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Belgravia Community Hall

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October 20, 2017

Banner Picture - Recess, the 2017/18 school year begins

Belgravia Community League Day & Fall Barbecue

A wonderful time was had by all at the Belgravia Fall Barbecue.





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HELP WANTED

Have a look on page 2 of any issue of The Belgravian and you will see a long list of positions in the community league, and the volunteers who fill them. It takes a lot of hands (and brains) to keep our league running! And we are currently in need of a few more.

I think that the community league is a great volunteer gig. You are pitching in for your own family and neighbours. You work and become friends with a great group of fellow volunteers. You apply the skills you enjoy practicing or learn new skills. You use your volunteer time efficiently, because almost all the work takes place in the neighbourhood (no fighting the traffic to get to meetings!).

Please see the box below for a description of vacant (or soon to be vacant) positions. I look forward to hearing from you at president@belgraviaedmonton.ca if you would like more information on these or other positions with the community league. Thank you!

Michael Cohen, President, Belgravia Community League

Position	Description
Programs	 Plan and coordinate events and programs such as the Community League Day BBQ, Made in Belgravia educational series Assist in launching and managing recreational programs at the hall such as yoga and Zumba
Communications	 Maintain the league's website and Facebook page, including posting content and improving design Manage the intake and distribution of "e-blasts" to the league email list
Ads manager, The Belgravian	Serve as point of contact for advertisers, provide guidelines and rates
Chair, transportation committee	Lead efforts to engage residents, nearby communities, and City of Edmonton in developing options for reducing traffic backup and speeding
Your choice	Suggest a new program and run with it!



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- Respecting Mature Neighbourhoods
- Empowering Communities
- Protecting Greenspace

Contact me to find out more about my campaign:

- 780-752-7778
- @JamesKosowan
- James Kosowan for Ward 8

www.jameskosowan.ca



Belgravia Cooperative Playschool is now accepting registrations for three and four year olds for the 2017-18 school year.

Located in the newly renovated Belgravia Hall, the not-for-profit preschool program has been serving the area for more than 40 years.

Registration forms available at: www.belgraviaedmonton.ca or by contacting:

playschool@belgraviaedmonton.ca.

Belgravia Community League 2017-2018 membership

Please show your support. Memberships can be obtained as follows:

- A door-to-door campaign will run in September and October
- 2. Online by credit card through the Edmonton Federation of Community Leagues at http://www.efcl.org/. There is a \$5 processing charge.
- 3. Memberships will be sold at community events.

Please note the category of Associate (non-voting) membership for non-residents of Belgravia who would like to support the community. Associate members need to purchase a membership in home community first.



Cost of membership is Family (\$35), Single (\$15), senior (60+, single/couple) (\$15), couple (\$20), and Associate (\$10).

We are still in need of volunteers for the door to door campaign. Routes are one or two blocks long and will take about an hour or two to complete. It is a great way to meet your neighbours. Please contact Jennie Lambert at membership@belgraviaedmonton.ca.



Belgravia School

Bottle Drive

Saturday Oct 14

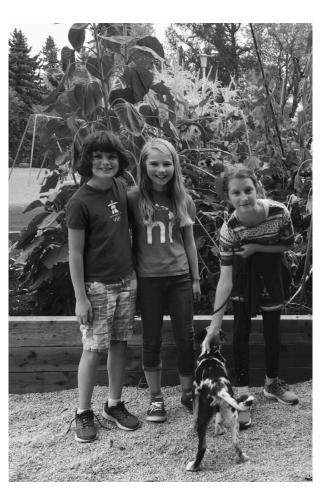
Please mark your calendar and place in front

of your house by **9:00** AM

Thank-you for supporting our community school!

Belgravia School outdoor learning centre Grade 5 and 6 students Kelsey McGee-Parenteau, Melinda von Lipinski and Moira Hemens (with Fawkes) in the outdoor learning centre.

It addition to providing a natural area for exploration and play, each class has the opportunity to plant a vegetable garden in the centre.



PEER CONNECTIONS CRAFT SALE

A Mental Illness Awareness Week Event

October 4, 5, 6, 9:30 AM – 4:30 PM, University of Alberta Hospital Foyer

Proceeds go towards purchasing supplies for the activity groups. Handmade items created by people with lived experience of mental illness or a mental health challenge in the Canadian Mental Health Association – Edmonton Region Peer Connections activity groups: Scrapbooking-Fun With Paper, Knit & Crochet, Quilt Club Plus More.

FALL YOGA CLASSES

Classes designed for all ages and levels of experience McKernan Community Hall

MEN'S: Session 1: Sundays, Sept. 10 to Oct. 22

Session 2: Sundays, Nov. 5 to Dec. 17

2:00 to 3:30 p.m.

Cost: \$105/sessions or drop in \$20/class

MIXED: Sundays, Nov. 5 to Dec. 10, 12:15 to 1:45 p.m.

