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Month	Average Asking Price	Average Sold Price
September	\$493,000.00	\$493,250.00
August	\$482,000.00	\$482,000.00
July	\$475,000.00	\$475,000.00
June	\$475,000.00	\$475,000.00
May	\$475,000.00	\$475,000.00
April	\$475,000.00	\$475,000.00
March	\$475,000.00	\$475,000.00
February	\$475,000.00	\$475,000.00

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Calgary Police – Non Emergency	403-266-1234	
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South Calgary Urgent Care Health Centre	403-943-9300	
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OTHER		
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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	



## Silverado Real Estate Update

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

	Average Asking Price	Average Sold Price
March 2017	\$430,000	\$426,250
February 2017	\$469,700	\$457,500
January 2017	\$522,450	\$512,450
December 2016	\$499,900	\$483,750
November 2016	\$414,900	\$403,950
October 2016	\$415,450	\$408,000
September 2016	\$434,450	\$425,000
August 2016	\$436,200	\$426,000
July 2016	\$377,450	\$367,500
June 2016	\$490,000	\$494,000
May 2016	\$406,600	\$397,250
April 2016	\$439,900	\$435,000

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

	No. New Properties	No. Properties Sold
March 2017	20	10
February 2017	10	6
January 2017	6	6
December 2016	8	4
November 2016	4	6
October 2016	9	8
September 2016	13	6
August 2016	11	6
July 2016	8	4
June 2016	12	11
May 2016	17	10
April 2016	11	13

To view more detailed information that comprise the above MLS averages please visit [silverado.great-news.ca](http://silverado.great-news.ca)

## MESSAGE FROM THE SCA

Hello Silverado,

March and April were transition months for the SCA Board. At the AGM in early March we welcomed new board members and said goodbye to others. We wish to extend our sincerest gratitude to those that have donated their time to help make this community a great place to live.

The SCA will be hosting the 5th Annual Community Cleanup on Sunday, April 30th, 2017, 10 am to 2 pm by the SCA Garden on Silverado Drive S.W. just south of the Silverado Blvd & Silverado Drive Traffic Circle. City of Calgary garbage trucks will be on site to take any items from your spring cleaning that you don't need and can't sell or recycle. Items like old couches, mattresses, left over building materials, will be accepted by the trucks. They are not able to take paint, household chemicals, electronics, propane tanks, microwaves, glass, railway ties.

The dates for the 2017 SCA events are now posted at [www.silveradoca.ca](http://www.silveradoca.ca), we look forward to seeing you there.

Thank you,  
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To contact the SCA, email [info@silveradoca.ca](mailto:info@silveradoca.ca)

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INFORMATION**

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# SCA Membership Benefits

Please show your SCA membership card to redeem your discounts

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### Board Responsibilities and Accountabilities

The Board is a dedicated group of individuals who volunteer their time for the benefit of all residents and who care for the community they reside in. The Board is committed for sharing information, full governance and generally maintaining our pathways and green space.

### How you can help

We are still looking for more volunteers on various sub-committees. If you have expertise and time to volunteer for any of the sub-committees, please send your name, and contact info with details of experience to the attention of SRA Board via email at [WandaH@simcomgt.com](mailto:WandaH@simcomgt.com).

A person with legal background could help immediately to review certain articles and policies.

### Staying in Touch

There is no increase in the 2017 Fees. The Operating Budget for 2017 was finalized and mailed with fee invoice. Several capital budget items were identified such as bridge repairs; traffic circles; signage; etc. more detail will be available in April 2017 once we have all the prices.

