

Spring 2023

#### **Meadowlark Community League**

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The league hosted its AGM in April, and we would like to welcome our new President—**Ryan Burd**, our new Membership Director—**Megan Mendez** and our new Social Events Director—**Jamel Letain**. We look forward to getting to know you over the next year. The board would also like to publicly note our appreciation to our former board members who have served and given so much of themselves for the betterment of our neighbourhood over the years. A huge thank you to **Kim Dineen, Shannon Nichols** and **Kaitlyn McLaughlin** for their service and commitment to our community.

# Spring is here, and with the winter melt, we found this little critter lurking in our playground!



It looks like they are here to stay, so we would like to ask for help to get it a name. Please send your suggestions to us through our Facebook page or email to <a href="mailto:parc@meadowlarkcl.net">parc@meadowlarkcl.net</a> We will narrow it down to our top 3 and have a public vote at a later date to determine our winner.

Prizes to be awarded for participating!!!



#### **Board of Directors - \*\*New Members\*\***

**President** - Ryan Burd \*\* <u>president@meadowlarkcl.net</u>

**Vice President** - Andrew Selwood vice president@meadowlarkcl.net

**Treasurer** - Dallas Jaffray <a href="mailto:treasurer@meadowlarkcl.net">treasurer@meadowlarkcl.net</a>

**Secretary** - Heather Kennedy <u>secretary@meadowlarkcl.net</u> Memberships - Megan Mendez \*\*

memberships@meadowlarkcl.net

Hall Rentals - April Kiely

hall-rentals@meadowlarkcl.net

PARC/Casino - Kim Hunter Lee parc@meadowlarkcl.net

**Communications** - *Actively Recruiting* communications@meadowlarkcl.net

**Civics** - Jarret Esslinger <a href="mailto:civics@meadowlarkcl.net">civics@meadowlarkcl.net</a>

Maintenance - Mark Belanger maintenance@meadowlarkcl.net

**Social Events** - Jamel Letain \*\* social@meadowlarkcl.net

**Soccer** - Suzanne McNeil soccer@meadowlarkcl.net

#### 2022-23 League Memberships are now available!

Find more information about membership benefits on our website:

meadowlarkcl.net/get-involved/membership

\$30 for families, **FREE** for seniors and new residents

## Advertise your business in the next edition of the Meadowlark Chirp!

Business Card - \$10 per issue

1/4 page - \$20 per issue

½ page - \$50 per issue

Full Page - \$100 per issue

Contact us for more details: <a href="mailto:communications@meadowlarkcl.net">communications@meadowlarkcl.net</a>



## Big Bin Event & Rummage Sale —June 17, 2023

June 17, 2023 @ 9:00 am—2:00 pm

Jasper Place Jubilee Park (9200 160 Street NW)



We will be holding our annual Big Bin Event on **Saturday, June 17, 2023** at Jasper Place Jubilee Park (9200 160 St NW) for members of the Meadowlark Park, Glenwood and West Meadowlark Park Community Leagues.

#### Accepting:

Furniture, electronics, yard waste, renovation materials, scrap metal, general waste

#### **Not Accepting\*:**

Paint, mattresses, appliances/white goods, tires, concrete, hazardous waste, fridges, freezers, large pieces of concrete.

\*For items not accepted, please bring these items to a City of Edmonton Eco Station



#### June 17th, 2023 @ 9:00 am—1:30 pm Meadowlark Community Hall

On the same day we are hosting the Big Bin Clean Up event, there will be a Rummage Sale at the Meadowlark Community Hall. Tables are available to Meadowlark/West Meadowlark/Glenwood Members for \$20. There will also be a table for donated items—any funds raised from that table will go toward our future community league projects.

Be sure to enter to win one of our door prizes while visiting!

Contact board@meadowlarkcl.net to secure your spot.



#### **Edmonton Tool Library**

The Edmonton Tool Library provides low-cost access to tools to promote home renovations, community beautification and make the best use of valuable resources. The Edmonton Tool Library is like a book library but for hand and power tools.

As a membership perk, with your valid Meadowlark
Community League membership card, you can access over
1,100 tools and other resources available from the Edmonton
Tool Library through a **FREE** individual membership. This
membership allows you to borrow up to 8 tools at one time for
a period of one week.

