

# Belvedere Bulletin

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

# Belvedere Community ½ price Membership, Big Bin and Shredding Event SATURDAY, AUGUST 26th Memberships & Big Bin 8:00am - 4:00pm Shredding 10:00am - 3:00pm

Belvedere Hall parking lot 13223 – 62 Street

Community memberships for 2023/2024 will be ½ price @ Family \$ 10.00 / Single adult \$ 5.00 / Seniors (65+) \$5.00

With the purchase of your 2023/24 ½ price membership, into the bins you can add your reno material, yard waste and unwanted stuff that is on the accepted list.

Back again this year with your membership purchase you are also able to have your household shredding taken care of on site.

Please check our website www.belvederecl.com for a complete list of what we will and will not be able to put in the bins.

\*\*\* Nothing with a motor, No tires, No electronics, No oil, grease or paint \*\*\*

Volunteers needed for this event, please email <a href="mailto:president@belvederecl.com">president@belvederecl.com</a> if you can help.

### 2023-2024 Officers

President Mike

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vicepresident@belvederecl.com

Secretary Connie

secretary@belvederecl.com

Alana Treasurer

treasurer@belvederecl.com

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

O'Leary: Saturdays 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 and Swim Pass.

Please check Pool/Rec. Center websites or call 311

regarding facility closures.

### **Newsletter Advertising:**

Advertise your business/service in our next Newsletter Space permitting

Next Submission deadline: **SEPT.22,2023**.

Our rates (per issue) are:

**Business Card\*** \$20 \$30 ¼ page \$50 ½ page \$100 Full page

Leave message at 780-476-1224

\*Members receive 1 free business card size ad per year

### Handy Guide to Call or Research online

### 211 - Information and referrals to community and government supports or crisis support. https://www.ab.211.ca/

If you have trouble searching the website, you can dial 2-1-1, text INFO to 211, or live chat with 211 online anytime 24/7

**311** – City of Edmonton – plenty of information from transit, to bylaw complaints, roads, potholes.

### https://www.edmonton.ca/programs\_services/311-city-services.aspx

411 - Directory assistance

511 - Alberta Road conditions

811 – Health Link to speak with a registered nurse 24/7 https://myhealth.alberta.ca

Even become an EDMONTON INSIGHT survey member, online or by phone. Edmonton.ca/Surveys

Aaron Paquette Ward Councilor: aaron.paquette@edmonton.ca 780-496-8138

Amarjeet Sohi Mayor: https://twitter.com/AmarjeetSohiYEG OR @amarjeetSohiYEG or call 311

Peggy Wright email to: Edmonton.BeverlyClareview@assembly.ab.ca

Hello Residents of Belvedere.

We would like to acknowledge that as residents of our community, as board members we are aware that unfortunately Belvedere is becoming home to more and more homeless encampments in and around the playgrounds, park areas, under the trees south and west of the hall and inside the fenced area of the hall.

*PLEASE* when you see these encampments or leftovers when they move, take pictures, **call 311** and report the area and submit your pictures. If you see any sign of weapons or they are making fires or are endangering children in the parks, call the police.

We also encourage you to send your emails to Councilor Paquette and Mayor Sohi offices.

Councilor Aaron Paquette - aaron.paquette@edmonton.ca 780-496-8138

Mayor Amarjeet Sohi - amarjeet.sohi@edmonton.ca.

Mayor Amarjeet Sohi - https://twitter.com/AmarjeetSohiYEG OR @amarjeetSohiYEG

While we understand and are very aware it can be extremely frustrating at the amount of time it can take for 311 / Forestry to respond to your calls / reports, for everyone's safety, we as board members are volunteers and are in no different position than you, also residents of the community to remove these encampments. Thank you to everyone who has been making reports, and if we can all keep making these reports perhaps there will be faster response times.

Belvedere Community Board

## **Belvedere Community Drop In**

### **SUMMER GREEN SHACK**

Every Tuesday from 9:00am to 12:00 at Belvedere Hall activities ends

Supervision and

FALL Drop In starts back up October 24

Thursday August 24th

BELVEDERE'S next CASINO DATES ARE IN -



### Saturday, October 28th and Sunday, October 29th, 2023

We will be at Century Casino on Ft Road.

Positions needed to be filled are cashiers, chip runners and counters on Saturday and Sunday for both the day and evening shifts.

Please help support your community and make a commitment to volunteer if you can. These are not hard positions, anyone over 18 can work them!

Meals are provided.

The funds received from this casino are a major source of income for the community to be able to continue maintenance as well as required upgrades to our building.

Your help by volunteering is very much appreciated.

Please call Connie at 780-475-1608 for more information and/or to sign up.

### **ICEMAKER / RINK ATTENDANT**

Due to circumstances beyond our control, Belvedere was unable to open our skating rinks last winter.

We are starting the process now to ensure we have someone in place for this winter skating season.

Belvedere has 2 ice surfaces that will require an ice maker/rink attendant this winter.

This is a labor intensive paid position that starts at the end of October until approximately mid March.

For a detailed job description or to submit your application, please visit our website.

www.belvederecl.com





This is your community, are you interested in becoming more involved?

Did you know that community leagues that host social events, community programs, sports programs, maintain our facilities, work the casinos and bingos are all done by volunteers.

Belvedere Community currently is struggling as we do not have a full complement of board members to run our community. Currently we have some directors fulfilling multiple positions so we can operate and some still vacant positions.

Funding to run our league, do maintenance and upgrades to our facility comes mostly from a City of Edmonton yearly operating grant and our bingos and casino. Since April of last year we have not had a bingo coordinator and so have had to turn back our monthly bingo, greatly affecting our income for the year.

Understanding that everyone has lots going on with your families, work and just life in general because we all do to, if you are at all interested in becoming a part of this great group of volunteers we welcome you to contact any one of our current board members or send an email to <a href="mailto:info@belvederecl.com">info@belvederecl.com</a> A brief description of what each of the below listed vacant volunteer positions entails is on our website: www.belvederecl.com

- Bingo
- Building & Grounds
- Programs Director
- Social Director
- Sports Director
- Casino

