

JUNE -JULY 2019

# Belvedere Bulletin

*...working together to build a better community*

Belvedere Community League 13223-62 Street Edmonton, Alberta T5A 0V5 (780)476-1224 info@belvederecl.com

## Belvedere Community Garage Sale

13223-62 Street

Saturday, June 15<sup>th</sup>

10:00am – 5:00pm



\$20 MEMBERS

\$25 NON-MEMBERS

10 X 10 SPACE W/TABLE

TO RESERVE YOUR TABLE or FOR MORE

INFORMATION CALL OR TEXT RAY @780-999-8409

**Come by and check out what your neighbors have to sell!**

### 2019 - 2020 Officers

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## UPCOMING EVENTS

### **Membership Drive & Big Bin Event August 24<sup>th</sup>**



**WATCH NEWSLETTERS AND THE  
COMMUNITY SIGN FOR TIMES AND  
MORE INFORMATION.**

**Follow us on Facebook and  
remember to check our website for  
Upcoming Events &  
Community News**

## **COMMUNITY COFFEE**



**We are on Summer Break!**

**Thank you to everyone who  
stopped by for a coffee, some  
games or just conversation.**

**Hope to see you again in  
September.**

## **THANK YOU to everyone who came out to the Annual General Meeting.**

We would like to welcome our new  
elected board members:

Cultural Liaison: David Ferrone

Web Master: Beverly Wladylca



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## VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

### Upcoming Belvedere Bingos Dates:

**Thursday, July 11<sup>th</sup>**

**Wednesday, Sept 25<sup>th</sup>**

If you or someone you know can help,  
Call Erin at 780-478-1158.

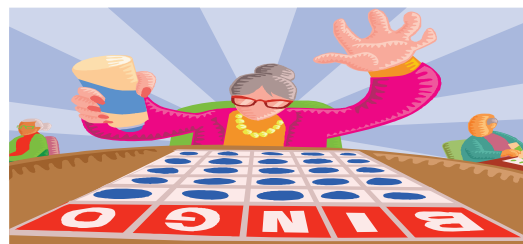
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Do you want to earn credit towards your  
Children's Organized Activities or  
Sports Registration fees??

**Come work a Bingo and earn  
\$75.00 towards those fees!!**

Every bingo you volunteer for, you earn  
\$75.00 that will be paid directly towards  
your child's registration fees. You save  
money by investing some of your time  
helping the community.

**CALL ERIN FOR MORE INFORMATION  
780-478-1158**



### Support Belvedere Community **Memberships**

**Family / Adults - \$ 20.00**

**Seniors - \$10.00**

Also available at community events & the rink  
Current memberships valid until Aug 31, 2019

Leave a message at 780-476-1224



### **MALL WALKING:**

**Northgate Centre: mall doors open  
at 7 am.**

**Londonderry Mall: mall doors open  
at 6 am at entrances 2, 3 and 7.**

### **FREE Community Swim Pass Times:**

**O'Leary: Saturdays from 3:45 – 5:45 pm**

**Londonderry: Sundays 4:15 – 5:45 pm**

**Grand Trunk: Fridays 7:00 – 9:00 pm**

*Must present **current** community league  
membership card & swim pass*

### **IMPORTANT**

**The bar coding enables tracking of usage, so please  
use the pass or we could lose this free program.**

## COMMUNITY FUN DAY

Outdoors bouncers for the kids, colouring contest, balloon animals, face painting and an interactive 'mini' zoo. For the older teens and or adults we have a 45 foot obstacle course bouncer and slide, Skateboard Demo's, **LIVE Band** and great people to connect with.

**FREE BBQ** Hot Dogs, Popcorn , Refreshments for all in attendance, plus more to come....Don't forget about all the awesome PRIZE Give-Aways happening throughout the two hours!

Come meet your neighbours while enjoying free food and fun activities!

**LOCATION: Movies 12 CINEPLEX (parking Lot) 5074-130 Avenue,**

**DATE: Sunday, June 9<sup>th</sup> TIME: 11AM – 1PM**

Sponsored by **ELEVATE CHURCH**

**FOR MORE INFO: 780-416-0924**



**Housing for Seniors**

### LOW INCOME HOUSING FOR SENIORS 65+

**11622-119 Street Edmonton, Alberta**

**Phone: 780-476-1470 |**

**Email: [admin@vistahousing.org](mailto:admin@vistahousing.org)**

**Website: [www.vistahousing.org](http://www.vistahousing.org)**

**14 Properties in Edmonton!**

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details**

**Vacancies Available**

## NE EDMONTON EARLY CHILDHOOD DEVELOPMENT COALITION

You may have heard the expression: "It takes a village to raise a child." The "village" that surrounds our young children makes a HUGE difference to the kinds of opportunities and resources available during the first years of their life. The Early Childhood Coalitions of Alberta seek to help build and support children's "villages" Their focus is on helping us, as a community, to do the best job of providing our young children with what they need to thrive. Did you know that there are seven (7) Early Years Coalitions in Edmonton, and just short of 100 Coalitions across Alberta?

