



What's up in woodcroft

All programs take place at Woodcroft Hall 13915-115 Ave. unless otherwise specified



2011 BIG BIN EVENT

Location: Woodcroft Community Hall Parking Lot,
13915 - 115 Avenue

Date: June 11 and 12, 2011

Time: 9:00 AM – 5:00 PM

The City of Edmonton is hosting Big Bin events for household items that can't be set out for regular waste collection. Twelve weekend events will be held in various locations throughout the City. City residents will be able to drop off items such as old couches, chairs, mattresses, and appliances free of charge. Computers and other electronics will also be accepted for recycling.

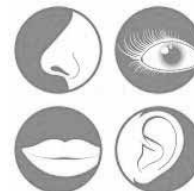
Note: Do not bring household hazardous waste like paint, varnish, household cleaners or batteries. Please take those items to an Eco Station.

We are seeking volunteer drivers/ workers to help Woodcroft residents who need assistance participating in the Big Bin Event. If you are able to drive a cube van and/or help load and drop off unwanted household item. Please call Patricia at (780)454-8680.

SEASONAL CONTRACT EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY WITH THE WOODCROFT COMMUNITY LEAGUE

We are looking for an Ice Rink Supervisor, who will oversee and work with an ice rink attendant(s). This person will supervise the ice rink attendant(s), ensure that Woodcroft Community has two ice rink surfaces, and that the rinks are maintained & cleaned. The time period for this position is weather dependant but usually December – March.

If you are interested, please apply by submitting a letter to the Woodcroft Community League, 13915- 115 Avenue, Edmonton, AB, T5M 4B6, or E-mail to the Community League at: wclwebadmin@woodcroftcl.org



PLAYING WITH OUR SENSES

Date: Mondays until June 20

Time: 1:30 pm - 2:30 pm

Location: Woodcroft Community Hall

Come out, have fun and get messy! This program is filled with experiences to light up the senses. Your child's sense of touch and smell are in for a real work out! Come prepared for messy and rewarding play experiences for you and your child birth to five years.

No need to register, just drop-in!

WANTED: COORDINATOR FOR THE MOM AND TOT'S GROUP

In the past, this group met Wednesday mornings from 10 AM to Noon. It enabled Moms/Parents to get together with their young children to share ideas and to give their children an opportunity to play with others their age.

We are looking for a new coordinator for the Mom's and Tot's Group for the Fall/Winter season. If you are interested, please contact Cindy Stewart by phoning (780) 488-6943 or e-mailing her at lucystew@shaw.ca

Please note that there other dates and time slots available if Wednesday mornings do not work for you.

EDMONTON PUBLIC SCHOOL TRUSTEES WANT TO HEAR FROM YOU!

The Edmonton Public Schools Board of Trustees has formed a committee to examine all the factors associated with school closures. The Committee is also looking at innovative ways to keep schools open and vibrant.

As part of its work, the Committee is holding a number of public meetings over the next few months to help it better understand all of the issues involved. At each meeting, the Committee will explore a different topic. The meeting will begin with the Administration providing a brief presentation on the topic and then the Committee will discuss the topic. Community members are invited to attend the meeting and to share their thoughts.

**All meetings will be held in
McCauley Chambers at:**

**Centre for Education, One Kingsway
(across the street from the Royal Alexandra Hospital)**

2PM to 4PM

Dates listed below

Free underground parking is available.

If you would like to make a presentation to the Committee at one of the meetings, contact Anne Sherwood, Board Secretary, at 780-429-8012 to register as an individual or a delegation.

Public Meeting Dates

Date: June 14	Topic: District Enrolment Trends
Date: September 13	Topic: Space Utilization
Date: September 20	Topic: Leasing
Date: September 27	Topic: Alternative Programs and Open Boundaries

More information contact:

Janice Bell

P: (780) 429-8279 F: (780) 429-8288

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ALBERTA INDIGENOUS GAMES 2011

July 17 - 22, 2011

The summer of 2011 will bring together Indigenous people from across North America to Edmonton, Leduc and Enoch Cree Nation for 6 days of sports, education, and cultural awakening.

**Proudly Presented by ENBASports
Edmonton Native Ball Association**

The games will include canoeing, archery, basketball, volleyball, ball hockey, soccer, track and field, softball, and golf at Coronation Park and other locations around the Edmonton area. The week will also feature Indigenous arts, speaking, music, dance, and other cultural gatherings affirming the theme of "Reclaiming our Youth."

For more information go to:

<http://www.aig2011.ca/>

JUNE IS STROKE MONTH



Time is Brain! Don't delay! Rapid treatment can improve recovery if you are experiencing a stroke.



Time sensitive stroke treatments are available.

Call the Edmonton Zone Stroke Program at 780-407-3041 for more information.

Call 911 immediately if you are experiencing sudden weakness, speech disturbances, visual disturbances, headache or dizziness.



UPCOMING SUMMER CAMPS

Hurry to register your kids! There are only a few spots left in these great camps.

Check the websites (www.woodcroftcl.org) or

<http://www.edmonton.ca/attractions-and-recreation.aspx>
for information.

