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SUNDAY FEB 15, 2026

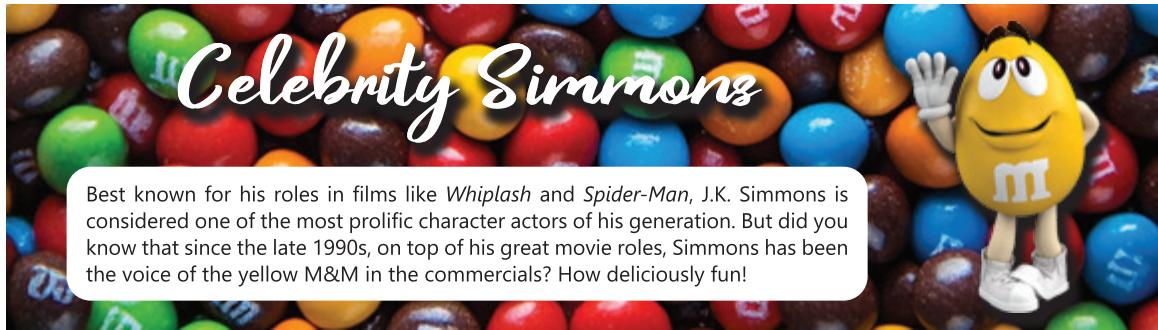
3:00pm Concert • 2:00pm Doors / Food / Bar

Winston Heights-Mountview Community Centre • 520 27 Ave NE

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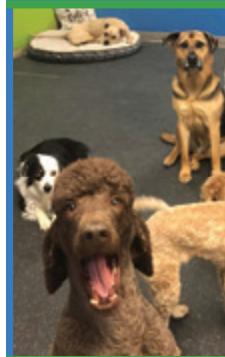
www.winstonheights.ca



Celebrity Simmons

Best known for his roles in films like *Whiplash* and *Spider-Man*, J.K. Simmons is considered one of the most prolific character actors of his generation. But did you know that since the late 1990s, on top of his great movie roles, Simmons has been the voice of the yellow M&M in the commercials? How deliciously fun!

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HUMANS OF RENFREW

In 2026, the Renfrew Community Association will launch Humans of Renfrew, a storytelling project celebrating the people who make our neighbourhood extraordinary.

Each month, the series will feature one Renfrew resident, their experiences, passions, and the connections that bring our community to life, and will be shared through the community newsletter and the Renfrew Community Association's social media channels.

To nominate a neighbour, or yourself, email titash.choudhury@gmail.com or the **Renfrew Community Association** at communications@renfrewyy.ca

Humans of Renfrew is written by Titash Choudhury, community storyteller and creator of Humans of Killarney.

Together, let's celebrate the heart of Renfrew ❤



UPCOMING Makers Mingle

AT RENFREW COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION

14
JAN

SEWING CLUB - SOCIAL ROOM
6:00 PM - 9:00 PM

11
FEB

MAKERS MINGLE - SOCIAL ROOM
6:00 PM - 9:00 PM

11
MAR

MAKERS MINGLE - SOCIAL ROOM
6:00 PM - 9:00 PM

8
APR

EASTER CRAFT - SOCIAL ROOM
6:00 PM - 9:00 PM

RENFREW YYC

EMAIL: ASSISTANT@RENFREWYYC.CA TO LEAD AN ACTIVITY



RENFREW COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION:

VOLUNTEER BARTENDERS NEEDED



NO EXPERIENCE NEEDED
PRO SERVE REQUIRED | 18+
INQUIRE AT SOCIAL@RENFREWYYC.CA



UPCOMING COMMUNITY PUB NIGHT

FEB
20

Jellybean Dance and
Community Pub Night

MAR
20

Community Pub Night

APR
17

Community Pub Night

821 Westford Rd. N.E.

For More Details:
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Renfrew Community Association

BOARD MEMBERS NEEDED

Community Garden Director

Social Room Director

Events Director

and more....



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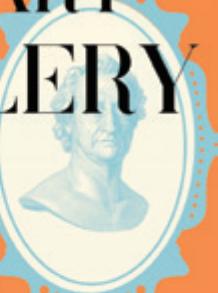
more info: membership@renfrewyyca.ca

MINI ART GALLERY

RENFREWYYC.CA

RENFREW HAS BEEN GIFTED AN OUTDOOR "MINI ART GALLERY" FROM THE CITY OF CALGARY, ANY LOCAL ARTISANS WHO WOULD LIKE TO DISPLAY ART WORKS OR HAVE ANY QUESTIONS CAN CONTACT

ASSISTANT@RENFREWYYC.CA



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Renfrew Community Association

Bottle Drive

Help Support the various initiatives at the Renfrew Community Hall

**Collection Date:
The Last Saturday of Every Month**

Drop-off Location:

Renfrew Community Hall
811 Radford Road NE
Donation Open from
9:00am-noon
Please stack neatly by the front door bench. Thank you!
For more information & other information about your Community Centre, please visit:

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Thank you for supporting us with your donation!

Renfrew Community Association

TINY TOTS IS STARTING UP AGAIN THIS SEPTEMBER!

Tiny Tots is a free drop in Play group held at the Renfrew Community Association! All welcome!

