

PARKVIEW NEWSLET

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Winter 2009

Thank You Ghosts & Goblins! Halloween Party A Resounding Success!

By Gillian Culham
Tot Time Coordinator



ur 2009 Community Halloween Party was a resounding success!!! Tot Time truly enjoys putting on this event each year to say thanks to the Parkview Community League for donating the community hall to use each week and to throw this Halloween party. We also want to thank all of the ghosts and goblins for attending and making the party one to remember! There were many stations for the children to enjoy, from 'The Incredibles" bouncy castle, to the trick or treat spooky house, to the freaky Haunted House, filled with 'brains and guts'. And none of this would have been possible if it weren't for all of our volunteers helping with donations, giving up their time, setting up and

running the event. Great job everyone, thanks for making the party what it was!!

Please don't forget to join us at Tot Time each

Tuesday morning, from 9:15 to 11:15. For only a \$1.00 donation per child, which covers our small operating costs, and volunteering your time once a session, for a snack and craft and the occasional clean up. We appreciate everyone contributing each week and making each tot time a fun experience for the kids, from the free play time, to the craft

snack and finishing it off with song circle. We couldn't do it each week without everyone's help! Just remember to have a current community membership. Parkview Community Memberships can be purchased from Robin Hobal at 780.489.6578 or Rhobal@telus.net or online at pvcl.ca.

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Important dates to remember: Fall session winds up December 15th and we return after Christmas on January 5th until March 23rd then run our last session from April 6th until June 15th.

All the new faces this year have been an amazing ad-





Enjoy more photos on Page 3!

people in our community

and the incredible programs

our community has to of-

fer. Hope to see you soon!

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Calling all Volunteers! We need You!

With the retirement of some of our members, Parkview needs some fresh faces! Please volunteer and have fun, meet new people in your neighbourhood. We are currently looking for:

- Traffic Liaison
- Special Events Coordinator

Parkview is a great community and your Community League makes it better. Be a hero! Please pitch in and do your part for a better community!

Contact Davis Smith at 780-444-0217 or president@pvcl.ca for more info.



Newsletter Deadlines

The Parkview/Valleyview Community League newsletter is published four times a year and distributed to members of the community league.

The advertising and copy deadlines are:

Spring: February 1 Summer: May 1 Fall: August 1 Winter: November 1

Advertising Rates:

Please note that we do not accept advertising inserts.

To submit articles contact:

Denisa Leitch ddleitch@gmail.com

To place ads contact: Allan Davis nadavisfamily@mac.com Winter 2009

More Halloween Party Photos:



See You Next Year!!!



Welcome to the Safety Corner

arkview Community League would like to make our community a safer place for our residents. Danae Kortmann-Watts volunteered to be the new Community Safety Liaison. Danae's primary role will be to:

- · Promote communication among community safety stakeholders
- Develop community based prevention programs
- Encourage members of the community to work together to ensure that Parkview continues to be a safe and desirable place to live, work and raise a family.

To ensure that the safety liaison represents the community's needs and wants, please complete the questionnaire on our web site at www.pvcl.ca. You may also send Danae an email with your concerns and comments at safety@pvcl.ca.







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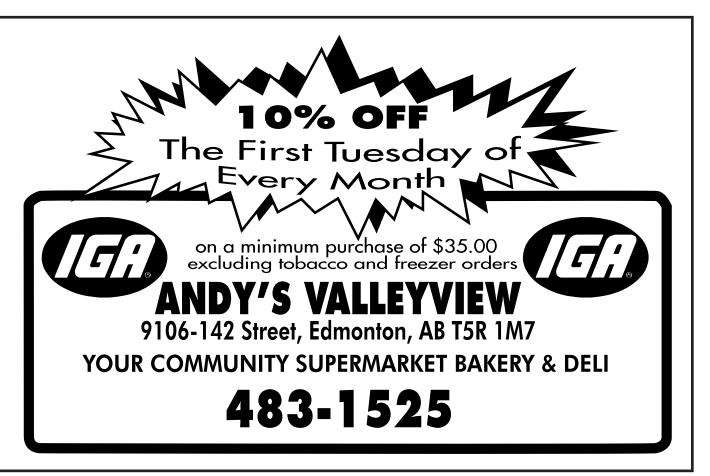
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Parkview Redevelopment Society

Winter 2009

Phase III Update

Donations Needed!

Charitable tax receipts for donations over \$20.

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he Parkview Redevelopment Society (PRS) looks forward to delivering another exciting change in Spring 2010. As Phase III slowly falls into place, the PRS will proceed with a modest amount of work this fall in order to retain two grants already awarded by the Alberta Recycling Management Authority and the Alberta government's Community Spirit grant program. Park users can expect to see improved safety around the baby swings as more rubber will be poured to address the dangerous slope that currently exists in that area.

In The Spring...

