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RAMSAY NEWS

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BOOT

SALE!

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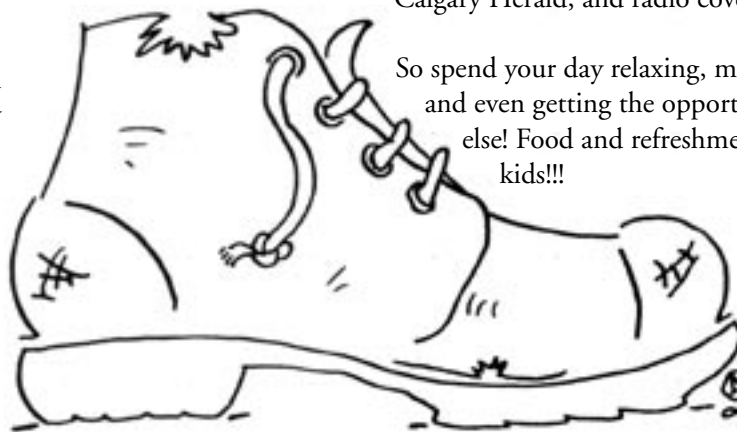
SATURDAY, JULY 17 9 AM. = 4:30 P.M. • FREE!

HUGE COMMUNITY SALE!!!

You might just find what you have been looking for!!!
Come and check it out!!

Saturday July 17th, 9:00am to 4:30 pm

Ramsay Heritage's Traditional Boot Sale and High Tea!! Friends, and Ramsay residents will have loaded up their car trunk (also known as a boot), with items they want like to sell! Then they will gather at the Ramsay Community Center, (on 8 street), and park!!



We're talking antiques, art, furniture, toys, clothes - the list goes on! It's a one day only 8th street Flea Market!!

There is still time if you want to join. **The cost for a parking spot is \$15.00** and this fully pays for advertisement in the newsletter, corner stores, signage, Inglewood, in the Calgary Herald, and radio coverage!

So spend your day relaxing, making money, socializing, and even getting the opportunity to buy from someone else! Food and refreshments available. Bring your kids!!!

Please call Angie at 313- 2677 or e-mail mae75@canada.com if you would like a spot! Hurry because they go fast!

Don't Forget — Ramsay Community Association monthly meeting takes place the first Tuesday of every month – 7 pm in the Lower Hall

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MEETING NOTICES

Next General Meeting
 Tuesday, July 6, 2004
 Ramsay Community Lower Hall, 7 pm
 Childcare available.

Next Ramsay Community Board Meeting
 Tuesday, July 20, 2004
 Ramsay Community Upper Hall, 7 pm

No Meetings In August
Notice of AGM: October 5th

September General Meeting
 Tuesday, September 6, 2004

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NOTICE:

Ramsay Community Association
2004 General Elections

Elections will be held at the
Ramsay Community General
Meeting Tuesday October 5,
2004.

Vacant Positions will be
announced at General
Community Meetings July
6 and September 6, and will be
advertised in *Ramsay News*.

Ramsay Community Hall

Space for rent

BIRTHDAY PARTIES

WEDDINGS

ANNIVERSARIES

MEETINGS

Etc.

Is your space too small?

Come and check out the hall!!

For more info & prices contact Karen:

265-4898

ARE YOU FEELING CREATIVE?

**Help the Ramsay Community
Association design a new logo!**

We want something **fun** and **creative** to
showcase who we are today – to use on signs,
the newsletter, and maybe even for T-shirts
and bumper stickers.

We know Ramsay is full of creative people.
Anybody of any age can submit a design.

- 1) Just create a design in any 2D
medium: drawing, collage,
computer, etc.
- 2) Make sure you put your name,
address and phone number on it!
- 3) Drop it off at the Hall by June 15

Here are the ideas you should keep in mind:

- *We are a village* - a close-knit
community in the middle of a city
- *We are a diverse community* – mix of
historical, contemporary and industrial
styles, people from all age and ethnic
groups and income brackets
- *We are a green community* – design
favours organic shapes, surrounded by
parks and rivers, community is shaped
like a leaf, environmentally friendly

All submissions will be displayed during
Ramsay Day. Community members will have
a chance to give their comments and choose
their favourites. We will also have some fun
prizes. We cannot guarantee that any design
will be chosen, but we will have a lot of fun
reviewing your ideas!

