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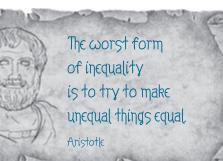


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# Community **Clean-up**

Join the Community Clean-up for Silverado on Sunday, June 19 from 10:00 am to 2:00 pm. The SCA needs help from the community to pick-up garbage. Maps of the community will be provided for groups to go out and pick-up garbage in different areas of the community.

We will be meeting at the Silverado Community Garden which is located at the intersection of Silverado Drive S.W. & Silverado Range Close S.W.

City of Calgary garbage trucks will be present, accepting couches, old furniture, mattresses, building materials (ie: gip rock) and household items.

Please do not drop off chemicals (ie: paint, solvents, cleaners) please take these to the Evergreen hazardous waste centre. The trucks will not be accepting metal, electronics,

An organic garbage truck will take leaves, branches, grass clippings, weeds, or other organic materials for composting.

Volunteers from the community that are helping pick-up garbage throughout the community will be served a free lunch and a drink for their service to the community.

Visit silveradoca.ca for more information.



## Sunday, June 26, 2016 Tee times start at 12 pm **McKenzie Meadows Golf Club**

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## PRESIDENT'S Message

#### Hello Silverado,

The SCA has been actively working with the City of Calgary Ward 14 Office, Calgary Police Services, City of Calgary Roads Dept, CBE and CSSD Trustees and Transportation Dept to make Silverado a safer community for pedestrians, bikes, vehicles, and safer locations for bus stops. Unfortunately on the morning of Thursday, April 19th a child on their way to the school bus stop at Silverado Blvd and Silverado Ponds way was struck by a car while crossing Silverado Blvd in the crosswalk. Calgary Police Services came on scene and the motorist was fined heavily for striking the child pedestrian with their car. Fortunately the child was not severely injured and has recovered. Over the past three years that I have been involved with the SCA, residents have repeatedly contacted the Community Association about concerns of speeding vehicles throughout the community. The SCA has continually asked the Ward 14 Office and the Calgary Police Service for help in the Community to reduce speeds and make crosswalks more visible. The SCA will continue to advocate on behalf of pedestrian and traffic safety for all Silveradoans. On behalf of the SCA and members of the Community we ask all residents to please slow down while driving in the community. You may be late or rushed to get to work or other activities but we ask that you take your time to slow down and be mindful of all residents in the community. By reducing your speed it has been statistically proven to reduce the number of accidents, injuries, and fatalities. Also if you see drivers speeding at high rates of speed please try to get their license plate number and report them to the Calgary Police Service.

The SCA has three great events upcoming in Silverado and are highlights on the SCA Events Calendar. On June 19 from 10:00 am to 2:00 pm is Community Clean-up. Please meet at 10:00 am at the Silverado Community Garden at the intersection of Silverado Way and Silverado Range Close. We need volunteers to help pick up garbage in the community. Maps of areas that need garbage pick up will be handed out with gloves and garbage bags for all volunteers. A free lunch will be provided to all volunteers that picked up garbage will be served from Silverado Subway and hot and cold drinks from Silverado Starbucks and Sobey's will be provided. Also if you have spring cleaning items; old furniture, mattresses, box springs, couches, etc please bring them down to the garbage trucks to be thrown out and crushed. Please do not bring paint, chemicals, electronics, metal and propane tanks as they will not be accepted. Please use the Evergreen Chemical Waste Centre set up by the City of Calgary for drop off of paint, chemicals, solvents, batteries, and propane tanks. For electronic recycling please take items to the Shawnessy Staples as they have a recycling program for these items.

To raise for funds for the continued expansion of the SCA Skating Rink the SCA is hosting a Golf Tournament Fundraiser at McKenzie Meadows Golf Course on Sunday, June 26. Tee times start at 12:00 noon. Please help sponsor this great event as the skating rink this past winter has provided a much needed recreation in the dormant winter months to many residents. For sponsorship or to register for golfing or to volunteer for this great event please contact Joseph Purcell at 403-612-5298 or joseph.purcell@shaw.ca. Golfers will be treated to great prizes and a meal in the club house after their parties round of golf.