The majority of third phase work will be scheduled in the spring, comprising the replacement of the old parking lot with new turf, concrete, benches, picnic tables and plantings. The goal is to create a seamless transition from the community hall to the playground. While awaiting construction drawings and costs, we ask that the residents of Parkview continue to show their support for the redevelopment project. Phase III will be funded largely by a new NPDP grant that we will be applying for from the City of Edmonton. However, the committee is anticipating that the hall renovationssuch as south-facing windows

and the patio area extending from the hall—will require additional funding. Under the grant program from the City of Edmonton, hall improvements are not eligible; therefore, the windows will not be covered by the NPDP grant.

Additional New Dona-

tions are still needed for new grant applications underway. The provincial government Community Spirit grant matches donations made by private citizens. The PRS has already received one grant of just over \$14,000 and will apply again with new contributions. As well, the committee will be pursuing another Community Facilities Enhancement Program (CFEP) grant from the provincial government. The eligible amount is \$125,000, but only matches seed money already raised. To maximize the opportunities available to the community, we hope that our residents will come forward to either increase previous donations. or to make the donation they have been considering.

To ensure your name will be permanently recognized, or if you are planning to increase your donation and rise to a new category, donations should be received before the summer months. Following the completion of the third phase, the

PRS will proceed with another permanent structure for recognizing its generous donors.

Please support Your Community

As always, the Parkview Redevelopment Society appreciates the support of the community and delights in the positive feedback received by so many people who are enjoying all of the changes made to this point.

Tax deadlines for 2009 Donations

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OR

You may use the form listed below and follow the mail in instructions.

Once you have used one of the above options, your membership card will be mailed to you by the membership coordinator, Robin Hobal.

Parkview Community League Membership Benefits:

- •Free public skating at selected City of Edmonton Arenas (call 496-4999 for information)
- •Free use of Parkview skating rinks through the winter season
- •Children's Halloween and Christmas Parties
- •Weekly Tot Time program
- Seniors Card Sharks afternoon
- •Summer Playground Program
- **Memberships are required for community sponsored programs.



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Parkview Playschool

By Laura Verbeek
Playschool President



Registration Night for 2010-2011 School Year

Registration night will be held on Monday, February 1, 2010 at 7:00 pm. You will need contact information, Alberta Health Care number and your cheque book as we will require a non-refundable registration fee.

Parkview Playschool (located on the 2nd floor of Parkview Community Hall) provides programming for 3 and 4 year old children, primarily from the Parkview and Valleyview communities, although all children are welcome to apply, space permitting. As a parent of the cooperative program, there are a number of expectations:

- Roster duty (approximately once every 10-16 classes)
- One toy wash per year
- Fundraising
- Participation in special events and/or field trips

Registration Policy

Prior to the Registration Night:

3 year olds, or repeating 4 year olds currently registered in the program may secure their position in <u>one</u> of the 4 year old programs.

On Registration Night:

- **First** Priority will be given to siblings of children previously registered in the program residing within Parkview and Valleyview.
- Second Priority will be given to all new Parkview and Valleyview registrations.
- Third Priority will be given to siblings of children previously registered in the program from other communities.
- Fourth Priority will be given to registrations from all other communities.
- **Fifth** Children registering for the 3-year-old program must be three years of age and toilet trained by the first day of the school year. Registration of a child who turns 3 after the first school day and prior to Dec. 31, 2010 will be permitted, provided there is space in the program. However, this child will not be permitted to attend until he/she has had his/her third birthday and the space is secured with payment.
- All registrations taken after Registration Night will be accepted in the order that they are received.

4-Year-old Program Specifics

 Children must be four years of age by March 1st, 2011. This is the current entry deadline for the public school system.

FEES AND DAYS THAT THE PROGRAM WILL RUN TO BE ANNOUNCED.

3-Year-old Program Specifics

Children must be three years of age and toilet-trained by the first day of school.

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Senior Card Sharks

Cards Anyone?

If you're a Senior who likes a friendly chat, great company and the challenge of a good card game, come out and meet the "Senior Sharks" in the Parkview Community League Hall at 1:00 p.m. on Thursday afternoons. Learn the game of Wizard, enjoy a light snack and meet new people. Call Ethel or Jim Valleau at 483-8363 for details.



October 15th, 2009 to April 2010 Anyone interested please contact Teresa Feehan at 780-483-6473

Parkview Basketball

The Season is in full swing!

Registration took place in early September. If you have any questions please contact Donna Hinchey 780-481-9191

Practices are once a week.

One game on Saturdays. No games on long weekends or school/stat. holidays Season runs from the end of September to the middle of March Great fun, great exercise, great sport and all you need is a pair of running shoes! More information at edmontonyouthbasketball.com, or contact Donna Hinchey.



Ladies Sports Night

Thursdays 7:30 - 9:00

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Parkview Hall
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Thursday Parent & Child Classes

6:45-7:45 p.m.
Jan 7th – Mar 25th, 2010
Parkview **School**(small gym NE entrance)
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Thursday Yoga Bear: Men Only

8:00-9:00 p.m. Jan 7th – Mar 25th, 2010 Parkview **School** (small gym NE entrance) 12 weeks \$100 \$10 drop in

Note: Registration is transferable among family members. Minimum of 10 confirmed registrants per class needed to ensure class runs.

