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Membership: \$20

MESSAGE FROM THE BOARD

Fall has arrived in Beddington! The leaves are changing, the air is crisp, and the season is full of things to celebrate. Thanksgiving is a time to reflect on what we're grateful for, and we're certainly thankful for the amazing volunteers and neighbours who make our community such a great place to live. Later this month, Halloween will bring plenty of spooky fun, and we hope to see the neighbourhood filled with costumes, decorations, and community spirit.

Looking ahead, our Annual General Meeting (AGM) is coming up in November. This is a fantastic opportunity to hear about what we've accomplished this past year and the exciting plans ahead. All residents are invited! It's also your chance to get involved by joining the BHCA Board. If you have a head for numbers and/or finances, we are especially in need of a Treasurer! If outdoors is your jam, we also need a Rink Coordinator if we want a pleasure rink this year. Of course, if you want a more general role, you can also become a Member at Large. These are all important positions that help keep our community vibrant and active. If you've been thinking about volunteering, this is the perfect time to step forward and make a difference!

Thank you, as always, for your support and engagement. Together, we keep Beddington strong, welcoming, and full of life.

Sincerely,

BHCA Board



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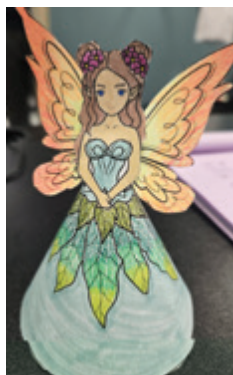
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BASP Program Update



Our summer program was a big success this year. We had a full group of children each and every week, so make sure to mark your calendars for May of next year to ensure you register early. We explored much of the city's green spaces and parks to go along with fun field trips and theme days at the program. Check out a couple of creative summer crafts/art the children made!



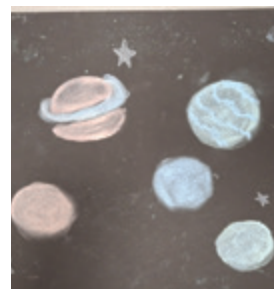
Now that we are one month into the school year, we've started to settle into our new school time routines.

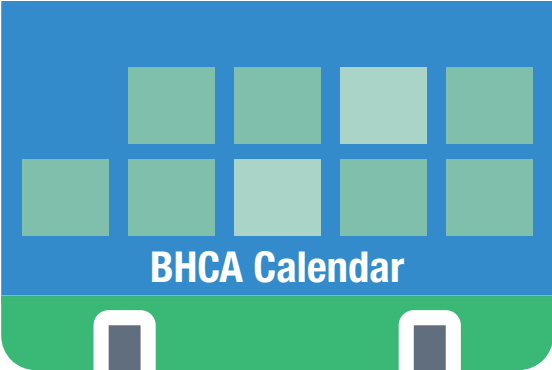
As for October, we are very excited about all the fun that this month brings - Thanksgiving, Halloween, the changing of the leaves and seasons, and focusing on all the things we have to be thankful for!



Our Kindergarten program has spent September learning our schedules and routines, as well as getting used to a new setting and building our leg muscles walking to and from school. September is always such an exciting time for them!

If you would like to inquire about our program or be added to the waitlist, please contact us at beddingtonbasp@gmail.com or call us at 403-295-8837.





Want to join our meetings? Super! Most of our meetings are back to being in person. If you are interested in attending to get an idea of what the group is about, either:

Register Online: beddingtoncommunity.ca (On Home Page: Upcoming Events)

Email Us: Addresses Below

Leave a Message: 403-305-6642


OCTOBER - 2025	14: Reimagine Beddington Committee, 7:00 to 9:00 pm
	20: Beddington Community Garden and Hub
	21: Beddington Book Club, 7:00 to 9:00 pm
	28: BHCA Board Meeting, 7:00 to 9:00 pm
NOVEMBER - 2025	11: Reimagine Beddington – No meeting this month due to November 11 holiday.
	12: Annual Beddington Heights Community AGM and Pizza Social, 7:00 to 8:00 pm
	17: Beddington Community Garden and Hub
	18: Beddington Book Club, 7:00 to 9:00 pm
	25: BHCA Board Meeting, 7:00 to 9:00 pm
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SPIRIT HALLOWEEN



Halloween is a favourite holiday for many. One particularly exciting tradition that some enjoy is visiting the popular costume, mask, and makeup store called Spirit Halloween. Popping up all over Canada and the United States, Spirit Halloween is actually the largest Halloween retailer in the United States. What a Spooky Scary Superstore!



