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MESSAGE FROM THE BOARD

Happy May, Beddington!

With warmer weather arriving, we are so excited to switch from the outdoor rink to the community garden; you can register for your plots online. We are adding a few more planters this year which is such great news for a new community program. We are so happy to have both new and returning plot owners, and look forward to seeing the space come to life once again.

We are so pleased with how the safety event went; if there is interest, we may make it a routine event! Remember that the play hub is open every Sunday. Bring your kids out for some unstructured play and a chance to make new friends in the neighbourhood! We have lots of fun activities and events planned for the summer. Please sign up for our membership emails and keep an eye on the website and our Facebook for further details.

Jenn, Bonnie, Melisa, Nadine, Wendy, Leandra, Jessica, and Marty

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Dr. Sarah Brennan, D.C.

Dr. Sarah has special interest in working with women throughout all stages of motherhood, beginning in pregnancy and continuing with healing and rehab in the postpartum period. Sarah has completed several continuing education courses including the Webster technique which promotes proper pelvic alignment in pregnant mothers, BirthFit certification, Breastfeeding support for postpartum women, as well as special training in chiropractic

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City of Calgary



Farm Stand Program

The City of Calgary Food Action Plan will once again be running this year. The goal is to provide more places to grow food and sell local food so that more Calgarians can access local food and support our local and regional farms.

> Start Date: Friday, May 5, 2023

Where: Parking lot of Beddington Theatre Arts Centre

16 Bermuda Drive NW, Calgary, AB T3K 1H7

Time: 3:00 - 6:00 pm

Provider: Broxburn Mobile Market

The Farm Stand Program and Mobile Market will begin on Friday May 5th and run every Friday until a cut off date is determined in the fall.

List of vegetable offerings will change with growing season and availability. Selections



- Bell Peppers
- Hot Peppers
- Cherry Tomatoes
- Cocktail Tomatoes
- Roma Tomatoes
- Beefsteak Tomatoes

- Lettuce
- Eggplant
- Long English Cucumbers
- Mini Cucumbers
- Garlic
- Onions









by Anne Burke

The annual May Plant Count is an event where volunteers survey their favourite natural areas to collect data on the distribution and blooming of flowering plants in Alberta. Collection of plant specimens is not allowed in any protected or restricted areas, such as Nose Hill Park. The survey, which takes place between May 25 and 31, encourages stewardship and is based on appreciation of nature.

Expertise in identification is valuable, but not mandatory. It is open to anyone with an interest in plants and flowering. As a citizen scientist, your photos submitted during the count period will contribute to the databases. To join the project, go to https://inaturalist.ca/projects/alberta-may-plant-count. In order to submit observations, you will need to log in and create an account (which is free).

The May Plant Count is part of the May Species Count. It began in 1976 to track bird species across Alberta and, in 2011, over 300,000 birds were counted. In 2022, over 400 people participated in the bird count. To learn more about how to download your results onto the eBird app and to contact your local organizer, go to https://naturealberta.ca/may-species-count/.



BHCA CALENDAR

Want to join our meetings? Super! All our meetings are held on Zoom these days. To join, either:

Register Online: BeddingtonCommunity.ca (On Home

Page: Upcoming Events) **Email Us:** Addresses Below

Leave a Message: 403-305-6642

05: Broxburn Mobile Market - Farm Stand Program, 3:00 to 6:00 pm (every Friday)

07: Vivo Play Hub, 11:30 am to 3:00 pm

09: Reimagine Beddington Committee, 7:00 to 9:00 pm

14: Vivo Play Hub, 11:30 am to 3:00 pm (Mother's Day)

15: Beddington Community Garden and Hub, 7:00 to 9:00 pm

16: Beddington Book Club, 7:00 to 9:00 pm

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- Reimagine Beddington reimagine@beddingtoncommunity.ca
- Book Club bookclub@beddingtoncommunity.ca
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The Beddington Play Hub



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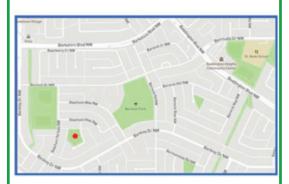
Where: Beacham Close Park NW

When: Every Sunday Year Round

11:30 - 3:00 pm Time:

Who: Open to all families 52 weeks

per year (weather permitting)



www.vivoplayproject.com/play-hubs https://beddingtoncommunity.ca

May BASP Update



Kindergarden

Our summer camp registration opens at the beginning of May. Visit the community webpage, www.beddingtoncommunity. ca, for more information, memberships, and to sign up online!