We would like to introduce you to the NE Edmonton Early Childhood Development Coalition. Most young children living in NE Edmonton are doing well. However, research (using the Early Development Instrument) has shown that nearly one third (1/3) face challenges that leave them vulnerable in one or more developmental areas. These challenges can range from not having the food and proper clothing to prepare them for a day of learning to not having the opportunities to practice important skills. This can result in delays in their development or make it difficult for them to engage fully in the learning environment of a Kindergarten class.

We are a group of people who want to change this. So, what are we doing to build the capacity of our communities to support young children's development and reduce the percentage of children who are vulnerable? First, we share knowledge and information. Second, we bring people together. We believe that the more informed and connected that people are, the more we can be a resource to each other - and the stronger the "village" will become.

Want to know more? Follow us on Facebook for information about things that are going on the community (events, workshops, etc.), tips for things to do with children, Coalition news and updates, and a whole lot more! The link is [www.facebook.com/neearlyyears](https://www.facebook.com/neearlyyears). For more information about the Coalitions in Edmonton, including a map of their areas and contact information, go to the website: [www.earlychildhoodedm.ca](http://www.earlychildhoodedm.ca). If you are interested in becoming involved with the NE ECD Coalition, or just have questions, you can e-mail our Coalition Assistant Marketta. Her e-mail is: [edmontonne2@fcssaa.org](mailto:edmontonne2@fcssaa.org).

# SUMMER GREEN SHACK



**The FREE Drop-in program returns to our playground**

**Belvedere 13223-62 Street**

**July 2 – August 23**

**Monday-Friday 10:00am – 6:00pm**

**Children aged 6-12 years can enjoy games, sports, crafts, outdoor cooking & more,  
All activities are led by City of Edmonton staff.**

**Children, 6 years & younger are welcome to attend but must be accompanied by an adult.**

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## City of Edmonton

## Big Bin Events

The City of Edmonton is hosting Big Bin Events for household items that can't be set out for regular waste collection. Eight weekend events will be held in various locations throughout the City.

Date	Location	Address
June 8 & 9	Callingwood	17740-69 Ave
June 15 & 16	Woodcroft	13915-115 Ave
June 22 & 23	Ellerslie Facility	2415-101 St SW
Aug 17 & 18	Jasper Place	9200-163 St
Aug 24 & 25	Claireview Rec Center	3804-139 Ave
Sept 7 & 8	Terwillegar Rec Center	2051 Leger Road
Sept 14 & 15	Commonwealth Stadium	112 Ave – 90 St
Sept 21 & 22	SW District Yard	6609 Gateway Blvd

### Accepted Materials:

- Couches, chairs, mattresses, and other household furniture items too large for curbside pickup
- Fridges, freezers, washers, dryers and other large household appliances
- Computers, televisions and other household electronics (will be recycled)

Residents are reminded to [secure their load properly](#) by tying large items to their vehicle and covering loose material with a tarp.

### Non-Accepted Materials

- Commercial Waste
- [Household Hazardous Waste](#) - please take to an [Eco Station](#). They will be accepted at no cost.

Items that are in good condition that can be donated for reuse please visit the online [Reuse and Recycling Directory](#).

**All 2019 events run from 9am to 5pm.**

**11,723 customers disposed of 1,262 tonnes of large waste items and 549 tonnes of recyclable items during the 2018 Big Bin Events**



# WHAT'S HAPPENING AT BALWIN COMMUNITY LEAGUE



FRIDAY JUNE 14<sup>TH</sup> 6:30 PM- 10:00 PM

BALWIN COMMUNITY LEAGUE

12904-74 STREET

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## VOLUNTEER BRUNCH –



The volunteers who attended Belvedere's appreciation brunch enjoyed a Mexican feast and received a token of appreciation. Thank you to all of the volunteers from bingo workers, community patrol, event helpers, hall and rink maintenance to board members for all your time by volunteering in the community. We couldn't do what we do without you!

Thank you for making a difference!!

# Community Patrol - Summer 2019

Our area has certainly had increase of break and enters, theft of license plates, mischief. Belvedere was #3 for break enters April 22-28. **Always remember to report as soon as you can. Call non-emergency line 780-423-4567 or mobile #377. Can report using online reporting. Every file is reviewed and analyzed for trends.**

Some good tips to think about coming in the summer months ahead. Always ensure that your tools, ladders are put away and shed/garage are locked up after yard work. Lock the front door if working in the back and the back door if working in the front. If you are not in view of the open shed or garage lock it, many roam our alleyway and streets.

Trim greenery for visibility for your doors. Motion sensor lighting is good to have in the yard. Keep safe do not let people in to borrow a phone, check your furnace, water lines, id them. At night make it habit that gates, garage doors, and shed are locked.

**Parking outside** – lock car doors and do up the windows, in the morning walk around your vehicle look inside and ensure the license plate is there and intact, not changed or missing stickers year/ month.