You're Invited!!

Pizza Social!!

Join us for a fun night of getting to know your neighbours, along with a pizza social, door prizes and an **AGM** update!!

Help us celebrate this year's events and projects as well as learn about plans

Wednesday, November 12, 2025 at 7:15 pm



Doors Open at 7:00 pm

RSVP at: <https://beddingtoncommunity.ca/>

We're looking for a Treasurer!!



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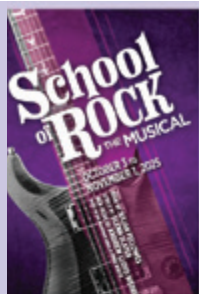
Want to make a big impact in your community?

Please contact: president@beddingtoncommunity.ca

The BHCA needs a **Volunteer Treasurer** to help keep our finances on track (don't worry - you'll have our Book keeper's support!).

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- Help shape the annual budget
- Be a signing officer and financial guide

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During Advance Vote, from October 6 to 11, voters can vote at any of the Advance Vote stations, regardless of the ward in which they reside.

On Election Day, October 20, voters must vote at their designated voting station.

Voters can use the "Where Do I Vote?" tool on the Elections Calgary website to find their nearest Advance Vote location, as well as their designated voting station on Election Day.

Special (mail-in) ballots are available for request for voters who cannot vote during the Advance Vote or on Election Day for any reason. The last day to request a mail-in ballot to be mailed to you is October 3.

The last day for in-person pick-up is October 20 at 10:00 am. All mail-in ballots must be received by the Elections Calgary office by 12:00 pm (noon) on October 20. Mail-in packages can be requested online or by calling 403-476-4100.

More information on where, when and how to vote, voter identification requirements and other important information about the 2025 General Election can be found at electionscalgary.ca/vote or by calling 403-476-4100.



We're looking for a Rink Coordinator!!



The BHCA is looking for a **Rink Coordinator** to help create and lead a volunteer crew in keeping the outdoor pleasure rink in top shape all winter long - or as long as the weather will let us.

- Organize and support rink volunteers.
- Oversee flooding, shovelling & equipment care.
- Share rink updates with the community.

It's a **flexible, seasonal volunteer role (Oct/Nov to Mar: 3-6 hrs/week)** — perfect for someone who enjoys being outdoors, working with people, and helping neighbours make the most of winter.

Contact: president@beddingtoncommunity.ca



by Anne Burke

The first recorded land occupancy of Nose Hill was an 88,000-acre lease in 1882. Large range leases were bought by well-financed ranchers, such as Senator Patrick Burns, who purchased most of two sections of Nose Hill. Cattle grazing occurred until Nose Hill was established as a park. Crops, such as wheat, oats, and rapeseed, were first grown on the plateau in 1907. Privately held farmland was horse pasture until 1912. The negative impact of horse and cattle grazing was widespread on slopes and ravines. However, it helped to control taller nuisance weeds, such as thistle and common nettle.

By 1910, Calgary's boundaries extended north to 48 Avenue. Residential development between 1945 and 1959 pushed as far north as Capri Avenue and east of 14 Street as far north as 56 Avenue. Aerial photographs reveal traffic to and from fields on the Hill to sites in the ravines and gullies along the escarpment. There were many old vehicle trails. Pickups and 4x4 trucks on the Hill used the sloping benches south of 56 Avenue and east of 24 Street. Trail development and use by walkers increased with the Winter Club.

