quality of our day-to-day lives is the foundation for our success as a city. Without strong neighbourhoods supporting our families, we cannot fully appreciate our City or reach our potential. Furthermore, without a successful community life, we cannot provide support for the quality of work life necessary to drive our economic future.

To help ensure the future of this amazing Ward, I have one parting request. Get involved! Vote on October 16. Volunteer for one of the new candidates. Help out at your neighbourhood block party. Join your community association board and help it grow. Know that we are better together, and you can contribute in meaningful ways that will make a substantial impact. I am very optimistic about our great city and I look forward to supporting all Calgarians and City Council in a variety of ways in the future. Over the past seven years your ideas, suggestions and energy have been vital to sustaining my work. Thank you, residents of Ward 6!



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!

### HALLOWEEKENDS – CALAWAY PARK SEPT. 9 – OCT. 9

Enjoy Calaway in full spooky splendour with the Boo Crew, and don't miss: face painting, Thriller dance lessons, scavenger hunts, special quests, family photos and more! There will even be a costume contest on Sept. 16. More info: calawaypark.com.



### ZACHARY LUCKY – GALLERY HOUSE **CONCERT SOCIETY, OCT. 2**

Check out this unapologetically old-school country performer. Armed with his husky, baritone voice, he has received comparisons to Gordon Lightfoot and Kris Kristofferson. He sings of Canadian places and people, and puts on a sultry and intimate performance. More info: galleryhouseconcerts.com.



### CANADA SOCCER'S TOYOTA NATIONAL **CHAMPIONSHIP U-15 CUP - CALGARY** SOCCER CENTRE, OCT. 5 – 9

These championships are the definite amateur soccer event of the year, crowning the country's best community soccer clubs. Over 3,000 participants and spectators from across Canada are estimated to be part of the 2017 U-15 Cup in Calgary this year. More info: canadasoccer.com.



## YOUR COMMUNITY/CITY EVENTS AT A GLANCE.

### Autumn Pumpkin Festival – Calgary Corn Maze & Fun Farm, Weekends in October

Celebrate Autumn each weekend in October at the corn maze, the fun farm and the petting zoo. Endless activities to keep the wee ones occupied and then pick a pumpkin to take home on your way home. Not all activities included in admission price. More info: calgarycornmaze.com.

### The Great Grilled Cheese Cook-off – Jerome's Appliance Gallery, Oct. 1

Amateur and professional chefs will prepare their very own gourmet grilled cheese recipes in support of Brown Bagging for Calgary's Kids. Your mission is to taste 10 samples and then judge them along with a distinguished panel of judges, with a hand-crafted soda to wash it all down.

### Piaf! The Show – Arts Commons, Oct. 4

A powerful and moving celebration of the life and music of the legendary French chanteuse, Edith Piaf. Starring Anne Carrere who has been hailed as "Edith Piaf's legitimate musical heiress," Piaf! The Show has received rave reviews around the globe. More info: artscommons.ca.

### Wordfest – various venues, Oct. 10 – 15

Wordfest is a not-for-profit organization that hosts yearround literary events featuring the world's best writers at around 70 events in our city. More info: wordfest.com.

### Reconciliation Journey: Walking a Path Together -Carriage House Inn, Oct. 12

This is the second conference planned this year by the Indigenous Advisory Committee through the Enough For All Catalyst Fund. Expect discussions of the organization's work on Reconciliation as they relate to the 94 Calls to Action, as well as special guests, keynote speakers and panel discussions about the exciting work happening across Calgary. More info: vibrantcalgary.com.

Ghoul's Night Out – Heritage Park, Oct. 26 – 27 Heritage Park will be transformed into a spooky extravaganza for families with children three to nine. Ghostly encounters, crafts, treats, festive festooning and so much more! Look for more info to come: heritagepark.ca.



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