### Communication

**All Owners have been mailed their invoice and budget for the fiscal year 2017. The fees are now overdue. We encourage you to update your correct address and contact information with SIMCO and pay your invoice on time to avoid any penalties.**

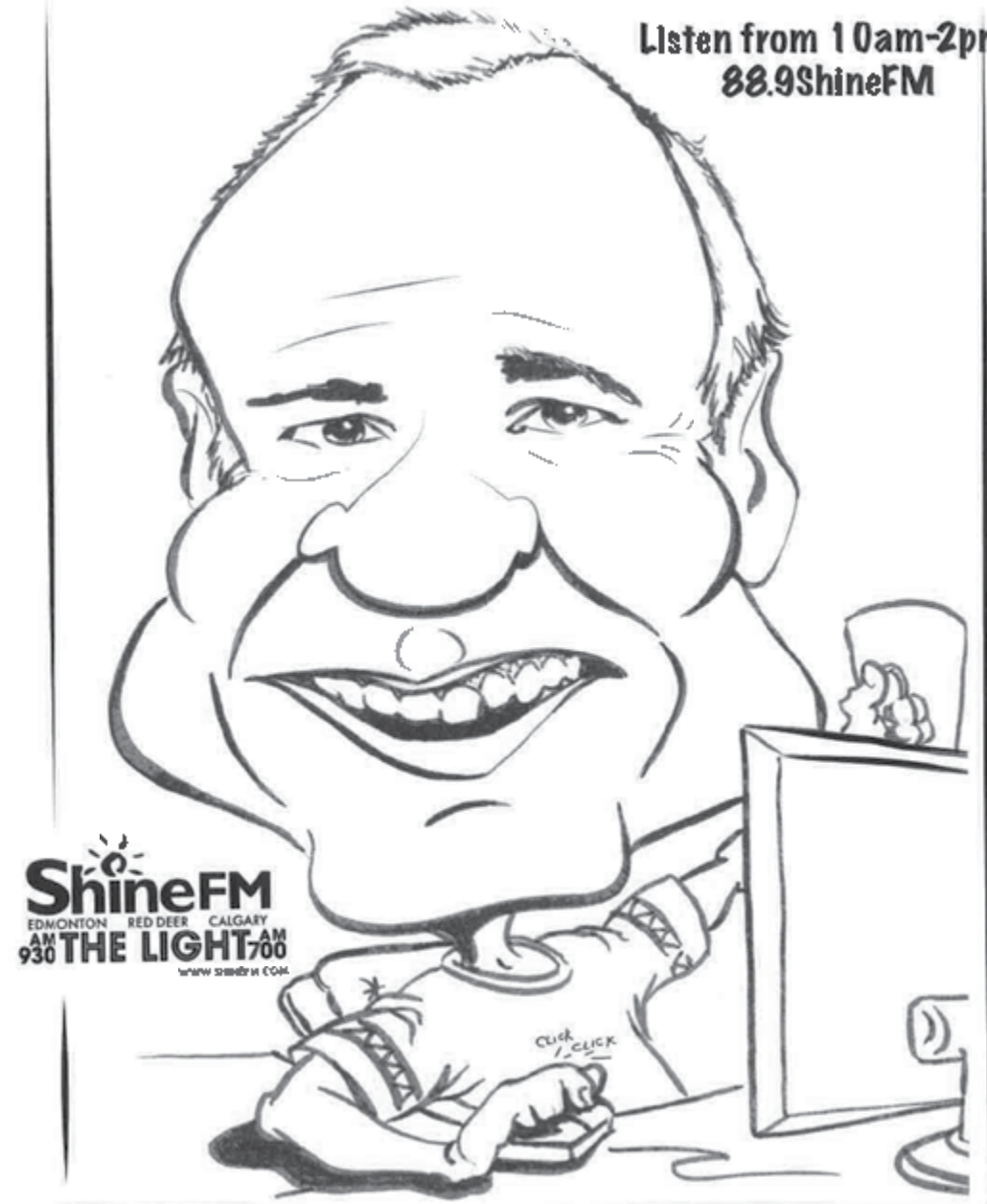
Stay tuned, as we promise a regular update to you through the SRA website and Silverado Edge. Information regarding the SRA can be found at [www.silveradora.com](http://www.silveradora.com). We encourage you to send your constructive inquiries, comments and suggestions to Simco Management (Calgary) Inc.: Contact Person: Wanda Hogg Tele. 403-234-0166 ext. 4022; [WandaH@simcomgt.com](mailto:WandaH@simcomgt.com)

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Address: ..... Postal Code: .....