CAMP	DATE	AGE GROUP	TIMES
Weird Science/Science Discovery	July 11 - 15, 2011	8 to 12 years	9AM - 4PM
Dino Mites/ T-Rex	July 25 - 29, 2011	3 to 5 years	9AM - 12PM
Toe Tapping Tots/Hop to It	July 25 - 29, 2011	3 to 5 years	1PM - 4PM
Paint, Plaster & Play/ Arts Galore	Aug 22 - 26, 2011	6 to 12 years	9AM - 4PM

40 KM/HR LOWER RESIDENTIAL SPEED LIMIT PILOT REPORT

The 2004, 2007 and 2009 Citizen Satisfaction Surveys conducted by the Edmonton Police Service identified speeding and careless driving as the top community problem in Edmonton. The City of Edmonton's Office of Traffic Safety in partnership with the Edmonton Federation of Community Leagues initiated a 6 month pilot project to lower residential speed limits in 6 communities to 40 km/hr to see if a lower speed limit would reduce the number of accidents, fatalities and injuries in our communities. City Council's Transportation and Public Works Committee on April 12, 2011 decided not to implement the 40 km/hr residential speed limit across the city at this time. They decided to leave it up to the 6 piloted communities whether they would prefer to keep the 40 km/hr limit. The City of Edmonton will conduct a random phone survey to ask residents if they prefer the 40 km/hr limit to stay or go. You will receive a fact sheet in your mailbox regarding this issue--please read the fact sheet carefully.

For more detailed results of the pilot program please go to:

http://www.edmonton.ca/transportation/OTS_Speed_Limit_Reduction_Report.pdf



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Sivam Poodle Boutique & Canine Fine Arts



Erin Hincz
Manager

780-455-2388

11437 - 124 Street
Edmonton, AB T5M 0K4

Woodcroft Community League Contact List 2011

President	Vacant	
Vice President	Ben Molnar	455-2337
Secretary and Playground Committee	Arlene Huhn	481-4420
Treasurer	Patrick Hallonquist	481-4420
Member at Large and Hall Maintenance	Dan Ethier	488-0302
Member at Large	Patricia Grell	454-8680
Member at Large	Sandra Johanson	433-2227
Member at Large	Wendy Smith	455-3348
Member at Large Membership Coordinator	Mark Tofsrud	497-7728
Member at Large and Web Site Administrator	Linda Thiessen	452-4460
Social Committee Chair	Cindy Stewart	488-6943
Playground Committee	Arlene Huhn	481-4420
Newsletter Editor	Kelley Propp	435-2705
Mom's Group	Vacant	
Hall Rentals	Cindy Stewart	488-6943
Soccer	Kim Cordeiro	452-2500
Traffic Concerns Committee	Carol and Bob Watson	454-7662
Cards/Welcoming Committee	Marlo Miles	454-0947
Alberta St. George Society Liaison	Linda Cooper	439-0567
Community Recreation Coordinator	Una Bryce	496-1911
Playschool		452-9964
Community Social Worker	Lou Kinkartz	910-5105
ETS Manager	Charlie Stolte	496-5796

Woodcroft Community Newsletter Advertising Rates

For Profit Organizations Non-profit Organizations:

Business card: \$25.00 Business card: \$15.00
 ¼ page: \$50.00 ¼ page: \$25.00
 ½ page: \$100.00 ½ page: \$50.00
 full page: \$175.00 full page: \$75.00

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Deadline for submissions for the fall issue is August 18, 2011

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COMMUNITY LEAGUE MEMBERSHIPS
\$30.00 FOR FAMILIES
\$20.00 FOR SINGLES AND SINGLE PARENT FAMILIES
SENIORS (65+) AND NEW RESIDENTS FREE!

RESIDENTS OF THE BRENTWOODS HOMES PICK UP YOUR FREE MEMBERSHIPS AT THE BRENTWOOD OFFICE (BRENTWOOD MANAGEMENT PAYS THE LEAGUE FOR EACH MEMBERSHIP GIVEN OUT)

NAME: _____
 ADDRESS: _____
 POSTAL CODE: _____ PHONE: _____

EMAIL ADDRESS TO RECEIVE COMMUNITY UPDATES ON CRIME, COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES _____

CHILDRENS' NAMES: _____ **AGES:** _____

Advantages of Being a Member:

- FREE FAMILY SWIM AT GRANT MACEWAN CENTRE (10700-104 AVE) EVERY SUNDAY 2-5PM
- 20% DISCOUNT OFF ANNUAL PASSES AND 15% OFF MULTI ADMISSION PASSES TO CITY OF EDMONTON SPORTS AND FITNESS FACILITIES
- FREE SKATING AT ALL OUTDOOR COMMUNITY RINKS IN EDMONTON (NON MEMBERS \$2)
- ELIGIBILITY FOR COMMUNITY SPORTS PROGRAMS, PLAYSCHOOL REGISTRATION
- 10% OFF THE ADULT DAILY RATE AT THE COMMONWEALTH LAWN BOWLING CLUB IN CORONATION PARK

FOR QUESTIONS REGARDING YOUR MEMBERSHIP CONTACT OUR MEMBERSHIP COORDINATOR
MARK TOFSRUD AT 780-497-7728

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Drop this form off at 13916-115 Ave. Please make all cheques payable to the Woodcroft Community League.

Woodcroft Community League Hall Rates:
We are currently only renting to residents of Woodcroft

Sunday – Friday
Full Day Rental: (8 hrs or more)
\$200 /\$250 w/o membership.
Half Day Rental: (4 hours)
\$100 /\$125 w/o membership
Less than 4 hours:
\$25/hr/or \$30/hr w/o membership

Saturday
Full Day Rental: (8 hrs or more)
\$300 /\$350 w/o membership.
Half Day Rental: (4 hours)
\$150 /\$175 w/o membership
Less than 4 hours:
\$45/hr/or \$50/hr w/o membership

Hall capacity -
154 with tables and beverages
195 with unfixed tables and chairs.