For more information, please call Beth at
269-4199 or bethcarter@shaw.ca.








PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE


Janice Thoroughgood


This President's message is different. I've decided to appropriate a section of a Banff newspaper to make some important points; by sending FISHHEADS and FLOWERS.


 FLOWERS to the volunteers who have worked very hard, filling out grant applications and getting quotes, to update and add windows to our Ramsay Community Hall.


 FLOWERS to everyone who came to the Ramsay Community Association General meeting in June. We meet the first Tuesday of every month – 7pm in the Lower Hall.

 FISHHEADS to everyone who wants things to happen in Ramsay, but never come out to events or support the few volunteers we have. Do you want community events? A logo? Clubs and committees? Like what? Would you like to be involved? Let us know by coming to the next General Meeting on Tuesday July 6 at 7pm in the Lower Hall. Support and (constructive) criticism is welcome.

 FLOWERS to those of you thinking about joining us for Ramsay elections on Tuesday October 5 at 7pm in the Lower Hall. Currently the positions of Secretary, President and 2 Members at Large are vacant.

 FLOWERS to the organizers of the BOOT SALE fundraiser for the Heritage Committee. Join in and have a 'garage sale' out of the boot (trunk) of your car Saturday July 17. Contact Angie at 265-4898.

 FLOWERS to Ramsay members. Just a reminder that all memberships come due August 31. *except for those who have paid for a new membership in 2004 – they are due August 2005.

 FISHHEADS to me for sending you fish heads. Thank you for reading the President's Message. This theme isn't something I want to continue, I'm just trying to catch your attention and get an idea what Ramsay wants.

Hope to see you at the July General Meeting (Tuesday July 6 at 7pm in the Lower Hall).

TRAFFIC CALMING UPDATE

Tom Jevne

WITH INPUT FROM RAMSAY RESIDENTS, traffic committee members and City of Calgary Transportation staff, a short list of what appears to be the most often noted traffic related problems was assembled by the traffic committee in April. The City of Calgary prepared a data collection plan based on the traffic problems. Some of the data was collected last fall and new data was collected in the third week of May, 2004.

Comprehensive shortcutting data was collected at five access/egress point to and from the community. License plates were recorded for incoming and out-going vehicles in the AM and PM peak periods (6:30-8:30: 11:30-1:30: 3:30-5:30). The information will be entered into a spreadsheet and the percentage of vehicles deemed to be shortcutting through the community will be determined.

Data recording equipment was also placed at a number of locations throughout the community. This equipment typically records the speed and volume of traffic during a 24 hour period and breaks the information down into hour segments. From this it is easy to see patterns at different times of the day and to determine if a problem is statistically true or not. Data was also collected to view pedestrian safety and pedestrian/vehicle conflicts at a number of locations along Spiller Road and on 19th Avenue.

This information is valuable in validating the traffic problems so the most appropriate calming measures can be proposed in dealing with them. Also, this gives a baseline of statistics to measure the success of any implemented traffic calming strategies.

The City will have the information ready for the committee to review sometime close to the end of June. An open house will be held to share the information and to discuss the community traffic calming process, in the near future.

Yoki & Jeff's Real Estate Report

Quarterly Report January - March 2004

	RAMSAY			INGLEWOOD			BRIDGELAND		
	# of Sales	Avg. List Price	Avg. Sale Price	# of Sales	Avg. List Price	Avg. Sale Price	# of Sales	Avg. List Price	Avg. Sale Price
Bungalow	4	177,425	166,250	8	226,400	217,843	5	222,520	217,600
1.5 Storey	1	164,900	164,900	-	-	-	1	174,900	170,500
2 Storey	1	349,900	335,000	5	273,640	264,600	1	249,900	240,000
Attach/Twnh	-	-	-	9	230,466	224,938	2	197,950	199,750



COMMUNITY CLEAN UP

This event has been delayed until September 25, 2004.
Mark your calendars!