Lastly, the Stampede BBQ is an incredible event for our community held at the Silverado Marketplace. This year it will be held on Saturday, July 16. Come out and meet friends and neighbours of our community at this family fun filled event. The Silverado Marketplace Businesses in conjunction with the SCA put on a great event for the whole family. To help with the BBQ please contact Sarah Fennell of SCA at sarah.j.fennell@gmail.com . The Silverado Stampede BBQ has continually grown with over 2,000 people in attendance last year. We are looking forward to hosting another great event for everyone this year but we need your help for it to expand and meet the needs of the community. Thank you for your support of the SCA programs and events.

Have a great summer everyone!

Thank you, Michael Shaw President Silverado Community Association



## Silverado Membership Application

Become a part in your Community! Join the Silverado Community Association

| Family Name:  | Date:  |   |
|---|--|---|
| Applicant's First Nam   | ne(s):Home Phone   | e:  |
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|   | Follow Silverado Community Association on Faceboo<br>www.silveradoca.ca  | k<br>MALECI   |
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#### Growing Rhubarb after it's gone to Seed

#### Hello Dirt Diggers!

Today I found out my rhubarb, about three years old, had gone to seed. This has never happened to me before so I immediately called my mum, who knew what to do. At this point I had two options:

Cut the stalk at the base. If the stalk is left on the rhubarb plant, the leaves will probably only grow to half the size they normally would. The plant itself will do better if I discard the stalk and seed head.

Wait for the seed head go to flower. In this case, the flowers will produce seeds over time. The seed head will mature into pretty white flowers and eventually reddish seeds will come out.



Rhubarb is a very hardy plant that withstands out Canadian winters well. One plant can be divided over and over. I've already divided it for a few coworkers and the plant doesn't look like it's been stunted at all.

So in a few months I'll pull the seeds off and try my hand at replanting the rhubarb. I've read mixed reviews on the internet, saying that it is actually quite difficult to do (which is hard to believe as rhubarb is usually a weed that can't be controlled).

In my opinion, the leaves are sort of tropical looking, due to their size and deep green colour. This year, I've decided to use my rhubarb more ornamentally than for making jam. Although I'm sure I'll reduce a bit on the stove with a simple sugar syrup and strawberries as a topping for ice cream.

Keep digging, Stef McDonald Silverado Community Garden Coordinator

## IN & AROUND CALGARY

## Celebrate Seniors Week June 6-12

Seniors make a huge difference in the lives of Calgarians. Celebrate Calgary's seniors this June by attending one of the many community events hosted around Calgary.

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Please feel free to contact our community liaison office with questions or concerns. Eugene is working very hard to keep our community safe so let's help him out in any way possible.

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## SILVERADO RESIDENT'S ASSOCIATION

#### Picnic Tables and Garbages

The Silverado Residents Association is has put in motion to install six new picnic tables in our greenspaces for our residents to enjoy along with a couple of more garbage receptacles. This is a request coming from our residents for these items to be installed to enjoy with their families. The plan is set in motion and you will see these in our greenspaces soon.

## Landscaping and Arborist Work

Residents you will see that our new landscaping company and arborist have now started and been working hard to get our green spaces looking clean and fresh. It will take time to get this space up to what we all desire it to look like but they will work hard to make it flourish and make our community look great. We ask for patience as this will take a few years to happen but they will work hard for Silverado.

#### Annual General Meeting

The board would like to thank everyone that attended the Annual General Meeting that was held in May at the Cranston Hall.

#### **Contact Information**

If your contact information has changed please make sure to contact Simco Management to make sure that your information is properly updated in the Silverado Residents Association. You the owner are fully responsible to make sure that we are aware of your contact information.

Information regarding the Silverado Residents Association (SRA) can be found at www.silveradora.com.

