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SCHOOLS

REGULAR PROGRAM

Sunalta	K-6
Mount Royal	7-9
Western Canada	10-12

TLC

Glamorgan	K-8
Henry Wise Wood	9-12

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Killarney	K-6
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FRENCH IMMERSION & SPANISH BILINGUAL

Westgate	K-4 (FR & SP)
Bishop Pinkham	5-6 (FR & SP)
	7-9
Western Canada	10-12 (FR)
Robert Warren	8-9 (SP)
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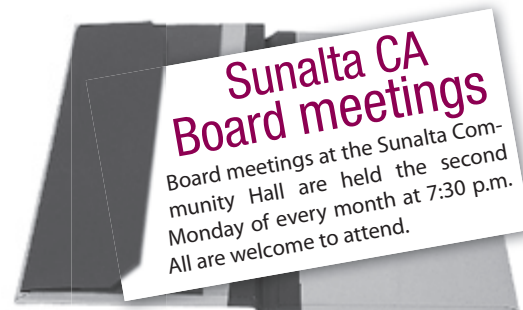
CATHOLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT

Sacred Heart	Elementary
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St. Mary's	Senior High
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St. Michael	Junior High (FR)

HALL RENTAL

Need a place for up to 150 people for your event?

Sunalta Hall has two great rooms and a fully stocked kitchen for your event. We are now booking for the summer and fall and there are still a lot of great evenings available.



HALLOWEEN HOWLER

Taking your kids trick-or-treating?
Join us on

October 31
4:30-6pm
at the Sunalta Hall

for professional face-painting
and a Halloween craft

Free event, all ages welcome

For more information
or to volunteer
email silvia.ross@calgary.ca



IN & AROUND CALGARY

Did You Know?

Cloverdale Paint Now Offers Discounts to Community Association Members!

Cloverdale Paint is now offering club member pricing to community association members and organizational members of the Federation of Calgary Communities!

What does this mean for you? Well, whenever you need to buy paint you simply go to Cloverdale and say you are a "Federation of Calgary Communities Club Member" and you will receive more than 25% off paint and more than 15% off paint accessories!

Cloverdale Paint approached us to set up this discount program as they understand that community associations, their volunteers, and their members are at the heart of our city, and they wanted to give back in some way.

Thanks to Cloverdale Paint for their support and commitment to the community association network and for helping improve neighbourhood life in Calgary!



IN & AROUND SCHOOLS

St. Michael School Christmas Craft Parade

St. Michael School
4511 8 Ave. SW
(2 blocks South of Bow Trail – off 45 St. SW)

Saturday, November 26, 2016

10:00 am to 3:00 pm

- FREE Admission
- Huge Raffle!
- Fabulous Food!
- 40+ Amazing Vendors!
- Jewellery – Art – Wood Crafts
- Knitting – Crochet – Candles
- Pottery – Homemade Baked Goods & much more!

Family Game Night

The next Family Game Night is Saturday, October 15 from 6-8:30pm at the Sunalta Hall. Join us for your favourite board game and bingo fun! Free event. All ages welcome.

"Sun-Tot's"

Sunalta Toddlers, Parents and Caregivers, you are invited to meet neighbours as you socialize with your babies, toddlers and preschoolers, up to 5 years of age, right in the community!

Tuesdays, 10 am - 12 pm
Sunalta Community Hall
(1627 - 10th Ave. SW)
Coffee and healthy snacks provided!

For more information contact: info@sunalta.net.



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Autumn is here, and it's this time of year that we start settling in a bit, the rush of excitement from school starting is over, winter hasn't quite taken hold, and the air has the crispness seldom found through the rest of the year.

In October, Halloween may get most of the press, but for me Thanksgiving is the holiday that defines the season.

Thanksgiving is an opportune time to reflect on where we are as individuals and as a society, to look to where we have been, and imagine where we could be.

Remembering back to the Thanksgivings of my youth, I was fortunate. We always had mashed potatoes and gravy on the table come Thanksgiving time, but as I've grown, I've come to know that thanksgiving is about more than mashed potatoes, Brussels sprouts and turkey.