CASINO VOLUNTEERS

Looking for volunteers to help with Inglewood and Alexandra Centre Society casinos. Call Pat Baker at 237-7927.

EASTSIDE STUDIO CRAWL

The artists at Artpoint Gallery and Studios and the Burns Visual Arts Society are planning to open the doors to their studios on Saturday, September 18th. We invite all artists with studios in the Inglewood and Ramsay areas to join us in this first ever EASTSIDE STUDIO CRAWL. We are hoping to make this an annual event. If interested please call Karen MacRae at Artpoint Gallery (265-6867) or Cecilia Gossen at the Burns Visual Arts Society (264-0083). There is a \$ 25 fee to cover maps, promotions and invitations. We anticipate a fantastic turnout.

HUGE COMMUNITY SALE!!!

Need to "Clean Sweep" Your house? Need to get rid of "dust collectors", or kitchenware that just never gets used? Here is your chance - made EASY!!!!

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in the newsletter, corner stores and community signage, notice in the Calgary Herald, radio coverage! Why not spend your day relaxing, making money, socializing, and even getting the opportunity to buy from someone else?

Food and refreshments will be served. Bring the kids! Please call Angie @ 313- 2677 or e-mail a_mae75@canada.com to reserve your Parking Spot. Hurry because they go fast!

**1ST THURSDAY CRAWL:
CANADA DAY**

On Canada Day, you can spend all day downtown. Start with a pancake breakfast at Fort Calgary , take a guided tour of historic downtown, meet the late Charlie Russell on Stephen Avenue near the Glenbow, enjoy the celebrations at Prince's Island, and wind up at the TD Canada Trust Jazz Festival and special First Thursday Crawl events in the Olympic Plaza Cultural District! For complete listings visit www.firstthursdays.ca or call Meg at 294-7455. See Pg. 7.

COMMUNITY CLASSIFIEDS

KINDERGARTEN - St. Monica School is accepting registration for Kindergarten to Grade 9 students, 235 - 18 Ave. SW. Phone: 229-9447

FOR SALE - Wooden desk \$75, BBQ \$25, black coffee table \$25, large convection oven \$100, 13" colour TV \$20. 217-6750.

FOR SALE - Metal garden shed for sale - 6 X 8, \$35.00. Also - fridge, stove, washer, dryer - free to a good home. 259-3753

CAR SHARING - Need a car.. sometimes? The Alexandra Centre Society is looking into car sharing initiatives. Please contact 269-5588 if you are interested.

RENOVATIONS KARMA - Many of us are undergoing our own renovations in Ramsay. Let's talk about forming a group to help each other on these weekend warrior projects. Call James at 283-0248 or email jpduggan@shaw.ca

FOR SALE - 85 Le Baron convertible. Good body, top excellent, good tires, engine needs some work. Original owner. Have records. \$1,000 or obo. 294-0752.

RAMSAY NEWS - The perfect way to communicate with your neighbours! With a circulation of 1200, the Ramsay News is a fun and affordable way to advertise your business. Contact news@ramsaycommunity.ab.ca to enquire about ads.

GARDENERS - Wanted Ramsay Gardeners interested in showing off their garden for a Ramsay Garden Tour. For more information call Scott at 269 2640.

FULL DAY KINDERGARTEN - Ramsay School is pleased to offer full day kindergarten starting in the fall. To register, please call the school at 777-6790.





BEAUTIFICATION

Brenda Japp

THE NEW PLANS for the redevelopment of "Outwest Park" have been submitted to the City planning Dept and we await their approval. The attendees at our last general community meeting were in favor of the new design and the final outcome will be printed in the newsletter. A very successful fundraiser for the redevelopment of Outwest park was held at and sponsored by "Landraker" on June 11. There were about 200 people there including Alderman Joe Ceci and his wife Christine, everyone enjoyed the food, wine and music and bid enthusiastically on the live and silent auction items.

The city is conducting some soil testing at the site and the results have yet to be announced. This has caused some delay but once the testing has been completed and given the OK the park should hopefully be planted this growing season.