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

|                | Average Asking Price | Average Sold Price |
|----------------|----------------------|--------------------|
| April 2016     | \$439,900.00         | \$435,000.00       |
| March 2016     | \$469,000.00         | \$453,000.00       |
| February 2016  | \$450,000.00         | \$440,000.00       |
| January 2016   | \$479,900.00         | \$466,000.00       |
| December 2015  | \$437,900.00         | \$440,000.00       |
| November 2015  | \$444,900.00         | \$425,000.00       |
| October 2015   | \$428,450.00         | \$423,125.00       |
| September 2015 | \$434,900.00         | \$427,500.00       |
| August 2015    | \$529,900.00         | \$519,000.00       |
| July 2015      | \$483,500.00         | \$477,500.00       |
| June 2015      | \$424,900.00         | \$420,000.00       |
| May 2015       | \$439,900.00         | \$431,350.00       |

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

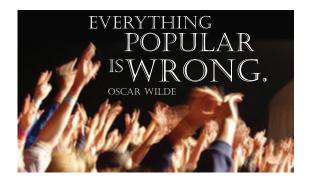
|                | No. New Properties | No. Properties Sold |  |
|----------------|--------------------|---------------------|--|
| April 2016     | 13                 | 13                  |  |
| March 2016     | 13                 | 9                   |  |
| February 2016  | 23                 | 7                   |  |
| January 2016   | 14                 | 9                   |  |
| December 2015  | 5                  | 5                   |  |
| November 2015  | 9                  | 7                   |  |
| October 2015   | 7                  | 10                  |  |
| September 2015 | 20                 | 9                   |  |
| August 2015    | 15                 | 5                   |  |
| July 2015      | 9                  | 10                  |  |
| June 2015      | 11                 | 11                  |  |
| May 2015       | 12                 | 12                  |  |

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Silverado Community & Community Association Re: Recent Concerns Relating to Silverado Blvd SW

As you have heard on the 19<sup>th</sup> of April we had a incident at the crosswalk at Silverado blvd and Silverado ponds way. I wanted to provide you with an update on what we are doing to address this location and hopefully prevent this from happening again. Since this day our office has been in contact with our partners in Roads about some quick fixes and some long term solutions. Something that you should see changing right away, we are adding rellective sleeves to the signs located at this crossing. We also have a request in to look at larger pedestrian crossing signs at this spot along with ladder markings instead of the single line markings that currently exist. These are some quick fixes that we hope will bring some need awareness and improved safety to this location. With that the roads department has confirmed that a work order is in place for the above changes and that it will be on their priority list.

The one long term solution will be the qualification of this crossing for the Rectangular Rapid Flashing Beacon (RRFB's) for this crossing. This location will continue to be evaluated on an annual basis and once it hits the required qualifications will get an RRFB. This is no different than the process at Sheriff King and Silverado blvd, as this location has now meet the required counts and will have a set of traffic lights installed this year. Now as our commitment to the Silverado Community Association we will continue to evaluate all locations in Silverado as they present potential issues on a monthly basis and any NEW pedestrian safety measures that come up we will push for your community to get them.

Going forward, we recently took part in a Ward 14 staff tour to look at all trouble locations in our communities and it was a healthy exercise. What we will do is short list this location and others in Ward 14 for an official tour with the director of the roads department in June and at that time we will communicate to the Silverado CA any new information that comes from this. It is and will continue to be a priority with your CA to monitor and do whatever we can to ensure pedestrian safety in Silverado.

Thank you,

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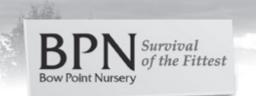
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- The grill should be placed well away from the home, deck railings and out from under eaves and overhanging branches
- Keep children and pets at least three feet away from the grill area

 Keep your BBQ clean by removing grease or fat buildup from the grills and in trays below to reduce the risk of flash fires

Never leave your grill unattended.

#### NATURAL GAS/PROPANE GRILLS

- Always make sure the lid on your gas grill is open before lighting it.
- Check hoses for leaks at the start of BBQ season by applying a light soapy water solution to the hose, a gas leak will release bubbles
- If your grill has a gas leak, by smell or the soapy bubble test, and there is no flame, turn off both the gas tank and the grill, then get the grill serviced by a professional before using it again.
- If you smell gas while cooking and cannot safely turn off the gas, then immediately get away from the grill and call the *Fire Department*, **DO NOT move the grill**.
   If the flame goes out, turn off and wait at least 15 minutes before re-lighting it.

