

A Message from the PCCL President – 2019 Recap

To all members,

We are quickly approaching the Prince Charles Annual General Meeting (set for October 22nd) and I wanted to give you a recap of the 2018-19 year. The goals I set for the board were to get our new bylaws revised and approved by the Registries office and to put on one community event a month.

- October we had our annual Halloween decorating contest,
- November visioning meeting for 2019
- December was the sleigh rides in the park and Annual Christmas decorating contest
- February was the sleigh rides in the park
- March we had a St Patrick's pub night at Sneaky Pete's
- April we had a movie night at Prince Charles School featuring Mary Poppins
- May was the community casino fundraiser and A Pot on Every Porch
- June we had a Big Bin event
- July was the community wide garage sale
- August was movie night in the park featuring Dumbo, bylaws approved.
- September was community league day in the park
- October will have the AGM and also the annual Halloween decorating contest.

I would like to publicly thank the following:

The community board of directors, thank you for your sustained dedication towards these goals and achieving them with success. All volunteers that participated in our community Casino; without your help we would not have funds to improve our community. Our city NRC Kristy Berryman. ACE connector Lucie Caouette. Harold Rocher from ENHC (where we hold our meetings). All the vendors we worked with this year: Longriders Sleigh Rides, Sneaky Pete's Pub, Prince Charles School, Kuhlmann's, City of Edmonton, Fresh Air Cinema, Infinite Event Services, Tim Hortons.

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We've received confirmation from Alberta Gaming & Liquor Commission that our league received a total \$74,290.87 as a result of our May 9 & 10/19 casino. Thanks again to all the volunteers who helped cover all the positions at that event. The league is currently on slate for another casino sometime in Apr/May/June of 2021 with the exact dates determined via a random draw done in Nov. 2020.

Lise Gamache, Director At Large / Casino Chairperson



We would like you to join!

The Prince Charles Community League would like you to join with a **FREE** membership card for the upcoming 2019-2020 year. Memberships come with wonderful privileges like **FREE** swimming and skating passes, access to the Tool Library (for **FREE** use of household tools) and many more things.

Board member Paul Boleska is canvassing door-to-door this month to sign up new memberships. You can also call Paul at 780 454-7163 and he will collect from you the appropriate information over the phone and drop off your membership card to you.

The more memberships our League can sign up, the more grant money we receive from the city for community projects here in Prince Charles. It's a win/win situation for all of us.

Come and join us.... you're always welcome!



The Edmonton Tool Library is a registered notfor-profit society in Edmonton, Alberta, Canada, which provides affordable access to hand, power, and garden tools for its members.

The Edmonton Tool Library:

Wednesday 6 – 8 pm Saturday 1 – 5 pm

> Bellevue Community Hall 7308 112 Avenue NW edmontontoollibrary.ca

REMEMBER... to access the Tool Library, you must have a community league membership. COMMUNITY LEAGUE MEMBERSHIP PRICES:

Seniors: FREE Single: FREE Family: FREE Business: \$40.00*



Prince Charles' NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH



Safety Tips for Autumn ... It's that time of year again;

time to put away our stuff, open up the windows and welcome the beautiful fall weather. With open windows, however, our homes become more accessible to burglars if we're not careful. Like most crimes, burglary is a crime of opportunity. If we eliminate the opportunity, we can eliminate some of the crime. Here are a few helpful tips to ring in a safe and enjoyable fall: Never leave a door or window opened while you are not home. Keep windows and doors locked that are not in use. While out in the yard cleaning up leaves, or doing yard work, identify those areas of your home that are accessible by standing on any object, the top of a fence or lower roof. Be creative and imagine where someone may climb to gain entry to your home, block off all points of access by keeping everything locked. Consider purchasing surveillance equipment or putting up additional lighting with timers for when you are not home, and when it gets dark. Take notice of overgrown shrubbery, and trim bushes as needed in areas around your home that provide cover for would-be burglars, such as those shrubs blocking front windows. With the fall season comes shorter days, and longer nights. Remember these few tips when it comes to preventing other crimes of opportunity: Avoid walking alone at night. If you have to walk alone, plan out a route that you're comfortable with, even if it may be out of the way. Stay on well-lit streets, use routes that you know are widely traveled, and avoid shortcuts. When you walk, keep your head up, and pay attention to your surroundings. We recommend that you do not wear headphones while walking home from work or out exercising. Take note of where you park and have your keys out and readily available prior to arriving at your vehicle. When exiting your vehicle be sure to put the windows up and lock the doors. Do not leave valuables in your vehicle. If you need to store items in your vehicle for any reason place them out of view or in the trunk. Keep your electronics out of site in your vehicle, remove car chargers and GPS mounts from view, and clean suction cup marks from your windows and dashboards. Talk to your local police Officer for additional information on preventing crime