Email: .....

- Memberships cost \$25/year for each address and are renewable annually in March. Please mail application form to: Silverado Community Association, PO Box 32003 Silverado PO, Calgary, AB T2X 0X4 or send email to [info@silveradoca.ca](mailto:info@silveradoca.ca). Cheques are payable to Silverado Community Association. Please allow 3-4 weeks for your membership to be delivered to your home address.
- Members of the community association are welcome to attend SCA sanctioned events throughout the year. Not only will you be able to meet others within Silverado, but will help build a better sense of community in our neighbourhood.
- Stay connected with what is happening within your community. Members are kept up-to-date of the developments within and around the community.
- Silverado Community Association is actively looking for volunteers to help out with community events and for board positions. If you are interested in volunteering your time to make Silverado a better community, please send inquiries to [info@silveradoca.ca](mailto:info@silveradoca.ca).
- Silverado Community Association updates can be located on our website at <http://silveradoca.ca/>



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If you or someone you know needs help with a fresh start, give us a call or stop by the office at the Oakridge Co-Op Plaza. Our Community Resource Workers are trained professionals that are very knowledgeable on local resources and can provide assessments, supportive counselling, information, referrals, advocacy and system navigation.

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### Events and Helping Others

- Mother's Day: bring a mom for free on Sunday, May 14.
- Help a Ronald McDonald House Mom Out: during the month of May, Trico Centre is a drop-off point for items for the Ronald McDonald House wish list. Check [www.tricocentre.ca](http://www.tricocentre.ca) or pick up wish list at Trico.
- Bare Bottom Diaper Drive: Trico Centre is a drop off location for diapers for moms in need.
- The Trico Cares program offers fee assistance for passes and admissions. With a City of Calgary Fee Assistance card, you qualify for 60% off the price of passes and admissions. Plus, Trico Centre is an approved partner of Canadian Tire Jumpstart, KidzFirst, KidsSport for programs.

### Day Camps

- Register now for summer day camps: ages 3 to 14; full day and half-day camps, early care and late care.
- Don't need a full week of camp? Come to daily camps for a full day or half day, and day all summer long.
- Themed camps for preschool or children/youth. Some camps include field trips, swimming. All camps include fun and friends.
- Featured camps for 6-12 yrs: Canada 150 Play, Discover Calgary, Harry Potter Camp, and Just for Girls.
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### Adults/Older Adults

- Adult registered fitness starting in May: includes Cardio Kickboxing, Cardio Dance, Focus on Powerlifting – plus NEWclasses Yoga Sampler for Beginners, Golf Conditioning, and Strong by Zumba.
- Mommy and Me programs starting in May: Mommy and Me Fitness, Mommy and Me Barre, Stroller Fit, and Mommy and Me Aquafitness.
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- Registered programs for older adults that start in May: Balance Builders Level 1 (Fall Prevention), Balance Builders Level 2 (Bones and Balance), Chair Yoga, Straighten Up Posture Series.
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Trico Centre is located at 11150 Bonaventure Drive SE. Phone: 403-278-7542 or see [www.tricocentre.ca](http://www.tricocentre.ca) to find out more.

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Jordan	15	780-215-7558	Yes
Gracie	16	403-807-6893	Yes
Daria	18	403-850-3380	Yes
Faith	18	587-892-2101	Yes
Sara	19	403-700-8675	No
Ariana	26	403-470-8649	No
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Shannon	40	403-931-3232	Yes

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## Traveling the Skies with Your Pet

Many of us approach flying with our pets with a great deal of fear and trepidation. People with allergies might complain and pets might misbehave. Some airlines have elected to no longer accept pets; most airlines have blackout periods around holidays. The airline industry and international import/export laws are constantly changing rules and regulations. If you intend on flying with your pet, do your research and have a backup plan is, never assume the same rules apply this week as last week.