## CHARCOAL GRILLS

- The grill should be placed well away from the home, deck railings and out from under eaves and overhanging branches
- If you use a starter fluid, use only *charcoal* starter fluid.
  Never add charcoal fluid or any other flammable liquids to a fire OR while hot coals are present.
- Keep charcoal fluid out of the reach of children and away from heat sources
- There are also electric charcoal starters, which do not use fire. Be sure to use an extension cord for outdoor use.
- When you are finished grilling, let the coals completely cool before disposing in a metal container.

## IN & AROUND CALGARY Southwest Calgary Ring Road: City priorities 2016

Now that Council approved the West and Southwest Ring Road Downstream Traffic Impact report and we're at the beginning of the year in which the Province plans to begin construction of Calgary's southwest ring road, The City is beginning to coordinate and plan for its own work related to the ring road. Here are the highlights:

**Construction** on the following projects are expected to begin in 2016

- West Hills Way: This new road will be the first City of Calgary-led ring road project to begin construction. A project web page is underway, which will be the home to more details, including design, schedule and project updates. More information will be available through February and March as the project design progresses.
- Spruce Meadows Way widening: The widening is currently under design and is anticipated to begin construction in 2016.

**Design work** will advance on the following projects through 2016, with the expectation that construction begins in 2017:

- Anderson Road widening, between the ring road and Elbow Drive
- 90 Avenue S.W. connection
- Southland Drive connection

**Design work** will advance on the following projects through 2016-2017, with the expectation that construction begins in 2017-2018:

- Bow Trail/85 Street S.W. intersection improvements
   Bow Trail widening, between 85 Street S.W. and Old Banff Coach Road
- 162 Avenue S.W. connection

**Planning work** will begin for the following projects in 2016:

- The future Sarcee Trail/Richmond Road interchange: this work will revisit existing interchange plans from 2008. The goal is to make sure the design fits with the ring road, Sarcee Trail, Richmond Road and provides good connections for the neighbouring communities and destinations.
- Changes to a number of intersections in southwest Calgary: We're early in the process of carrying out the

changes to the identified intersections and will begin the design process for the Council approved intersection improvements in 2016. The design process will result in a schedule for constructing the intersection changes, between 2017-2021.

## Other projects

• Glenmore Trail widening and changes to the Glenmore/Crowchild Trail interchange: Design work will begin on these projects in 2017, with construction anticipated to begin in 2018.



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## **COMMUNITY** business of the month D'Arcy Ranch Golf Club

## Hello Neighbor,

I would like to introduce or reacquaint you to D'Arcy Ranch Golf Club in Okotoks just a short 15 minute drive from your community. D'Arcy Ranch Golf Club is a totally PUBLIC course opened officially July 12<sup>th</sup>, 1991 and was built by Mr. Jerry D'Arcy. Mr. D, as we all affectionately called him, is past president of the Canadian Association of Oil Well Drilling Contractors; Past President of Calgary Petroleum Club; Past President of the Calgary Stampede; Past President of Canadian Quarter Horse Association.

Mr. D bought the golf course land in 1963 and ran a quarter horse ranch complete with an indoor arena (where the existing maintenance building is) and a quarter mile track (situated around the second hole on the golf course). When Mr. D decided to build his own golf course he contracted Finger Dye and Spann to design a links style course that is challenging for experienced golfers yet enjoyable for beginners.

So 25 years later we are excited to be celebrating our anniversary with a Golf Tournament on Tuesday July 12. Every time you play 18 holes here at D'Arcy Ranch you can enter to win an invitation to our 25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Golf Celebration. We would love you to join us!

In January of 2013 achieved designation as a Certified Audubon Cooperative Sanctuary as administered by the Audubon Cooperative Sanctuary for Golf Courses. D'Arcy Ranch Golf Club becomes the 17th golf course in Alberta and the 1006th golf course in the world to have achieved this designation.