Thank you to Urban Forestry for continuing to green our community. They have planted lovely trees along 17th Ave, 18 Ave, and 22 Ave. I have had several calls from people delighted with their blvd trees and would encourage everyone to water them frequently to give them a good start. For anyone who may not wish to have a tree in the areas to be planted next year, (to be announced) please give me a call and I will advise Urban Forestry of the location not to be planted. There are no root problems from the trees being planted by Urban forestry- Cherry, Elm, Oak & Ash- they do not have invasive root

systems and will only enhance our quality of life in many ways.

Architect Marc Boutin has, designed a new Community Hall frontage and landscape which looks very inviting and with the help of Beth Carter and Karen a grant application has been submitted to the City and CFEP. Once the funds are approved - building will commence!! Things are looking up in Ramsay!

Enjoy the summer..

COMMUNITY CLEAN-UP

Saturday, September 25, 2004

Community Hall Parking Lot 9 - 3 p.m.

It's time to do some spring cleaning and make our neighbourhood look great! This is a great chance to clean up your yard. But we also want to make our neighbourhood spic and span. We will be organizing some cleaning crews to pick up garbage in the parks and public spaces. Consider donating an hour of your time for the community.

Giant garbage bins and oil barrels will be supplied by the city. Plastic bags will be available. Food and refreshments will also be available.

We are looking for community members with trucks who might be willing to help pick up larger items. Call the Hall at 265-4898.

In & Around Our City

SIXTH ANNUAL GREEK FESTIVAL

The premiere of Christos Giorgiou's award-winning film, *Under the Stars*- the poignant story of a refugee's return to the divided island of Cyprus- at the Uptown Theatre on June 17th kicked off this year's four-day Greek Festival. Cut to the Festival grounds in Spruce Cliff, a scene of mostly excellent weather, thumping music, great food, kids playing soccer, and families picnicking on the grass. Three bands, *Arkadia* from Regina, *Poseidon* from Ottawa, and Calgary's own *Rembetika Hipsters* entertained the hundreds of people seated in the big white tent and drew scores onto the stage to dance. As a tribute to the summer Olympics in Athens, colourful troupes performed the traditional dances of the Ukraine, Tibet, Thailand, Spain, Ireland, and Greece and a belly-dancing company demonstrated its ancient art. In the quieter end of the tent, people were checking out booths featuring ceramics, jewellery, paintings, Greek history, palmistry, and a raffle for a sleek, black Mercedes C230. Under its own tent, the KidsZone offered face-painting, balloons, ring toss, and handicrafts.

If it all sounds like fun, it was! For info about next year's Festival or about other events in the Greek community, go to www.calgaryhellenic.com.

— Contributing Writer: Pamela Pritchard

EILEEN MCGANN'S CD LAUNCH

The Cathedral Church of the Redeemer, on June 12th, was the setting Canadian folksinger, **Eileen McGann**, chose for the release of her new CD *Light*. It was billed as "a collection of songs of hope and healing chronicling a journey of the spirit, confronting choices between darkness and light, stagnation and movement, illness and health." The CD contains three new compositions and ten much-requested numbers from her previous five recordings. Considered to be one of North America's finest contemporary songwriters and one of the best Celtic traditional singers anywhere, Eileen McGann was also celebrating her twentieth anniversary as a professional folksinger. This was the first time I had seen her perform and I was impressed with her strong, beautiful voice, her uplifting lyrics, and her joyful delivery-while a cold rain fell outside, laughter abounded in that sacred place. **David K.**, her long-time sideman, accompanied her ably on harmony and on an array of instruments: Irish bouzouki, bass guitar, and National tri-cone. If you are interested in finding out more about Eileen McGann and about ordering this or any of her CDs, go to www.eileenmcgann.com.

— Contributing Writer: Pamela Pritchard



Canada

FIRST THURSDAY CRAWL: CANADA DAY, JULY 1st 2004

FORT CALGARY: DOMINION DAY & MUSICAL RIDE 9 AM-4 PM FREE 750-9th Ave SE There's free outdoor family fun for the whole family at Fort Calgary, starting with a pancake breakfast at 9 am, official Canada Day celebrations at noon, the Musical Ride by the Strathcona Mounted Troop at 2 pm, live stage entertainment from 11am to 4 pm, and games, crafts and roving entertainment all day.