Gravel mining began in 1961. Many Owls Valley was part of the route for commercial trucks on the main road and along the ridge on the south slope of the valley. Severe damage was caused to slope crests and the top of hummocky areas. Construction of John Laurie Boulevard in 1968-69 caused overuse in areas without fencing. More people trespassed on private lands north of the Boulevard or drove to riding club stables south of the gravel pit. There were many horse trails and dirt bikes, walkers, and joggers from 1975 to 1980. Agriculture on the Hill was suspended in 1979.



Beddington Book Club

by Cindy Wiebe | bookclub@beddingtoncommunity.ca

We meet between 7:00 and 9:00 pm on the third Tuesday of each month in the Boardroom at the Beddington Theatre Arts Centre.

Our November 18 book will be *The Only Woman in the Room* by Marie Benedict.

"Her beauty almost certainly saved her from the rising Nazi party and led to marriage with an Austrian arms dealer. Underestimated in everything else, she overheard the Third Reich's plans while at her husband's side and understood more than anyone would guess. She devised a plan to flee in disguise from their castle, and the whirlwind escape landed her in Hollywood. She became Hedy Lamarr, screen star.

But she kept a secret more shocking than her heritage or her marriage: she was a scientist. And she had an idea that might help the country fight the Nazis and revolutionize modern communication... if anyone would listen to her." – from [goodreads.com](https://www.goodreads.com).

We will not meet in December.



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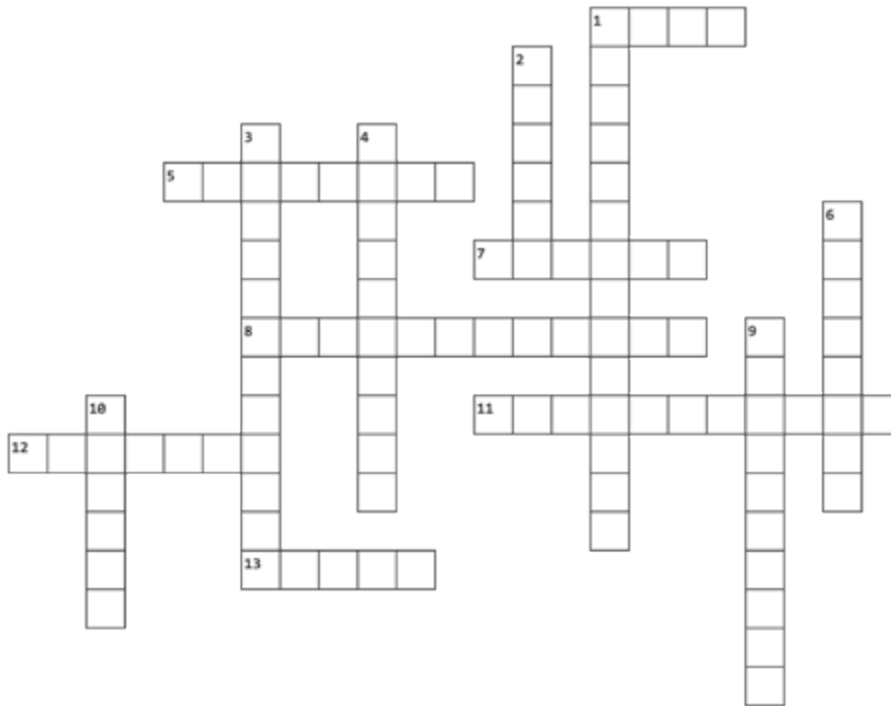
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5. On October 5 World _____' Day is celebrated to honour those who educate us.
7. Queen Elizabeth II officially opened this iconic Opera House on October 20, 1973.
8. Canadians celebrate this holiday on the second Monday of October.
11. The vibrant hues of autumn leaves are due to a lack of what pigment.
12. This iconic single by John Lennon was released on October 11, 1971, in the United States.
13. On October 8, 2004, Wangari Maathai was awarded the _____ Peace Prize, making her the first African woman ever to receive the award.