Any questions you may have feel free to contact princecharlesnw@gmail.com

Prince Charles Community League <u>Annual General Meeting</u> October 22 - 6:30 pm Edmonton Native Healing Centre 101-11813 123 St

We have the following roles available on the board for the 2019-20 year.

President – 2 year term
Secretary – 2 year term
Director of Communications – 1 year term
Director of Membership – 2 year term
Director at Large – 2 year term, 2 positions
Director at Large – 1 year term, 3 positions



We had a really strong team for the 2018-19 year and, as with anything, there's time for change and some of our team members are moving on. This is a great opportunity to give back a little to the community and to help shape the future of your league. If you are interested, reach out to me by phone or PM me in Facebook

Charlie Senior Prince Charles Community League President 780-920-2415



Community League Day Festivities in the Park



The Prince Charles Community celebrated "Community League Day" on Saturday September 21 with a BBQ and community gathering in the park. Face painting and good cheer added much to the festive mood. This event was to celebrate the community spirit that Leagues bring to their neighbourhoods throughout the city.

Fun was had by all 143 attendees (21 NEW members!)

Be sure to participate in the next event: see below

What's Happening in Prince Charles...

Annual Prince Charles Community Balloween Bouse Decoration Contest

Decorating

• Fun

Prizes!



Decorate your house for Halloween and you may be chosen as the best in the neighbourhood. Winners will be announced in a future Newsletter





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Things to do in & around Prince Charles: October 2019

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday

Community drop-in programs at www.edmonton.ca/dropincommunityprograms or call 311

Edmonton Public Library Woodcroft Branch 13420- 114 St www.epl.ca/programs for more details

Inglewood Community Hall 12515 115 Ave John Janzen Nature Centre <u>www.edmonton.ca/johnjanzen</u>

NWESS North West Edmonton Senior Society 12963 - 120 Street www.calderseniors.org



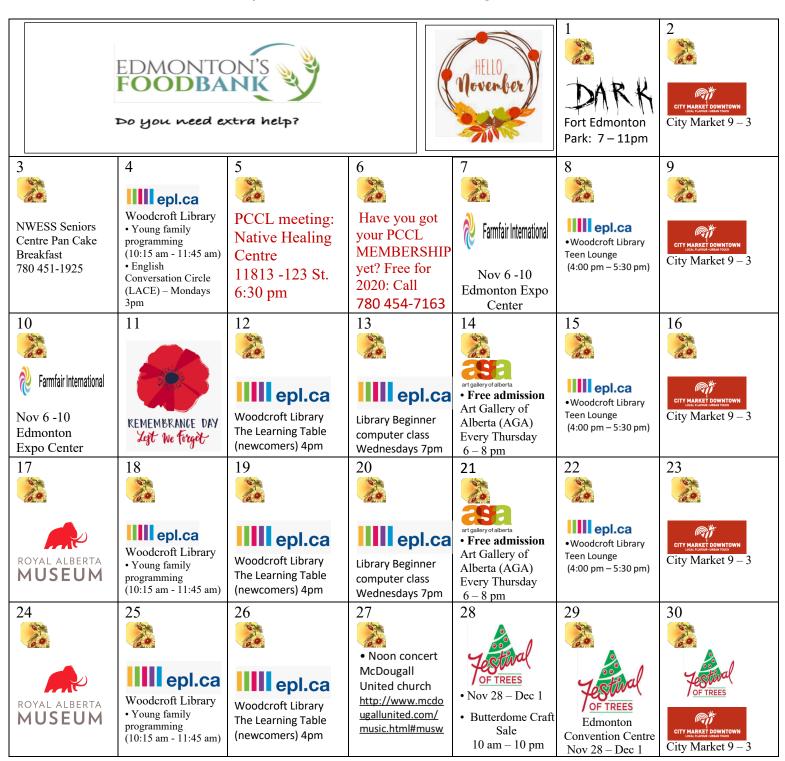
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Upcoming and Notable at epi.ca Woodcroft Library – Fall 2019