What makes Thanksgiving a day worth celebrating is people coming together regardless of differences and petty squabbles to reflect on the things we have in our life that make it special. To make thanksgiving, it takes people coming together and sharing.

When I take part in this exercise of thanksgiving, I think about the things I am grateful for. I think about my family and my friends of course, but I also think about those who are less fortunate, I am thankful I live and represent the people in as diverse, prosperous, and vibrant as Alberta.

I am thankful that I have been afforded so many privileges in my life, many of which I'm probably never going to fully be aware of, and I am thankful that I still have a direct connection to the past through my grandparents who have taught me so much about doing the right thing, and helping those in need.

At the end of the month, it is also expected that the Legislature will be sitting again. And while that means that I will be spending more time than usual in Edmonton, my work here in Calgary is never done, I will be out and about in our community, and working with those who are doing the real work to make Calgary Currie great.

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One Year In

Time sure flies. It has been one year since I was elected to be Calgary Centre's representative in our nation's capital. I had the pleasure of running on an aggressive platform for the middle class and we are well on the way to implementing the changes that we were elected to do. Let me give you an update on some of the projects that we've been working on as a government.

In Budget 2016 our government brought into force the newer, fairer, and tax-free Canada Child Benefit which will put approximately \$930 million into the pockets of Albertan families, and give Calgarians more money to save, invest, and grow the economy. Nine out of ten families will see more money and on the whole this policy change will raise some 300,000 children out of poverty.

As for our commitments to seniors – we moved the chains of justice forward by restoring the eligibility age for Old Age Security (OAS) and Guaranteed Income Supplement (GIS) to 65; and introduced a Seniors Price index to keep OAS and GIS at pace with the rising costs faced by seniors each year. Further to this we increased the Guaranteed Income Supplement for single, low income seniors by 10%, improving the financial security of about 900,000 single seniors across Canada.

Budget 2016 invests \$2.3 billion over two years to give Canadians greater access to more affordable housing. Our Government has already started to engage provinces and territories, Indigenous and other communities, and key stakeholders to develop a National Housing Strategy. This marks a return for the Government of Canada back to the table to play a leadership role in supporting affordable housing.

With regards to my portfolio of Veterans Affairs – my ministry is reopening the nine Veterans Affairs offices closed by the previous Conservative government, along with opening an extra one to continue our commitment to doing more for our veterans. This is in addition to in-

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Listening is My Job

As Councillor for Ward 8, my first job is to listen. All of the other work I do; be it reading a report, sitting in a committee meeting, advocating in the media or speaking out for my ward in Council, is totally dependent on hearing your voices. The ways in which I stay connected are about as diverse as Ward 8 itself: Emails, phone calls, letters, newsletters, Facebook, Twitter, Instagram, and community associations are just a few. Of course, nothing beats meeting someone in person, looking them in the eye, and hearing what they have to say.

It's important that I continue this dialogue with you throughout my term in office. I want to hear your thoughts about our Ward 8 neighbourhoods and our growing city. Here are a few subjects to start off our conversation:

Green Cart Composting

Sustainable and thoughtful development is critical for our city's future. By this time next year, all single family homes in Calgary will be provided a Green Cart for composting. While composting might be new to some, the impact it can and will have on our landfills is really significant. Organic waste from Calgarians can be turned into compost can help our city in so many ways. It can go towards bettering our parks, helping small urban farming initiatives like The Alex's Community Food Centre or even offering options for renewable energy.

Affordable Housing

Not only must we accommodate the enormous pressures of growth that Calgary faces, but I believe that our greater community is only as good as it gives to those less fortunate. Therefore, affordable housing is a critical part of my work as Councillor. I'm proud that Council recently approved the Rosedale affordable housing project but that's a small step along a very long path. Some of the most important work we can do as citizens is increasing our capacity for empathy and understanding. Calgary currently has 56,000 people who are one paycheck or one rent increase away from housing instability. So, when you picture someone who is at risk of being homeless, the reality is that it could be someone much closer to you than you think.