Our camps run on a weekly basis so you can pick and choose care based on what works for your family and your vacation times! The cost is \$165 per week per child. We are open from 7:00 am to 5:30 pm. We are a very active summer camp that believes kids should be kids with lots of outdoor time, fieldtrips as well as crafts, science experiments, group games, and activities to go along with a number of themeinspired days. We will be offering six weeks of camps from the beginning of July to August 11.

We are also starting to contact our waitlist this month to touch on our availability for September before and after school care. If you would like to get on our waitlist, please email us at beddingtonbasp@ gmail.com or call us at 403-295-8837.

As for April updates, the children enjoyed having time off during Easter break. The roller coaster of weather Calgary received allowed us to offer everything from snow activities to the growing of spring plants! Have a fantastic May and we will check back in in June!









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Jane's Walk is a global event of free walking tours held in Calgary and around the world each May. Back for 2023 on May 5, 6, and 7, Jane's Walk encourages Calgarians of all ages to come and enjoy the free walking tours and festivities.

Hidden heritage walks, place-making discovery tours, public art walks, and literary walks, Jane's Walk Calgary 2023 has it all!

This festival features a collection of walks that encourage relishing in uncovering city stories and delights. These walks are slow-paced adventures that bring a community out in the urban environment.



CITY OF CALGARY Compost Giveaway



Once again, if you are a resident of the City of Calgary, the City is offering complimentary compost to be used in your gardens and yards. It is produced from yard waste and food collected through the Green Cart Program. It's wonderful when we see the results of our compost recycling to not only reduce landfill, but create a circuit that nets us useable compost for our gardens.

Compost is available for pick-up from April 24 through to June 10, by online appointment only, at Shepard (South) and Spyhill (North) landfills.

Compost pick up appointments will be released in the following time slots:

Booking Dates	Appointment Dates	
April 10 2023	April 24 - May 13	
May 8 2023	May 15 - May 27	
May 23 2023	May 29 - June 10	

For more information on the compost program and on how to book an appointment, please visit:

https://www.calgary.ca/waste/residential/green-cart-compostgiveaway.html

REIMAGINE BEDDINGTON

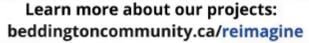


Our 2023 gardening season is about to begin at the Beddington Community Garden with some new beds! Check out our website to see if there are any beds left, or put yourself on the waitlist.

beddingtoncommunity.ca/garden



Beddington Play Hub Loose parts play! Sundays, 11:30am - 3pm 15 Beacham Close NW







Pollinating Plants and the Butterflyway

If you are interested in participating in the 2023 Butterflyway, please email us at butterflies@beddingtoncommunity.ca and tell us a bit about your garden and plants. Gardens included in a Butterflyway can be any size! While ideally they should include a mix of native wildflowers, grasses, shrubs and trees (preferably sourced from local native plant suppliers) we are generally pleased with any plants that attract those pollinators. Learn more here: beddingtoncommunity.ca/butterflyway





by Cindy | bookclub@beddingtoncommunity.ca

We are now back to meeting in person between 7:00 and 9:00 pm on the third Tuesday of each month in the Boardroom at the Beddington Theatre Arts Centre.

Our June 20 book will be The Vanishing Half by Brit Bennett.

"The Vignes twin sisters will always be identical. But after growing up together in a small, southern black community and running away at age sixteen, it's not just the shape of their daily lives that is different as adults, it's everything: their families, their communities, their racial identities. Many years later, one sister lives with her black daughter in the same southern town she once tried to escape. The other sister passes for white, and her white husband knows nothing of her past. Still, even separated by so many miles and just as many lies, the fates of the twins remain intertwined. What will happen to the next generation, when their own daughters' storylines intersect?" - Goodreads.com

Our July 18 book will be The Lying Game by Ruth Ware.

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When: Every Thursday from 1:30 pm to 2:30 pm

Where: NCFRN: 3 - 176 Bedford Dr. NE

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