Mondays 2:00pm-3:30pm
(infants 0-8 months)

Fridays 9:30am-11:00am
(5 and under)

Free with RCA Membership
check out renfrewyycc.ca for starting dates!

for more information contact
tinytots@renfrewyycc.ca



Renfrew Community Association

Tiny Tots Whats App

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Tiny Tots - General

WhatsApp group



CONNECT WITH US



Renfrew Community Garden

As I curl up in front of the fireplace my thoughts wonder back to summer. Summer days, when the average July daylight was 16 hours compared to 8.5 hours in January and remembering how the sunflowers growing in the RCG and the Renfrew community always brought a smile to my face.

The sunflower is an amazing flower with many varieties. The scientific name for the sunflower is *Helianthus*, which is the combination of the Greek words “helios” (sun) and “anthos” (flower). This flower is also associated with the Greek God Apollo and some of Vincent van Gogh’s famous paintings are of sunflowers. Young sunflower plants will follow the movement of the sun during the day. Facing east in the morning and moving their flowers to face west as the sun moves across the sky. As the sunflower matures this movement will stop and the plant will face east.

Sunflowers are native to North America. Sunflowers attract pollinators and pest control bugs like lady bugs and lacewings and interestingly, the sunflower can help to improve soil health and can help the environment by absorbing some soil contaminants through their roots. Along with these impressive qualities the sunflower is also a good companion flower that provides garden shade and support for climbing plants.

A positive addition to your 2026 garden!

Smiling Gardeners



RENFREW COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION

Yoga Classes



YOGA WITH YOGA SARANA AT THE RENFREW COMMUNITY WEST-END LOWER HALL

**IF YOU'RE INTERESTED IN REGISTERING OR HAVE ANY QUESTIONS, PLEASE CONTACT wellness@renfrewyyc.ca

7:30pm - to 8:45pm
Thursdays
NO DROP-INS AVAILABLE AT THIS TIME
Membership required

JOIN THE CHOIR



ARE YOU INTERESTED IN JOINING A COMMUNITY CHOIR? EMAIL ASSISTANT@RENFREWYYC.CA FOR MORE INFORMATION

RCA PRESENTS

Valentine's

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Connect, Slip and Sew

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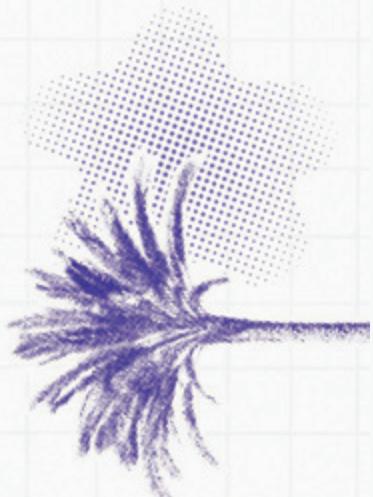
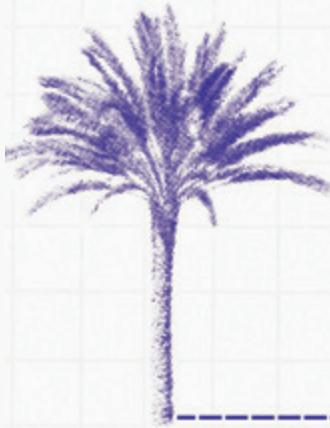
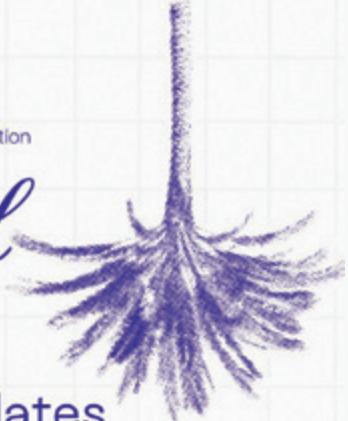
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6:00 PM - 8:30 PM SOCIAL ROOM

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RENFREW COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION

JELLY BEAN DANCE



MARCH 13TH
6:00 PM - 9:00 PM
PRIZES - DJ - CONCESSION
\$5/PERSON OR \$20/FAMILY



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LOOKING FOR REPAIR-ERS FOR
AN UPCOMING REPAIR
WORKSHOP AT RENFREW
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Flair and Little Lady, Strathcona Park



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Talbot and Scout, Queensland

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Customer Review Period (January 14 to March 23) Is Your Opportunity to Review and Ensure the Accuracy of Your 2026 Property Assessment

by The City of Calgary

Your 2026 property assessment is mailed out January 14. The 2026 Customer Review Period (CRP) runs from January 14 to March 23. CRP is your opportunity to review and ensure the accuracy of your 2026 property assessment and learn more about how your assessment was determined.

What to look for when reviewing your assessment:

- Is your market value assessment a reasonable estimate as of July 1, 2025?
- Are the property details we have on record, correct?
- Is your assessment fair when compared with others in your neighbourhood?

Each year, The City and the Province separately set a budget and decide how much money they need from property tax. Your share of property tax is based on your assessment class and the assessed value of your property. Your 2026 property tax bill will be mailed in May, but you can get an estimation of it now by visiting calgary.ca/taxcalculator.

To help you review your property assessment we offer general resources on calgary.ca/assessment and property specific tools through the secure log in feature of calgary.ca/mytax. By logging onto myTax you can:

- Check your property details and ensure they're correct. *Incorrect property details can result in your assessment not accurately reflecting the value of your property.
- Compare your property's assessed value to similar properties in your area.
- Review real estate market trends and learn how your property was assessed.

Questions? Visit calgary.ca/assessment or call 3-1-1. Customer Review Period ends March 23.

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