This program, administered by Audubon International, is designed to help landowners and managers preserve and enhance the environmental quality of their property. The Audubon Cooperative Sanctuary Program for Golf Courses provides an advisory service to help existing golf courses develop effective conservation and wildlife enhancement programs. For full certification to be achieved, members must first become certified in six different categories.

Over the past three years, through the combined efforts of many staff members, D'Arcy Ranch has become certified in all six of the categories.

- Environmental Planning (March 2010)
- Wildlife and Habitat Management (March 2011)
- Water Conservation (March 2011)
- Water Quality Management (January 2012)
- Chemical Use Reduction and Safety (January 2012)
- Outreach and Education (January 2013)

D'Arcy Ranch is committed to a recycling program for all the departments. Our new coffee cups are all biodegradable and you will not find any Styrofoam on the property!

D'Arcy Ranch is thrilled to introduce our new Chef Alaina Goerzen. Alaina has been part of our Team since 2007.

Come in and enjoy our new menu items, while taking in our breath taking mountain view. Coming back this season is our popular Saturday night prime rib dinner, please call ahead for reservations 403-938-5522.



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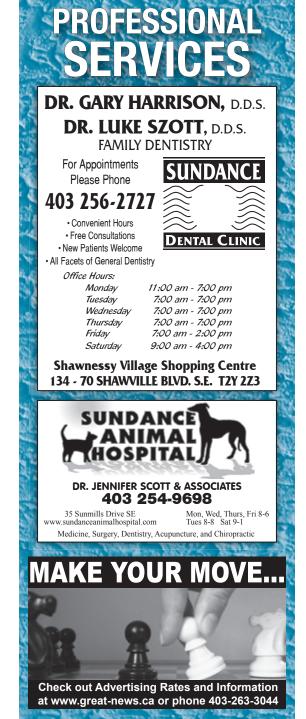
Our two Community Resource Workers are social workers who will:

- sit down and talk with you for an extended period of time
  provide supportive counselling
- help you assess your situation
- identify the strengths and resources you already have
  provide information about, and referrals to, other available resources, programs and services
  help you "navigate the system"
- Neighbours Helping Neighbours

Calgary's economic downturn is hitting people hard. The baby and personal care items we have in stock are dwindling rapidly. We are in need of the following to share: newborn and sizes 1 to 6 diapers and pull-ups, formula and baby shampoo; for children, youth and adults shampoo, conditioner, toothpaste tooth brushes, bar soap (Dove recommended), feminine hygiene products, deodorant, disposable razors, men's shaving cream.

**SWCRC Volunteer Opportunity: Parenting Group Assistant** SWCRC is expanding its parenting education programming. To support the participation of low income and socially isolated parents, we offer free child care for the parents' young children. As a member of our team of Parenting Group Assistants, you will care for the children by providing a safe, loving and fun environment in which to play, socialize and learn. The time commitment is approximately 2 <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> hours, 9:30 – noon, either Tuesdays or Thursdays.

It takes a village to raise a child. Your passion for kids, and your desire to contribute your knowledge and experience towards a community effort to optimize children's social, emotional and intellectual development, will inspire you to contact the SWCRC for more information about this important volunteer role. Call 403-238-9222 ext. 222.



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## JULY 21 TO 23 MILKY WAY NIGHTS

The Rothney Astrophysical Observatory is open to the public for night sky viewings for three nights this month. During this time of the summer, conditions are ideal for viewing distant galaxies, nebula and other planets. www.ucalgary.ca



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- July 21 to 24 Calgary Folk Music Festival: This year is the 37th annual Calgary Folk Music Festival. Expect more than 70 different artists from around the world to perform on the various stages at Prince's Island Park. www.calgaryfolkfest.com
- July 22 to 24 Fiestaval Latin Festival: This free, familyfriendly festival is a multicultural celebration of Latin American culture. www.fiestaval.ca
- July 23 and 24 Pet-A-Palooza: A pawty for fido is just what your summer was missing. Join us to meet over 80 exhibitors, local rescues, listen to live music, check out Running of the Bulls - French and English Bulldog Races! www.petapaloozawest.com
- July 25 to 31 Calgary International Blues Festival: This year marks the 12th annual Calgary Bluesfest. It's a full week of celebrating the best of blues music, with workshops, concerts and special events. www. calgarybluesfest.com
- July 30 Making a Murderer's Dean Strang and Jerry Buting: The two defense lawyers are stopping in Calgary as part of their A Conversation on Justice tour. The two will do a Q&A session, discuss the Steven Avery case and talk about what it means in broader terms, too.
- July 30 Inglewood Sunfest: This neighbourhood street festival includes activities that appeal to Calgarians of all ages. Expect live music, plenty of street performers, a Show and Shine and activities for the kids. www. inglewoodsunfest.ca