HISTORICAL WALKING TOURS 10 AM-NOON FREE Meet in the hall outside the entrance to the Glenbow Museum, 130-9th Ave SE A volunteer from POWER will regale you with great stories of Calgary's colourful history as you prowl the streets of downtown. You'll love this tour!

MICAH GALLERY: CANADIAN DIAMONDS 9:30 AM-7 PM FREE 110-8th Ave SW This Canada Day, Micah Gallery features Canadian diamonds mined in the Northwest Territories, in original designs inspired by the beauty and unique cultures of our true north.

TD CANADA TRUST JAZZ FESTIVAL: THE JOHN GRAY TRIO 11:30 AM-2:15 PM FREE Stephen Avenue Walk The TD Canada Trust JAZZ FESTIVAL spills out onto the sidewalk with live jazz on Stephen Avenue - right on your way from the Glenbow to Prince's Island!

GLENBOW MUSEUM: CHARLIE RUSSELL ON THE AVENUE NOON-1 PM FREE 130-9th Ave SE Celebrate Canada Day on Stephen Avenue Mall with the late Charlie Russell. Authentic Western Productions will recreate some action-filled scenes that inspired the West's greatest painter.

CITY OF CALGARY: CANADA DAY CELEBRATIONS NOON-6 PM FREE Prince's Island Park Join in the fun as Calgary celebrates Canada's 137th birthday at Prince's Island Park! There will be great performances for all ages at the Island stages, plus food booths, craft tents, face ainting, and more! Pull on those red and white clothes and join us for a day of fun and celebration! All activities and entertainment are free. Please remember to leave your pets at home as Bylaw prohibits dogs on Prince's Island Park on July 1. Keep your eyes and ears open for more information or you can check us out on-line at www.calgary.ca.

TD CANADA TRUST JAZZ FESTIVAL: JAZZ WORKSHOP WITH FRANCOIS BOURASSA 2 PM FREE Cantos Music Collection, 134-11th Ave SE Here's an opportunity to learn from a master. Francois Bourassa is a Juno Award-winning Canada Council Touring Artist!

SANDSTONE LOUNGE: MARGARITAS ON THE PATIO 4-7 PM HAPPY HOUR PRICES Hyatt Regency Hotel 8th Ave, North side, just east of Centre Street Nothing says summer like sitting on the patio at the Hyatt's Sandstone Lounge, sipping margaritas.

CANTOS MUSIC COLLECTION: A SAMPLER TOUR 5-8 PM FREE 134-11th Ave SE First Thursdays are your chance for a free tour of this wonderful collection of keyboard instruments. A hidden Calgary treasure!

BEN VENUTO'S: HAPPY HOUR WITH LIVE MUSIC AND WINE-TASTING 6-9 PM SPECIAL PRICES in effect 118-8th Ave SW Enjoy the ambience of one of Calgary's oldest buildings, beautifully renovated. Happy hour music by The Lost Boys, a wine-tasting with Holly of Renaissance Wines, \$5 martinis and appetizers specials (buy one, get the second for 1/2 price).

THE AUBURN SALOON: ART OPENING 6:30-8:30 PM FIRST THURSDAY MARTINIS \$6, PINTS \$4 all evening Calgary's famous "theatre bar" offers special First Thursday martinis and an art opening each month.

JAMES JOYCE IRISH PUB: FAMOUS TASTES OF IRELAND 7-8 PM \$5.95-\$10 Sample four fabulous Irish Whiskeys for \$10 and famous Irish Potato Nachos for \$5.95 while enjoying the great atmosphere of Calgary's renowned Irish pub. Be sure to mention you're on the First Thursday Crawl!

THE CONGA ROOM: DANCE WITH A GRAMMY MEMBER! 8 PM NO COVER 109-8th Ave SW Dance with a Grammy Member! Luis Emilio Rios (the ONLY Latin Grammy Academy Musician of this city) will teach a musical approach to Latin Dancing, guaranteed to make even two-left-footed boys dance. Bring your "not-dancing" partner and he'll leave a Latin Dancer!