To find more information about the Edmonton Tool Library, go to their website at <a href="edmontontoollibrary.ca">edmontontoollibrary.ca</a>



#### **Location:**

7308 112 Avenue NW

#### **Opening Hours:**

Wednesday: 6:00-8:00pm Saturday: 11:00am-3:00pm

#### Wilkes Scholarship for U13 Hockey Players

The Wilkes Family, who once lived in Meadowlark generously set up a fund to help support the skills advancement of young hockey players. A scholarship was created to help cover costs for **training**, **camps or classes** for U13 players - this does not include league registration costs.

If you currently have a child in the U13 program and has completed or is enrolled in a hockey camp, course or class, you may be eligible to receive up to \$250 under this scholarship.



For more information please email us at: board@meadowlarkcl.net



## **Edmonton Rec Centres—Afterschool Youth Pass**

Did you know that youth aged 8-17 can get access to all City of Edmonton fitness centres, pools, gyms and more with the City of Edmonton's Afterschool Youth Pass? These passes are offered at \$15/month or \$2/day at a drop-in rate. These are valid from **1:00-5:30 pm on weekdays**.

Purchase your pass on <u>movelearnplay.edmonton.ca</u>



#### What is in the works?

We are looking at a few events over the next year—we have a few events in mind, and a just in the process of finalizing dates and details. If you are interested in helping with planning or organizing let us know. If there is anything you would like have or organize —tell us! board@meadowlarkcl.net

Mother's Day Wine Night Party in the Park Hallowe'en Event Family Day

Father's Day Octoberfest Beer Night Welcome to the Neighbourhood Packages

## **Marigold—LRT Construction**



If you are wondering exactly what is going on, have questions or would like to share any concerns—here are the ways to reach out to Marigold. Marigold is the contractor responsible for the streets while construction is underway. Marigold also has great Facebook page full of information—Marigold Infrastructure Partners - Valley Line West











## Meadowlark Rink Off-Leash Area



## The Meadowlark Rink has once again been approved as an Off-**Leash Dog Park!**

This year the city has installed a ramp to access the rink to increase accessibility, so hopefully all of our neighbours can now take advantage of this great space.

Please be respectful and clean up after your dog, be mindful of the playground, children and others who may be in the proximity of the off-leash area and keep your dog leashed when not inside of the rink area.

Contact us if the park require attention for any reason or you have any questions or concerns.

Hoping you and your doggie enjoy!!!

#### **Wanted: Communications Director**

## **Neighbourhood Realtor**

Do you like social media and connecting with people? If so, we have the opportunity for you!

The Board is looking for a Communications Director! If you'd like to get more involved in your community and get to better know your neighbours, let us know!



communications@ meadowlarkcl.net







YOUR LOCAL MEADOWLARK & AREA REAL ESTATE SPECIALIST

IF YOU'D LIKE TO DISCUSS ANY OF YOUR REAL ESTATE NEEDS OR WOULD LIKE A FREE (NO OBLIGATION) HOME EVALUATION, PLEASE GIVE ME A CALL!

> 780-298-3877 temple@royallepage.ca





#### **FREE Community Swims @ JPLC**

#### **Jasper Place Leisure Centre**

9200 163 Street NW— Sundays: 4:00 pm—6:00 pm

Did you know that MCL members can swim for FREE on Sunday evenings at the Jasper Place Leisure Centre?

Free public swims are available every Sunday from 4:00pm—6:00pm (depending on capacity)



#### Naloxone Training Demonstration—Monday, June 26th

4B Harm Reduction Society (4BHRS) is a non-profit organization formed in response to social health challenges keeping people who use substances and the unhoused population marginalized and at significant risk for severe health outcomes.

They will be offering training at the Meadowlark Hall Monday

June 26th @ 7:30—9:00pm

To register email: <u>board@meadowlarkcl.net</u> or scan:

\*\*Naloxone kits will also be available if interested.



#### **Other MCL Membership Perks!**



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# COMMUNITY LEAGUE WELLNESS PROGRAM

Show your MCL membership card at Sandy Lane Liquor Store (15610 95 Ave NW) and save 10% on your purchase!

Use your MCL membership card and:

- Save 20% on Annual Passes
- Save 20% on Continuous Monthly Passes
  - Save 15% on Multi-Admission Passes