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#### June at Trico Centre

Trico Centre for Family Wellness is a non-profit, communityowned 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 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 February 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 five free passes\*

#### Spring Activities 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, Preschool 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.

Trico Centre is located at 11150 Bonaventure Drive SE. Residents of partnered communities' pay 20% less for memberships than those who reside outside partnered communities. Phone: 403-278-7542 or see www.tricocentre.ca to find out more.



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# Healthy Kitten Basics

by Jennifer L. Scott, D.V.M.

So you've acquired a new kitten and you want to protect the little fur ball, now what? There are a number of steps you need to take to protect your new housemate, and any current feline residents.

Your first step is to your veterinarian for a complete physical examination. Sooner if your kitten has goopy eyes, nose, or he is sneezing; kittens are prone to a wide variety of nasty respiratory viruses. If you already have cats in your house, your veterinarian will strongly recommend blood tests for Feline Leukemia Virus and Feline Immunodeficiency Virus. Screening your kitten for these diseases will reveal if they are silently positive for a disease they may carry for years. This will protect any other cat old or new in the household that will be at risk by transmission of body fluids in scratches and bites.

A new kitten should receive two to four sets of vaccinations a month apart. Vaccinations should end about sixteen weeks of age because maternal antibodies in the mother's milk may block the vaccine's effectiveness if the mother cat was also vaccinated. Initial vaccinations include feline distemper or panleukopenia, and a number of feline respiratory viruses. Rabies is in the last set of vaccinations. Veterinarians consider rabies vaccination especially important for all cats because of the exploratory nature of the cat. An indoor apartment cat could get rabies from the little bat that flew in the open window and landed behind the sofa. Any outdoor cat should be on a preventative medication for fleas, ticks, and lice infestation as well as being dewormed regularly for internal parasites. A tick carrying Lyme disease could be introduced into your house by your cat.

Kittens should receive boosters one year after their last kitten shots. During ongoing annual physical examinations, your veterinarian may recommend vaccination boosters, blood titers, fecal testing, and any other tests depending on your particular cat's health and lifestyle. Cats over eight years of age should have their blood pressure done. Felines are prone to hypertension.

Train your kitten to tolerate teeth brushing with salmon or tuna flavored (yummy!) toothpaste. Ask your veterinarian to show you how. Trim those nails frequently and teach that kitten to use a scratching post. Some cats can be trained with treats and lots of positive reinforcement to perform tricks, poop in the toilet, or fetch a ball... I haven't had success myself on this front. I recently discovered there are gaming apps for the Ipad your cat can play and he can even try to beat his best time. Check out the Purina fishing game.

Spay or neuter your pet. This is usually done around six months of age. Intact tomcats have a stronger odor and an overwhelming need to seek a mate. Intact female cats will go in and out of heat every two weeks at certain times of the year. They will overwhelm the household with their vocal persistent desire to find a mate.

Finally, the cat has come a long way in our hearts as a companion over the last three or four decades. For most of us, our cat shares at least equal, sometimes superior, status with the dog in the family. Many cats live into their late teens even early twenties. Our ability to treat cats has progressed to incredibly sophisticated levels. Consider investing in pet insurance programs now available for your new baby.

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# Small Acrobatic **Gliders**

Gliding to the left and right, the American Kestrel, keeps a sharp eye on the earth below for flickering blades of grass or the rustling of bushes. A member of the raptor family, the American Kestrel is easy to identify because it is the smallest of the North American falcons and the most colourful. Male and female Kestrels are dressed in a rusty red but only the males are garnished with a brilliant slate blue on their head and wings. They are easily spotted in open grassland areas, such as meadows and farmer's fields. They also can be seen in city areas and suburbs. Unlike songbirds, they will not be seen foraging for items for their nests, instead, they rely on abandoned Woodpecker holes, tree hollows and other empty cavities that are found in the environment. Kestrels may even take up residence in your backyard.