Small pets traveling as hand luggage can check in with you through security. You carry them through the scanner, while the cage is screened on the belt. I have been able to reserve premium seats at the front of the plane with my dog, but I was warned if anyone complained I would be consigned to the back rows of the plane. I have also encountered problems flying with a large dog in a crate that didn't fit through the baggage door of a smaller plane. Always know the dimensions of your cage and total weight of the pet and cage when booking a flight.

Animals flying as cargo alone tend to be much more difficult to coordinate. Pets must be delivered to the airline's cargo depot hours prior to flight time. Cage requirements are strict. Pets must be able to stand fully upright within the cage. Two bowls for food and water must accompany the pet. Food requirements depend on the length of the flight. You can teach your dog to use one of the closed water bottles to avoid spillage in the cage. A leash must be attached to the cage. The cage must be clearly marked and the doors secure. Make sure your pet is adequately identified. Tattoo, microchip, and a collar with identification identify my pets. I'll take no chances.

Try to only book your pet on a direct flight or keep to the same carrier. There are pet travel brokers who will take care of all the hassle if you fly your pet around the globe. If you're taking a pet to Australia, New Zealand, or the British Isles, complicated and extensive vaccination protocols, blood tests, deworming protocols, and documentation make a broker absolutely necessary. Preparations take several months and schedules are engraved in stone. Errors in paperwork to Australia can cost thousands with your pet consigned to quarantine.

A current rabies certificate is required to travel with a dog into the U.S.A., but airlines may require a recent health certificate. Dogs under twelve weeks of age are too young to have a rabies vaccine and cannot enter the United States although exceptions can be applied for. Cats don't require a rabies certificate to enter the United States but most states do require it, and they do require rabies vaccination to return to Canada.

Avoid sedating your pet when flying. Only sedate your pet if you fear his panic could result in injury. A non-sedated pet may be scared, but he is better able to control his body's temperature, and less likely to aspirate vomit if air sick.

If you arrive at the airport and the outdoor temperature at your destination or current location are too extreme for your pet's safety on the tarmac, the airline may refuse to accept your pet. Have an alternative plan and be flexible. Most major cities including Calgary have kennels that will pick up and deliver pets to flights.

As a professional worrier, I still find flying my furry children extremely stressful but adequate preparation has allowed me to have many wonderfully uneventful journeys.

Jennifer L. Scott D.V.M.



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### Constituency Updates:

#### 212<sup>th</sup> Interchange:

The province announced that they will partner with the City and Brookfield Residential Calgary to build the 212th Interchange. We worked hard lobbying the government for this development. THANK YOU to those of you who signed the petition. We had over 760 signatures.

#### New Schools:

Two more schools will be built in Calgary-South East:

- Cranston elementary (Calgary Board of Education)
- Auburn Bay elementary core (Calgary Catholic School District)

Both schools are scheduled to open in 2021.

I am working with CBE Trustee Stewart and CCSD Trustees Martin and Williams to keep our other needed schools as a top priority.

The Calgary Board of Education recently posted an update on the new South East High School (scheduled to open in 2018). For complete information you can visit their website at <http://www.cbe.ab.ca/schools/building-and-modernizing-schools/Pages/default.aspx>

For the 2018 school year, the South East High School will offer Grade 10 and Grade 11 programming expanding to Grade 12 for the 2019 school year. Students from Auburn Bay, Cranston, Copperfield, Douglasdale/Glen, Mahogany, McKenzie Lake, McKenzie Towne, New Brighton, and Seton will attend this school.