TD CANADA TRUST JAZZ FESTIVAL: ZOOM 10:30 PM \$16 Cantos Music Collection 134-11th Ave SE TD Canada Trust JAZZ FESTIVAL presents a great band from Switzerland, Lucas Niggli's Zoom! For the complete Jazz Festival lineup, go to www.jazzfestivalcalgary.ca.



ALEXANDRA CENTRE SOCIETY



The Alexandra Centre Society welcomes the new board of directors for the year 2004-2005

Peter Abbott	-	President
Pat Abbott	-	V. President
Lynn MacKinnon	-	Secretary
Debbie Bennett	-	Treasurer
Doreen Wiens	-	Member
John Juhasz	-	Member
Ken Robertson	-	Member
Ria Buur	-	Member
Rose DelMistro	-	Member
Elaine High	-	Member

We would also like to thank our outgoing members: Ann Belzil, Michelle Top and Jim Diamond for their wonderful support.

SUZUKI MUSIC EDUCATION EARLY CHILDHOOD (0-3 Years) PROGRAM

TEACHER TRAINING – Aug 7 -11

Suzuki Talent Education and the Alexandra Centre Society are pleased to present a five-day training session on the “Music with You and Your Baby/Toddler” program. This is a rare opportunity to train with international Early Childhood Specialist, Dorothy Jones of London Ontario. The “Parents as Partners” program enables parents to become instructors and eventually lead community

programs while providing a support network for community based Early Childhood Training. This program enriches the lives of both child and parent. **Call 269-5588**

Coming Soon...

We are currently gathering information on resources to help with small renovation or retrofit projects.

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

Janitor / Maintenance

If you are community minded and interested in working in a relaxed and friendly atmosphere...

Have experience or skills with general cleaning and upkeep of a public building... or are retired or want work close to home and are a “handy man or woman” Send us a resume or letter outlining your experience and why you would like to work with the Alexandra Centre Team.

Drop off a letter outlining your skills to:

**Alexandra Centre Society
922- 9 Ave. SE (basement)
Fax 269-5868**



CIVIC AFFAIRS

Janice Thoroughgood

CIVIC AFFAIRS MET ON MONDAY, JUNE 14 this month to discuss two new developments and a renovation.

The renovation proposal was for an upper addition and extension to a bungalow. There were no concerns with the plans.

DP2004-1476 for a single detached dwelling at 1037 19 Avenue SE had only one concern forwarded onto the City. That was for a side balcony that may overlook the neighbouring yard or have sightlines into the neighbouring home.

DP2004-1627 at Ramsay School is a change of use application for a child care facility. Although the school currently has child care on sight, they are moving rooms within the school. There were no concerns with this application.

The City has a draft of the East Village ARP available for your viewing online. Check is out at www.calgary.ca/docgallery/bu/planning/pdf/east_village_arp_draft_2004.pdf

I've also attended two seminars put on by the City; Perspectives in Planning Process (PIP), and Crime Prevention and Safer Cities – International Lessons. These sessions and the East Village ARP agree with the similar proposals for traffic calming measures initiated by Ramsay. So with that encouragement we'll continue the process with the traffic committee.

Civic Affairs meets only when there are development permits or relevant issues to discuss. Meetings are held at the Ramsay Community Hall. Babysitting is provided. To be added to the Civic Affairs notification list please email me at j_thoroughgood@hotmail.com.



RAMSAY SCHOOL

Brian Del Castillo, Principal

Another school year has come to an end. This was a special year for Ramsay School. We celebrated our 90th anniversary. As you know, although the school was constructed in 1912, children did not begin attending until 1913. This school year began with a celebration and we end the year in the same way by celebrating all of our achievements. We say farewell to our grade 6 students and our grade 7 students from the Ready Class. We also say farewell to a number of staff who will be moving on the other schools and endeavours. They will be missed.

Looking forward to the 2004 – 2005 school year, I anticipate that our kindergarten class will be the largest it has been in years because of the full day program. Further we expect to have our largest student enrollment overall, too. I still hear that some families do not

send their children to the school because they fear that it will close. The truth is that the larger our student population, the greater the likelihood that the school will remain open. Our school council is in the midst of planning the construction of a new playground for June 2005. Our school is growing. Those who are directly involved with the school are demonstrating

their faith that the school will be around for a long time, dare we say even to celebrate other significant anniversaries like the 100th, 125th and so on.