Your backyard could become a suitable home for the Kestrel, provided that you don't just set up any old birdhouse. A nesting box, nailed to a tree, high above the yard and away from sources of noise, could provide a suitable home for a feathered family. They may repay you by keeping pesky rodents out of your yard.

Like many raptors, the American Kestrel hunts for insects such as grasshoppers, beetles and spiders. They also enjoy munching on small vertebrate prey such as mice, voles, shrews, songbirds and occasionally, frogs, snakes and small lizards. Some brave Kestrels have been spotted preving on larger creatures, such as red squirrels. One characteristic that gives the American Kestrel the upper hand on small prey is their ability to see ultraviolet light. This feature gives them the power to see urine trails created by small rodents and other creatures, leading them to their next meal.

When the Kestrel finds itself with a surplus of food they store their food for later use. Like a storage box, they will hide their food in grass clumps, tree roots and other cavities along the ground. These food items will come in handy when food is difficult to find.

Hunting all day and sleeping all night isn't as easy as it may sound. The American Kestrel must always on the lookout for predators. As the smallest falcon, they become easy prey to other raptors, such as Barn Owls, Goshawks and Red-tailed Hawks. Large reptiles such as rat snakes and corn snakes will also take Kestrels as prey.

When you are out on your next walk, keep an eye to the sky, you may just see the Kestrel gliding through the air or perched on a light post or telephone post. If you come across an injured American Kestrel, or any other wildlife in distress, please contact Calgary Wildlife Rehabilitation Society wildlife hotline at 403-239-2488.



PETER DEMONG www.calgarv.ca/ward14 eaward14@calgary.ca or 403 268-1653

Happy June Ward 14!

#### Ward 14 Wordsmith Award

Every year I hold an essay contest for the Grade 6 students in Ward 14. Every year they write about what municipal government means to them, and every year I am blown away by the calibre of the essays.

For four years the winner of the Ward 14 Wordsmith Award, and their entire class, have joined me at a City Council meeting. I read the winning essay on TV during a Council meeting—so everyone can be just as impressed as I—and present the winner with the Ward 14 Wordsmith Award.

This year Ian Samuel Benham of Prince of Wales School became the winner of the fifth annual Ward 14 Wordsmith Award. He and Mrs. Armstrong-Shaver's class joined me in Council on May 16 and he received a very special prize in addition to the traditional trophy: a signed Johnny Gaudreau jersey courtesy of the Calgary Flames!

Congratulations lan! It is great to see young people who understand the importance of democracy. Thank you to all of the teachers who instil that importance, and to all the students who participated! I can't wait to see what the students have in store for next year.

For those of you who would like to read lan's essay, you can find it at calgary.ca/ward14.

#### Counciltalk

I will be holding one more Counciltalk session before summer. It will be at the ATB in Walden (300-151 Walden Gate S.E.) on June 25 from noon to 2 p.m.

This has been the most popular year for Counciltalk yet, and that makes me happy. As good as it is to see young people who understand the importance of democracy it is equally as good to see adults participate in it.

Thank you to everyone who joined me at one of my Counciltalk sessions this year. Keep an eye out for the next one on calgary.ca/counciltalk.

#### Ward 14 Communities BBQ & Walden Community Association

I think people must be getting familiar with my community BBQ. I will speak about it in a little more detail in the coming months, but for now you should mark it in your calendars. It will be a great time.

The BBQ is on September 24, from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m., and I will be officially welcoming Walden's brand new community association for the first time. It will be in the same location as always: the Southcentre Mall parking lot. You can find out more about the Walden Community Association at waldenyyc.ca and more about the BBQ at calgary.ca/ward14bbg.

#### **Deerfoot Trail Engagement**

I want to briefly mention a couple of opportunities to give your input on the future of Deerfoot Trail.