MP CALGARY CENTRE HON. KENT HEHR CONT'D

creasing disability benefits, hiring hundreds more front line staff, and delivering on the care, compassion, and respect veterans and their families deserve.

Finally, the energy file this past year has been a focus of this new government with a combined effort by my cabinet colleagues. It is in this whole-of-government approach that we are reforming our regulatory framework, growing Canadians' trust in building energy projects, and working to getting our product to tidewater. By investing in indigenous communities, putting billions into the environment work we do at home and abroad, and improving the process, progress is being made.

As always, you can contact my office by email at kent.hehr@parl.gc.ca or by phone at 403.244.1880. My office is located at 950 6 Ave SW and my door is always open to you. You can follow my work in Parliament online at www.KentHehrMP.ca where you can watch clips of yours truly in question period and sign up for my e-newsletter.

Safety in the Inner City

Most of the communities in Ward 8 are within Calgary's inner city. So many of these neighbourhoods are growing and our services have kept up very well with the changes. Our infrastructure needs to adapt as well, and this is why I am pushing hard, for example, to upgrade the underpasses across the CP Rail tracks to make them safer, more convenient and more pedestrian-friendly. We've had some great successes as the 1st Street SW underpass is nearly complete and we've secured funding to start the renovation of the 4th Street SW underpass. We'll continue to work to make walking in the inner city safer and more enjoyable for all Calgarians.

I want to envision and build the future of our city together, and to do that I need to hear your voice. You can get in touch with my office by email (ward08@calgary.ca), Twitter ([@EWoolleyWard8](https://twitter.com/EWoolleyWard8)) Facebook ([Facebook](https://www.facebook.com/EWoolley.Ward8)) phone (403-268-2430) or letter (Historic City Hall, PO Box 2100, Stn. M, #8001B, Calgary, T2P 2M5). And, if you catch me walking on the other side of the street, I hope you'll cross over and say hi. That's what I'm here for.

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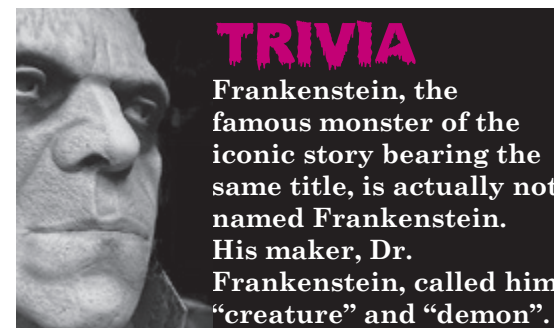
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HISTORIC SUNALTA



Remembering Kennedy's Garage (1927 – 2016)

Did you know that Sunalta is home to several buildings on the City's Inventory of Evaluated Historical Resources? The recently demolished Kennedy's Garage is one example. Known more recently as Heritage Posters and Music, it was constructed in 1927 by an important contractor Reginald H. Peach, for owners Robert and Jessie Kennedy. The business began operating as a service station, during a time when service stations began replacing livery stables as city landmarks. This was the beginning of

the automobile era and Kennedy's Garage would have been a prominent business at the busy intersection of 14th St and 11th Ave SW, right along the streetcar trolley line. In 1955 the building was rented by Edward and Anne Pargée and the business renamed Globe Steering Clinic, which it operated under until it became Heritage Posters and Music in the last decade. It was a relatively rare example of a false-front timber frame industrial building.



Sunalta my babysitter list

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If so, we'd love to hear from you!

Who: Sunalta residents

What: The Sunalta Sass is looking for local photographers who would like to see their work published as the cover art of our community newsletter. Photo resolution should be no less than 5 megapixels or a resolution of 2560 x 1920.

When: Submissions are due the 15th of each month

Where: Send your photos (a maximum of two submissions, per person, each month) to keeley@sunalta.net. Please include your full name and contact information.



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