As the Calgary Flames said during their playoff run, “Jump on the bandwagon.”

Have a great summer.



Adventure Together!

Afternoon Adventurers
Neighbourhood Play
for ages 6 – 10 (Free)

Inglewood
Mondays, Jul 05 – Aug 23
1:30 – 4:30pm
1740 – 21 Avenue S.E.

Ramsay
Thursdays, Jul 08 – Aug 26
1:30 – 4:30pm
2040 Ramsay Street S.E.

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The Alex Community Health Centre, committed to improving individual and community health.

BECOME A MEMBER OF OUR VOLUNTEER TEAM!

Special Events

- Golf Tournament, July 26 (join us now to plan the tournament)
- Casino, August 16 & 17

Community Health Bus

- Basic foot care, Wednesday 6:30 to 8:00
- Basic foot care, Fridays 2:30 to 4:00
- Greeters, afternoons and early evenings

Community Laundromat in Ramsay

- days or evenings, seven days per work

Food Programs in Inglewood

- Volunteers with vehicle to work in various food programs Monday to Friday, daytimes

Many other volunteer positions available. Call the Volunteer Coordinator at 266-2622

NEW CLIENTS

The Alex is taking new clients at the Community Health Centre and at the Seniors Community Health Centre. We also have openings to see other professionals for crisis support, child and youth activities, chiropractic visits, Aboriginal health support, and more... call 266-2622.

MORE THAN JUST LAUNDRY?

Through the Suds and Savings Community Laundromat, The Alex is creating income generation projects to support local community initiatives through drop-off laundry and dry cleaning services and clothing repair. Come and access the community meeting area, free public computer and internet



access, and the service exchange board. New to the laundromat, we have lawnmowers available at a very low cost to assist in keeping our community beautiful (and help out young entrepreneurs).

FREE AND LOCAL SUMMER PROGRAMS FOR KIDS

Call Jess at 266-2622 or email youth@thealex.ca

The Alex Community Health Centre :: 922 9 Ave SE :: www.thealex.ca :: 266-2622

Monday July 26, 2004, D'Arcy Ranch
come golf in the

Inglewood Family Health Centre Charity Golf Classic

Shotgun start at 12:45 pm, Texas Scramble Format

\$150/golfer includes 18 holes, power cart,
western steak & ribs dinner, driving range,
practice facility, pre-golf club cleaning

proceeds to The Alex Community Health Centre

Call Dr. Chad Kulak at 266-3262
or Jackie Nielsen at 266-2622



KEY POLICE CONTACTS

If you see crimes in the area, please contact the police by phone at 266-1234 or e-mail.

Our community liaison officer is:

Const. Mike McNamara Badge #2679

The police in our area are:

Inspector Dan Jahrig Badge #1763

Sgt. Blair White Badge # 2783

Staff Sgt. Dean Stobo # 2519

To e-mail any police officer the address is: pol(badge #)@calgarypolice.ca (eg. to e-mail Mike McNamara, pol2679@calgarypolice.ca).

EMERGENCY: 911

Newsletter Contributions

Any community member is welcome to contribute to this newsletter. The deadline for submissions for each upcoming month's issue is the 20th of the preceding month. Please email your contributions, comments, and articles to:

news@ramsaycommunity.ab.ca

or drop it off at the Ramsay Community Hall, 1136 8 St SE

ADVERTISING

Ad size	Per month
business card	\$35
1/4 page	\$55
1/2 page	\$80
Full page	\$140
Flyer Inserts	\$75

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July 2004

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1 Canada Day	2	3
4	5	6 RCA General Meeting 7 p.m.	7	8	9 STAMPEDE!	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17 BOOT SALE & HIGH TEA 9 – 4 p.m.
18	19	20 RCA Board Meeting 7 p.m.	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	31

August 2004

1	2 HERITAGE DAY	3 No meeting this month	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24 No Board meeting this month	25	26	27	28
29	30	31	1	2	3	4