You will have to keep an eye on calgary.ca/engage to get the fine details of the first opportunity, but in general it will be a chance to share your thoughts on what you want to see on Deerfoot. Watch for the Deerfoot Trail Corridor Study on the City's website.

The second opportunity will be focused specifically on the south section of Deerfoot. I will be at the First Alliance Church (12345 40 Street S.E.) on June 23 from 7 to 9 p.m. with area MLA Richard Gotfried, other area councillors, and other stakeholders to listen to what the citizens of Calgary's south have to say.

Thanks for reading. Please feel free to contact me any time.

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## Floods, Woodlands & Bridges

Laurens Philipsen, University of Lethbridge, from a presentation at the Bow River Basin Council Science Forum, February 2016 (printed with the permission of the author)

After eight decades without a major flood, extreme rains in 2013 resulted in the highest recorded flows along the Bow and Elbow Rivers. This flood mobilized previously stable gravels and other alluvial sediments resulting in the transformation, expansion and/or creation of gravel bars and islands. These newly-formed surfaces provide an opportunity for the progressive colonization and succession of new riparian plant communities.

Although beneficial to the ecological health of this previously static system, newly establishing woodlands on

## Insects and Technology

The Namib Desert's darkling beetle is the inspiration for a new idea to turn morning fog into droplets of water and will have the ability to provide enough water per day for survival of Namib Desert people. The beetle's body has little bumps that repel

> water, sending the droplets down his back into his mouth. Discovery Magazine



gravel bars could pose a flood hazard. Woodland development at some locations might impede river flows and elevate overbank flooding and erosion during future floods. To investigate this prospect, the University of Lethbridge was tasked with analyzing and projecting post flood vegetation colonization along the Bow River as part of the Calgary Rivers Morphology Project\*. Using these predictions areas of concern for future potential river impediment were identified.

Although the study was limited to the Bow River in Calgary, flooding of the Elbow River at Mission Bridge in 2013 provides an example of where riparian woodlands forming around bridges can present a problem. Constructed in 1914 and 1915, the Mission Bridge spanned a small sparsely vegetated island. Over the years the island has become a woodland including balsam poplars. During the 2013 flood, these trees collected debris and formed a barrier that greatly reduced the capacity of the middle spans of the bridge to convey floodwaters. While overbank flooding at this location was inevitable given the volume of water, it is likely that the woodland at Mission Bridge elevated flooding.

Riparian areas along rivers and streams in Calgary present a natural environment for people to enjoy within an urban setting. Preserving these areas is important. However, when vegetation begins to negatively impact infrastructure it might be necessary to control its development and thus avoid problems such as the flooding that occurred at Mission Bridge.

\*Calgary Rivers Morphology Project, sponsored by the City of Calgary, and Alberta Environment and Parks Watershed Resiliency and Restoration Program

Formed in 2004, S2G+ Preservation Society collaborates to enhance the environment and natural history of the lower Elbow River, its valley and contiguous benchlands from the Glenmore Dam to Fort Calgary. To join our stewardship network email us at S2Gplusinfo@gmail.com. Follow us on facebook.com/S2Gplus.

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| Calgary HEALTH LINK 24/7                | 403.243.7222   |
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World Elder Abuse Awareness Day is recognized on June 15. During Seniors' Week conversation cafes about elder abuse, its incidence, impact on community and resources for Calgarians will be held around Calgary.

World Elder Abuse Awareness Day events culminate in a public gathering at Olympic Plaza on June 15, from noon to 1 p.m. Join with other Calgarians to listen to speakers and raise the public awareness about elder abuse. Bring your lunch and wear purple to show your support.

Visit calgary.ca/seniorsweek for event information.

## Silverado my babysitter list

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| Sara     | 18  | 403-700-8675 | No     |
| Marianne | 19  | 403-909-8654 | No     |
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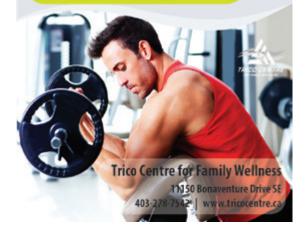
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