Down

1. The Orient Express departed on its first journey from Paris on October 4, 1883, to this city now known as Istanbul.
2. Stock markets crashed worldwide on October 19, 1987, and became known as Black _____.
3. NHL star Glenn Hall, nicknamed Mr. Goalie, was born on October 3, 1981, in Humboldt, _____.
4. Canadian filmmaker James Cameron released the sci-fi action hit, *The _____* in October 1984.
6. This beloved Canadian Ryan was born on October 23, 1976, in Vancouver, B.C.
9. The dystopian novel where books are banned and burned, _____ 451 by Ray Bradbury, was published on October 19, 1953.
10. The "Thrilla in _____" on October 1, 1975, saw Muhammad Ali beat Joe Frazier after 14 rounds.



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Dear Neighbours,

I hope you're all enjoying the crisp air and colourful leaves that the fall season brings. By the end of October, the legislature will reconvene, and I'm looking forward to continuing the work we've started—focusing on the issues that matter most to our community.

Thank you to all those who have called or emailed in the last month to share your priorities and concerns with me. It was a pleasure connecting with so many of you, hearing your thoughts, and sharing updates on what's ahead.

As always, if you have any questions, concerns, or need assistance, please don't hesitate to reach out to my office—we're here to help.

Wishing you and your families a safe and festive Halloween! Please keep an eye out for trick-or-treaters and enjoy the season.



THE ROCKET

On October 19, 1957, hockey history was made. Montreal Canadiens star Maurice "Rocket" Richard became the first player in NHL history to score 500 goals. He reached the milestone on home turf at the Montreal Forum, cementing his legacy as one of hockey's greatest legends.



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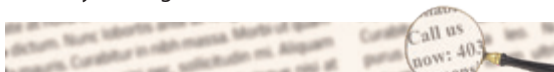
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4. This squash resembles the shape of a flying saucer!
5. This squash shares its name with an elongated yellow fruit.
6. Like the fruit of an oak tree, this squash shares the same name and shape.



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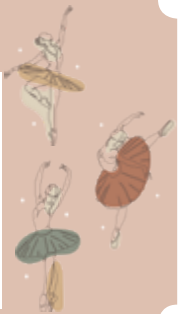
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Calgary's Future Announces Official Endorsement for Ward 4: DJ Kelly

DJ Kelly is a Proven Community Builder

Calgary City Council candidate DJ Kelly is a dedicated community leader who lives and works in Ward 4, where he's raising his family. He's the former Community Association President in Winston Heights-Mountview. DJ is a former City staffer who authored Calgary's Digital Strategy and also led strategy on the Corporate Cultural Transformation Project. He initiated Calgary's Open Data Portal, making City data available to the public, and the Calgary's Poet Laureate program.

As Director of Community Partnerships at the University of Calgary, DJ has built impactful partnerships with many different community groups to improve the lives of Calgarians, such as TELUS Spark, Calgary Economic Development, Calgary Pride, Calgary Stampede and United Way of Calgary and Area. DJ has also been recognized with local, national and international awards for his volunteer work.

Here's why DJ Kelly is the right choice

Here at Calgary's Future, we're looking for council candidates who will give their community a real voice at City Hall. DJ's already led key municipal projects and championed transparency. He's helped build Calgary's reputation into a creative hub for arts and culture.

He knows how the City works better than most people, and he's demonstrated time and again that his main priority is to make Calgary, and Ward 4 a better place to live. We're confident he'll show up for his ward to do more than just vote no. Ward 4 deserves a councillor who knows the city, lives the issues, and gets things done. That's DJ Kelly.

Here's why we're endorsing DJ Kelly:

- **Knows Ward 4:** Longtime resident, active in local schools and community groups.
- **City Hall experience:** Former City staffer who already knows how to get things done.
- **Proven leader:** Builds partnerships that make Calgary better.

"I first ran in 2021 because neighbours asked me to step up when Ward 4 needed strong representation. Today, I'm running again because Calgary is at a turning point. We need councillors who listen, collaborate, and take action to build a city that works for everyone."

— DJ Kelly, Calgary City Council Candidate for Ward 4



If you want to hear more about where DJ Kelly stands on the critical issues facing Calgarians, check out his answers to our Candidate Questionnaire.