Cost: \$90/sessions or drop in \$20/class

For further information or to register call Peter Rausch at 780 437 -5238

Come Celebrate
Our Belgravia Community League's
35th Annual

PUMPKIN PARTY

Sunday, Oct. 29 2 - 4 pm BELGRAVIA COMMUMITY HALL

All Belgravia Community League Members Welcome

Free Pumpkins for Families in Costumes!

Please bring your own carving utensils!!

Pumpkin-for-"<u>Two-Toonies</u>" for those not in costume or nonmembers

*** Community League Memberships Available at the Party ***

Costume Parade / Games / Carvin' Fun-for-All/ "Apple-Bobbin"



Made in Belgravia

Don't miss our inaugural Made in Belgravia "Belgravia Cooks!" series when Anjna Shah will demonstrate how to make her well loved samosas.

Anjna lived in Belgravia for 25 years before moving to Toronto this past spring. On her first return visit back to Edmonton and lucky for us, she has promised to demonstrate her samosa making skills.

Learn from an expert, sample and take a few home when the session is over.

When: November 1, 2017 (7 - 9 pm)

Where: Upper BCL Hall and Kitchen

Session Fee: BCL members (\$10); non-members (\$15)

* Memberships will be available at the door including BCL Associate memberships for those coming from another community league with a 2017-18 membership card.

RSVP to <u>mib@belgraviaedmonton.ca</u> by October 27, 2017 so we can be prepared for the numbers who attend. Note: Maximum attendance is 20.

Belgravia Adventure series ... Interested in learning about backcountry skiing at Assiniboine Lodge?



Join us to hear about the magic of alpine and light touring in the shadow of Mt. Assiniboine while staying at the iconic Assiniboine Lodge.

Back by popular demand, we are hosting the owners of Assiniboine Lodge and local ski shops at:

Belgravia Hall, 11540 - 73 Avenue, Edmonton Wednesday, October 25, 2017 from 7:00 to 9:00 PM

The evening of sharing stories and expertise will demonstrate how easy it is to learn to backcountry ski in one of the Canadian Rockies' most beautiful valleys.

The evening includes drinks, tasty treats, prize draws and the chance to win a winter trip to Assiniboine Lodge.

Space is limited. Please RSVP to Ellen at ellen@assiniboinelodge.com

We hope you will join us. Kathy Brodeur-Robb and Michael Robb

CALLING ON BELGRAVIA COMMUNITY
LEAGUE ADULT MEMBERS (18+)

BCL CASINO

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

40+ VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

FOR OUR UPCOMING

2018 CASINO

SATURDAY, JANUARY 27 AND SUNDAY, JANUARY 28

AT THE GRAND VILLA CASINO (10224 -104 AVENUE)

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<u>Please "Sign-up" ASAP</u> by contacting Reg Norby, Casino Coordinator by email: norby@shaw.ca or by phone: 780-436-0590 and indicate your contact phone number and email and the shift or shifts you are able to volunteer for:

Saturday, January 27: Shift "A": 9:30am - 7pm / Shift "B": 11:30am - 7:15pm Shift "C": 6:30pm - 3:15am / Shift "D": 6:30pm - 4am / Shift "E": 10:30pm - 3:30am

Sunday, March 28: Shift "J": 9:30am - 7pm / Shift "K": 11:30am - 7:15pm Shift "L": 6:15pm - 3:15am / Shift "M": 6:15pm - 4am / Shift "N": 10:30pm - 3:30am

The Casino Shift Schedule will be set up in early January and you will be contacted as to your (day or night) shift(s), assigned position/duties/details, and transportation arrangements. For more information, contact Reg Norby, BCL Casino Coordinator.

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For single event rentals lasting more than 4 hours, the hourly rental fee is reduced by \$10/hour for every hour thereafter.

For single events contact: hallrental@belgraviaedmonton.ca



Just One World - An Ethical Global Marketplace

Just One World, offers the opportunity to buy gifts that help to make the world a better place. All of the money earned at Just One World Market goes directly to support community-based groups and worker cooperatives in dozens of communities from South Africa and Zambia to Guatemala and Ecuador.

The market has been part of Edmonton for over 30 years. This year it will be held:

Nov 25 (10 am - 5 pm) & 26 (10 am - 3 pm) St. Basil's Cultural Centre 10819 71 Ave NW

For more information on past events please see our website at http://justoneworldmarket.com/.

Belgravia Community Volunteers

Volunteers are important for every community and Belgravia has them in abundance. Here are some of our hardworking volunteers.



New BCL President, Michael Cohen with young BCL members hoping for a door prize.





John Murray & Reg Norby getting serious about BBQ'ing the burgers.



Our new BCL Facilities Director, Marcel Huculak: Welcome to the 2017 BCL BBQ

BCL Play School food prep team the belgravan Estabrooks & Irene Andersson