**PUT ALL VALUABLES OUT OF SIGHT !**

## Occurrences of selected crimes in BELVEDERE

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
2019	39	23	30	34	16								142
2018	26	21	27	19	19	35	16	22	17	25	26	31	284
2017	16	21	22	27	26	22	17	29	15	31	22	23	271

**Month of April** there were 34 crimes reported in Belvedere 5 Assaults, 11 Break and Enters, 1 Robbery, 11 Theft from vehicles, 5 theft of vehicle and 1 theft over \$5000.00 . Week of April 22 - 28 we ranked #3 for break and enters in Edmonton.

Up to May 20 there have been 16 crimes reported 4 Assaults, 3 Break and Enters, 7 theft from vehicles, 1 theft of vehicle and 1 theft over \$5000.00 .

GET to know your neighbours' and walk the block.

Unity in Community....Brenda

## EMERGENCY CALL 911

### Non-Emergency Calls

[\(780\) 423-4567](tel:7804234567)

**Mobile Access: #377**

### Police Headquarters

9620 - 103A Avenue  
Edmonton, AB. Canada  
T5H 0H7

**Switchboard:** [\(780\) 421-3333](tel:7804213333)

**TTY/TTD:** [\(780\) 425-1231](tel:7804251231)

### Crime Stoppers

[1-800-222-8477](tel:18002228477)

## How to Report Scams

Whether you've received a scam phone call, email, or text, you can report them even if you haven't fallen for the scam. To report a fraud like this, please contact the [Canadian Anti-Fraud Centre](#) online or at [1-888-495-8501](tel:18884958501).

However, if you are a **victim** of a scam, please call us at [780-423-4567](tel:7804234567).

[Learn more about scams...](#)

## Signs of illegal activity

If a property is being used for illegal activity you may notice some common signs.

Seeing one of these signs doesn't always mean illegal activity is going on, but if they happen often or together, a problem may exist.

Some common signs of illegal activity include:

- frequent visitors at all times of the day and night
- frequent late night activity
- extensive home security
- residents that are rarely seen, distant or secretive
- windows blackened or curtains always drawn
- neglected property and yard
- people repeatedly visiting the property who only go to the door for a short time
- residents who regularly meet vehicles near the property for a short time
- strange odours coming from the house or garbage
- garbage that contains numerous bottles and containers, particularly chemical containers
- putting garbage in a neighbour's collection area

If there's a suspicious property in your neighbourhood, don't investigate it or approach its residents. You can safely and confidentially report a suspicious property through SCAN.

To confidentially report a suspicious property, contact SCAN toll-free at [1-866-960-SCAN](tel:1-866-960-SCAN) (7226), or go on to this website for more information-

<https://www.alberta.ca/report-suspicious-property.aspx#toc-0>



# ZUMBA - Every Wednesday



Belvedere Hall - 13223-62 St

7:30pm - 8:30pm

Community Members \$ 5.00

Non-members \$ 7.00

**LAST DAY June 26<sup>th</sup>**

**Stronger Together Challenge**

**For the month of May 20-June 18**


**Sign up @ StrongZumba.com**


**STRONG by ZUMBA**-classes combine a killer bodyweight boot camp workout with party **vibes** and pumped up music. **Last Wednesday of each month.**

**Zumba** is a fitness program that combines Latin and international music with dance moves. **Zumba** routines incorporate interval training-alternating fast and slow rhythms-resistance training.

Did you know Zumba classes at the City of Edmonton Rec Centers cost approx. \$12 a class, But through our community league we subsidize the cost of the class. **COME CHECK IT OUT!**

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**NEIGHBOURHOOD SUMMER DAYCAMP**

**OUT OF THIS WORLD**

DATE	TIME	AGES	COURSE CODE	COST
Monday - Friday July 22-July 26	9:00AM - 11:30AM	4-6 years	657315	\$95

**Belvedere Community League**  
13223 - 62 Street  
If you ever wished upon a star for a week of space themed adventures, this is the camp for you. We will make spaceship crafts to guide us safely on our travels, and explore the cosmos with songs, games, and activities. Come learn about stars, planets, the Milky Way, and more in a week that will be truly out of this world.  
**Registration Now Open!**  
To Register:

- Call 311
- Online at [movelearnplay.edmonton.ca](http://movelearnplay.edmonton.ca)
- In person at any City of Edmonton Recreation and Leisure Centre

Thank you to the Belvedere Community League for access to their facility

# COMMUNITY CLEAN UP

**Saturday, JUNE 8<sup>TH</sup>**

**9:00 AM- 2:00 PM**



**Check in at Belvedere hall at 9am  
to be assigned an area to clean up.**

**BBQ for volunteers  
will follow the Cleanup**

**Sponsored By:**

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**Balwin/Belvedere Revitalization Program**

**Edmonton Police Services**



**NEIGHBOURHOOD SUMMER DAY CAMP**