Kids and teens – Ever wanted to use the X-box One outside of our regular class times? Use a laptop? An iPad? A ROBOT?! Well you can! All you will need is your Edmonton Public Library Card or ME Card! Come see us at the desk and ask to book any of the following:

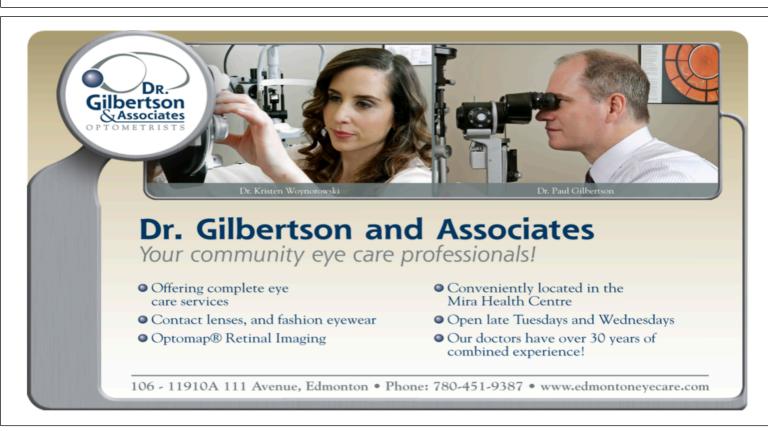
• X-box One Controller • Laptop • iPad • Sphero • Dash/Dot • Ozobot • Lego Mindstorms

Newcomers – Woodcroft now has a Settlement Worker available to help with any questions you have and can get you connected to resources you need, while you are new to Canada. She is available in the library every Tuesday, from 10-4:30 so you can drop in to see her then, or contact her at Lisa Li lisa.li@eisa-edmonton.org 780-999-6727

100 Seekers - Do you need help writing your cover letter and resume or applying for jobs online? We've got you covered! Get one-on-one support with an EPL volunteer this fall on Thursdays from 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. between September 19 and November 7. This is a FREE, drop-in event – no registration is required. Participants will be seen on a first-come first-served basis, as space allows.

Legal Education - Free workshops from BearPaw Legal Education (Native Counselling Services of Alberta) offers meaningful, understandable, affordable and accessible resources to educate Indigenous people about their legal rights and responsibilities. Topics and dates to-be-announced, but there will be one workshop each month during September, October, November and December.

For more information about these or any other library services, visit us at 13420 114 Avenue, call at 780-496-1830 or go online to epl.ca.



YOUR EXECUTIVE

President...... Charlie Senior 780-920-2415 Vice PresidentTracy Pollard Secretary.....Topher Communication......Victor Steel TreasurerLise Membership Chair......Maureen Social Chair.....VACANT Directors-at Large......Ben, Linda, Lucie, Lise Gamache and Paul Boleska

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Membership Benefits:

*(open to all residents: owners and renters)

- Gives you the ability to vote on matters affecting the Community
- Allows you the right to become a Board member and help shape the future of the neighbourhood
- Allows you or your children to participate in sporting activities (even if we do not offer the program in Prince Charles, such as soccer)
- 13 FREE swims at select City of Edmonton facilities per member listed on the membership card
- Discounts at City of Edmonton recreation centres for annual, monthly and multi-admission passes
- Discounts to certain City attractions (as available)
- access to the TOOL LIBRARY
- Access to Community League Hall rentals ** **Prince Charles does not have a hall, but other halls may rent at discounts for birthday parties and other events

... AND ALL OF THIS IS FREE TO YOU. GET YOUR **MEMBERSHIP CARD TODAY!**

Prince Charles Community Park Resurfacing: Update

Hello Everyone,

Just an update for the park! The survey we sent out about the playground had an overwhelming vote for the rubber! We are still going forward and working with the city for approval. More information to follow.

Thank you,

The Park Committee

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= \$25.00 • 1/4 page

• ½ page = \$50.00

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