#### Events and congratulations:

- Toured Main Road to learn more about snow clearing on our provincial highways (please respect the snow plow operators as they work to make our roads safe!)
- Spoke at the Opening Ceremonies of the U14B Ringette Provincials
- Congratulations to Ethan Nielson of Cranston for a hosting a fantastic fundraiser for the Alberta Children's Hospital
- Spoke at the St. Marguerite School Blessing and Dedication Ceremony

- Spoke at the ground breaking for the GoldenLife Management Market Street Village in Seton (A new senior's complex opening in summer 2018)
- Spoke at the Mahogany Sobeys Grand Opening
- Toured the Calgary Counselling Centre
- Opened COBS Bread in Mahogany
- Congratulations to Shoppers Drug Mart Mahogany and Bone & Biscuit Mahogany for their grand openings

#### Did you know?

- Our office presents congratulatory scrolls for anniversaries and birthdays. Birthday scrolls are available to constituents celebrating their 65+ birthday, in five-year intervals. Anniversary scrolls are available to constituents celebrating their 25+ anniversary, in five-year intervals.
- I will visit your child's school and speak about the role of an MLA, government, and answer students questions.
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- I am available to attend constituency events. Please contact my office to schedule.

As your MLA, I am the conduit between you and the government. My job exists to champion your voice and I do so with humility and respect for each and every one of you. I believe that my constituents don't want to hear political rhetoric. They want solutions and answers. I have a job because I was elected to serve everyone in our constituency.

If you have any questions, concerns or are in need of assistance, please contact my office at (403) 215-8930 or [calgary.southeast@assembly.ab.ca](mailto:calgary.southeast@assembly.ab.ca)  
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**CLOTHING GIVEAWAY:** Saturday, May 6 10:00 am – 1:00 pm at All Saints Lutheran Church, 380 Midpark Blvd. SE. Spring/summer clothing donations welcomed at the church from May 2-5, between 11:00 am – 3:00 pm. For more information call Retta at 403-201-7500.



**Councillor, Ward 14  
Peter Demong**  
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eaward14@calgary.ca or  
403-268-1653

Hi Ward 14,

The weather is changing, and that usually means some cleaning is in order. Whether it is around the house or in the yard, pretty much everyone does it this time of year, and so does the City of Calgary. So that is the theme for this month: Cleaning!

**Cleaning up our rivers**

I wish I had a better track record of reminding you about the Annual Pathway and River Cleanup. It is a great event, but this year I fear you are reading this a little too late to sign up. Spots usually fill up fast, and this year it will be on May 7. Oh well, there is still a point to be made.

The pathways and rivers in this city are a huge sense of pride for Calgarians, and I find this is especially true for the people in Ward 14. We just have some of the most beautiful places in the city, and—even if you are not at the annual cleanup—there is really no reason that you can't pick up some litter to keep it that way. My wife and I make a point to do this every time we go for a walk. It doesn't take long to find a bin to put it in.

If you want to find out more about the Annual Pathway and River Cleanup visit [calgary.ca/pathwayandrivercleanup](http://calgary.ca/pathwayandrivercleanup).

**Pothole repair season**

As I mentioned, the City does spring cleaning too. For over a month now crews have been sweeping the streets of everything that builds up over the winter. Although protecting your windshield from cracks, and just plain making the streets look good are big reasons they do it, there is another one too. They need clean streets to fix the potholes!

If you know of any potholes, now is the perfect time to get them in the queue for repair. I suggest calling 311, or using the 311 app (which you can get by visiting [calgary.ca/mobileapps](http://calgary.ca/mobileapps)).

**Housekeeping: Dates to be saved!**

Here are some important upcoming events:

**Neighbour Day** – It will be on June 17 this year, and it is exactly what it sounds like: an opportunity to meet your neighbours. Visit [calgary.ca/neighbourday](http://calgary.ca/neighbourday) to see how the City of Calgary can help you celebrate.

**Ward 14 Communities BBQ** – Yes, we will be having my BBQ again this year. Mark September 16 in your calendars, and if you are a non-profit organization interested in being an exhibitor at the BBQ, please email your details to [ward14@calgary.ca](mailto:ward14@calgary.ca).

**May Counciltalk** - Counciltalk will be on May 27 in the main gym at the Queensland Community Centre (649 Queensland Drive S.E.) from noon to 2 p.m. Keep in mind it will be one of only two Counciltalk sessions before the summer break. I really hope I see you at one of them.

That's all I have to say for May. Summer is just around the corner, so get out and enjoy the clean roads and rivers. As always, don't hesitate to contact me anytime!

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