To register email Kerri at: Parkviewyoga@pvcl.ca.

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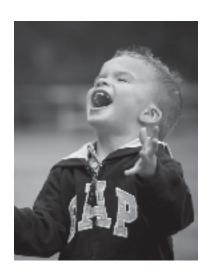
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Calling All Adults!

By Tamra & Mike Simons Adult Program Coordinators

iving in the Parkview / Valleyview Community brings many opportunities for recreation and enjoyment. Looking through the monthly news letter numerous activities jump out for families and children to enjoy and participate in: Basketball, Soccer, Sleigh Rides, Tot Time, Playschool, Girl Guides, Karate...just to name a few.

BUT WHAT ABOUT ACTIVITIES FOR THE "GROWN-UPS"?

And by "grown-ups" we mean anyone who would enjoy an activity specifically for, with, and centered on adult interests. This may include and not be limited to the parent that would like a little break from the kids, the single person who has worked all day, the retiree or the post secondary student. As long as you are an adult these programs would be available to you.

The current plan is for these new programs to take place weeknight evenings. We just need a little help in figuring out what you would like to see made available.

A few possible ideas:

- Dance Classes
- Cooking Classes
- Meal Making Club
- Wine Tasting Group
- Art Classes
- Scrap Booking Crop
- Craft Evenings
- Book Club
- Game Night
- Pub Night
- Self Defense Classes
- Poker Night
- Walking Club
- Drop-in Sports Programs



Please let us know if any of these ideas catch your interest and we would really appreciation suggestions. We are also looking for volunteers who would be willing to give their time to help coordinate an activity or lead a specific group. Once we have heard from you we will be able to move forward and start planning. Keep your eyes open for an update in the next newsletter.

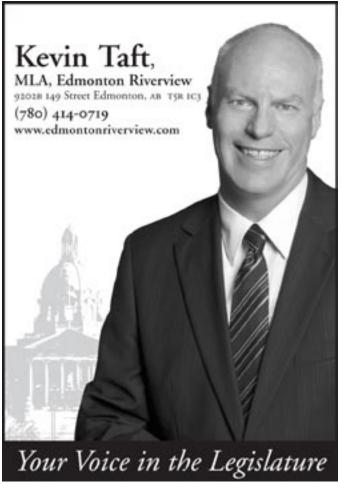
Tamra and Mike Simons Adult Program Coordinators simons1@shaw.ca If you have questions or concerns please feel free to contact me:

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Belgravia Green Homes

We have lived in the neighborhood of Belgravia for many years and love it for its sense of community and easy access to the river valley and parks, the university, health care facilities, Whyte Avenue and downtown.

We have acquired three adjacent 44 X 130 foot lots and plan to build our 'house-for-life' on one of them: a house that is 'green' (net-zero ready), accessible for all abilities and one that is both attractive and fits well into the community.

We hope to find two partners/families to purchase the remaining lots and build their own new home along with us at the same time (desired start date is May 1, 2010) with all of us using the same builder. We have chosen Habitat Studios because of their focus and experience in designing environmentally sustainable homes. With lower building costs and mortgage rates, it's a great time for this project.

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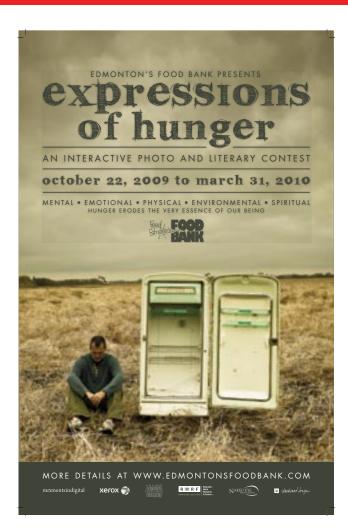
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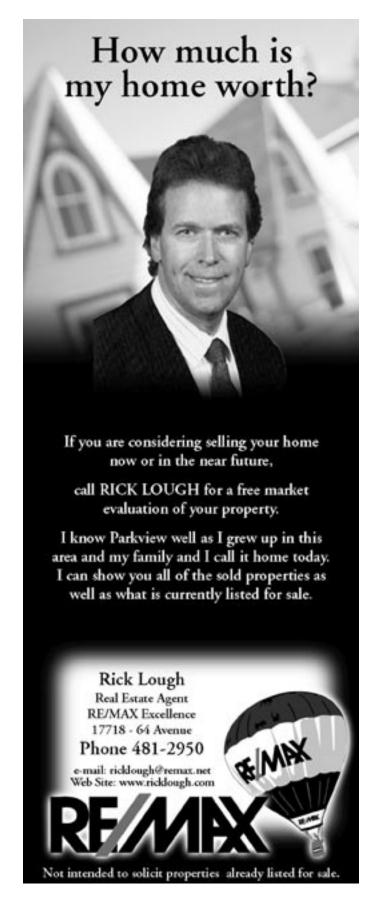
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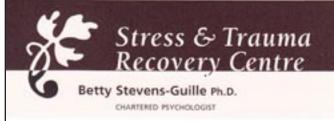
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